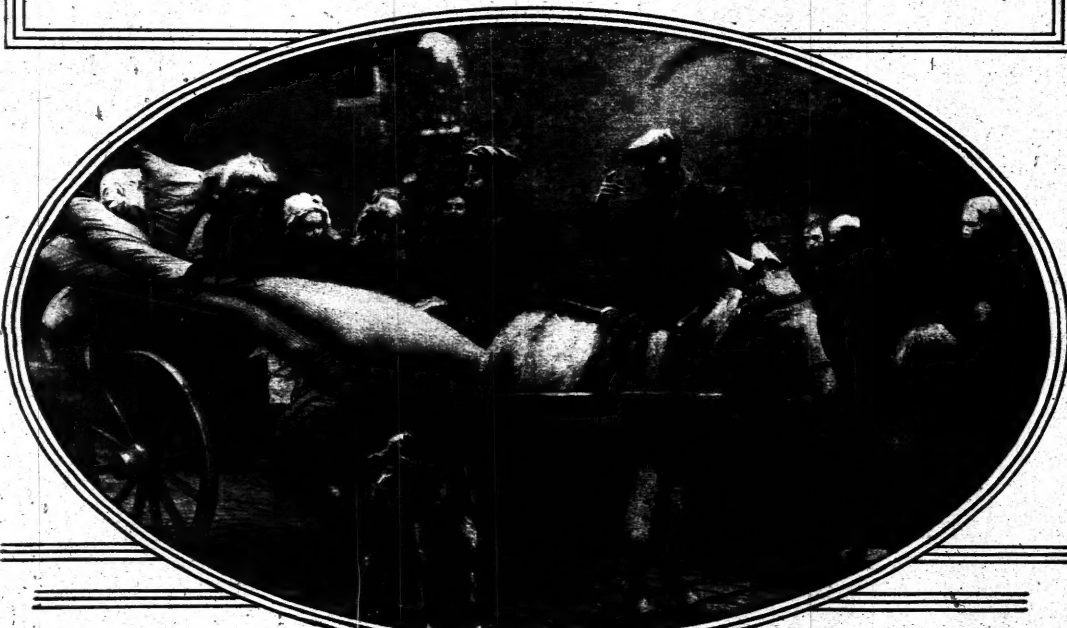




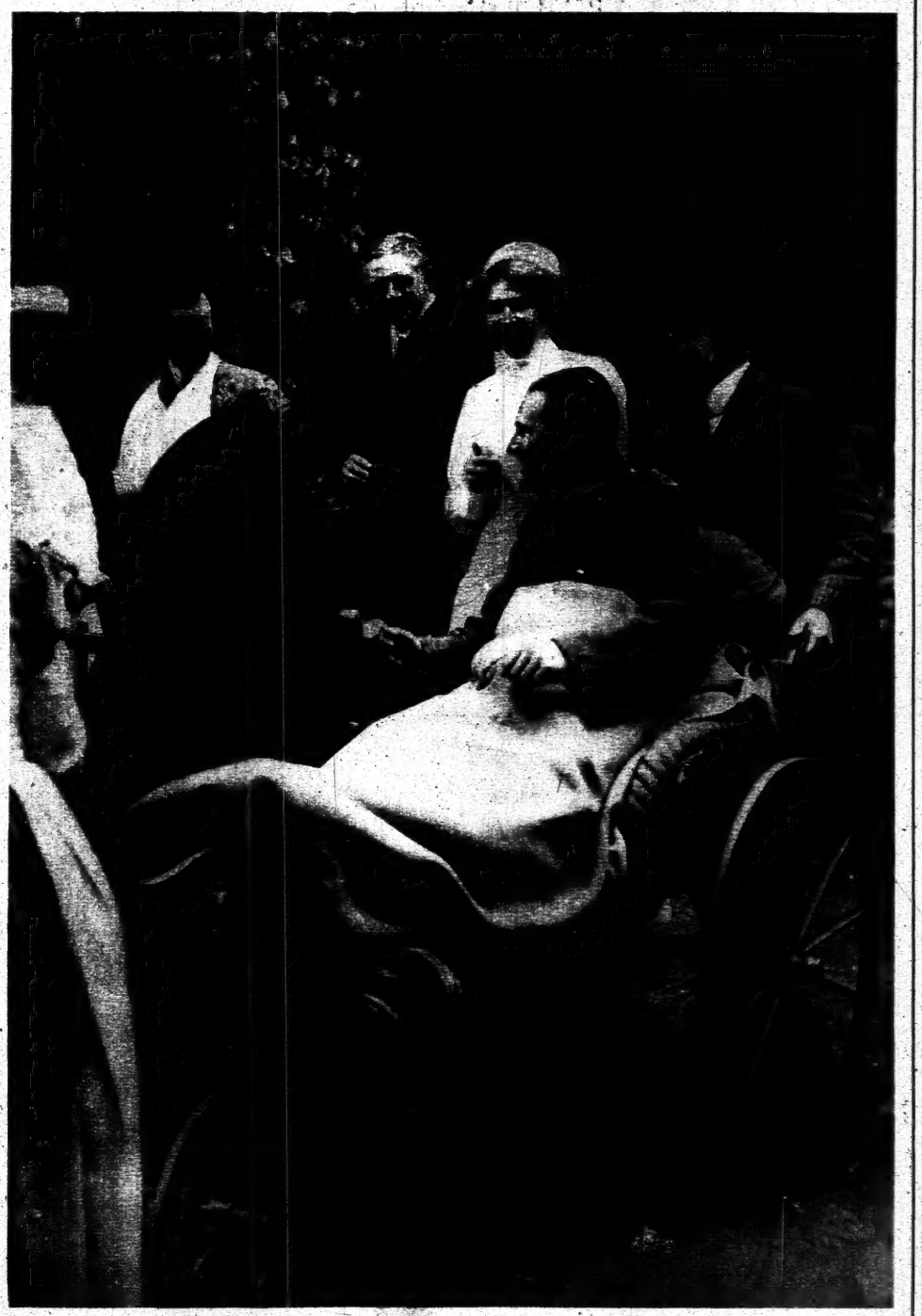
GERMAN OCCUPATION OF MALINES.
The Dense Crowd in the Central Background Consists in Part of Belgian Prisoners of War
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BELGIAN SOLDIERS CHEERING THE ARRIVAL OF BRITISH REINFORCEMENTS
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CHILDREN FLEEING FROM ANTWERP
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EMPERESS EUGENIE, Who Has Converted Her House at Farnborough, England, Into a Military Hospital, Making Her Daily Round Among the Convalescents



MERRY GROUP OF FRENCH MARINES AT GHENT DISPLAYING
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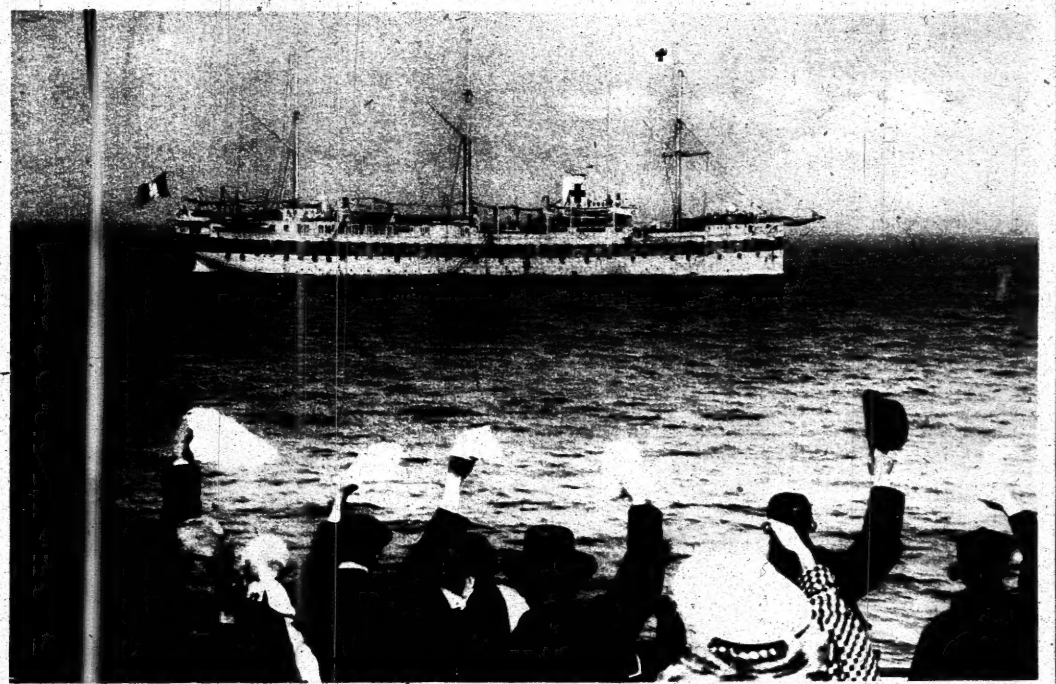


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BELGIAN REFUGEES BOUND FOR ENGLAND CHEERING A FRENCH RED CROSS SHIP
ON ITS WAY TO OSTEND FOR A CARGO OF WOUNDED.

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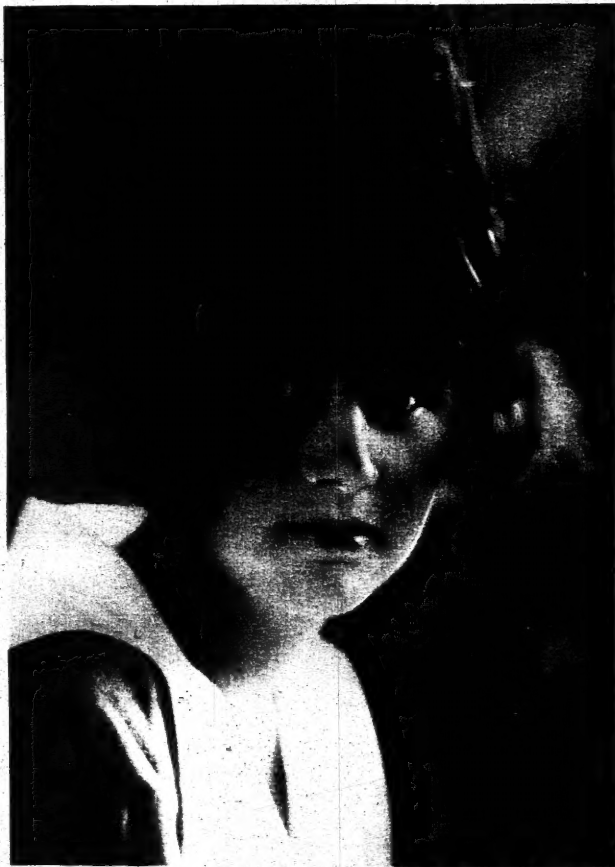
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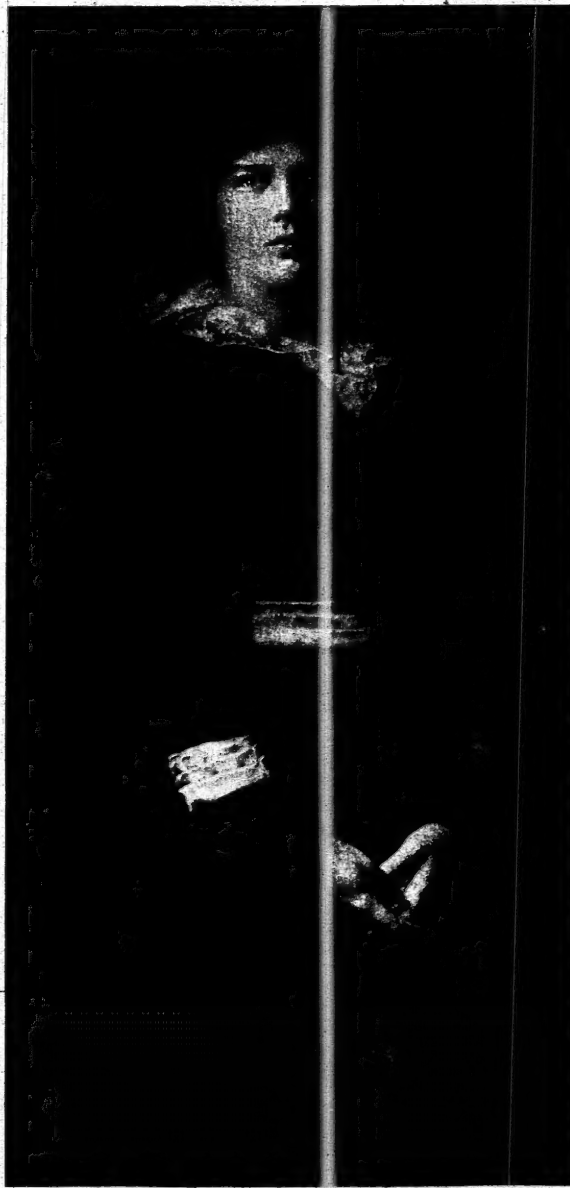
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Debutante Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Woodin.



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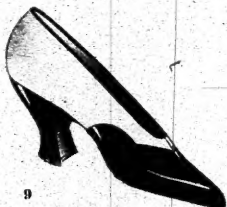
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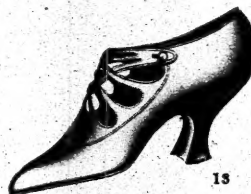


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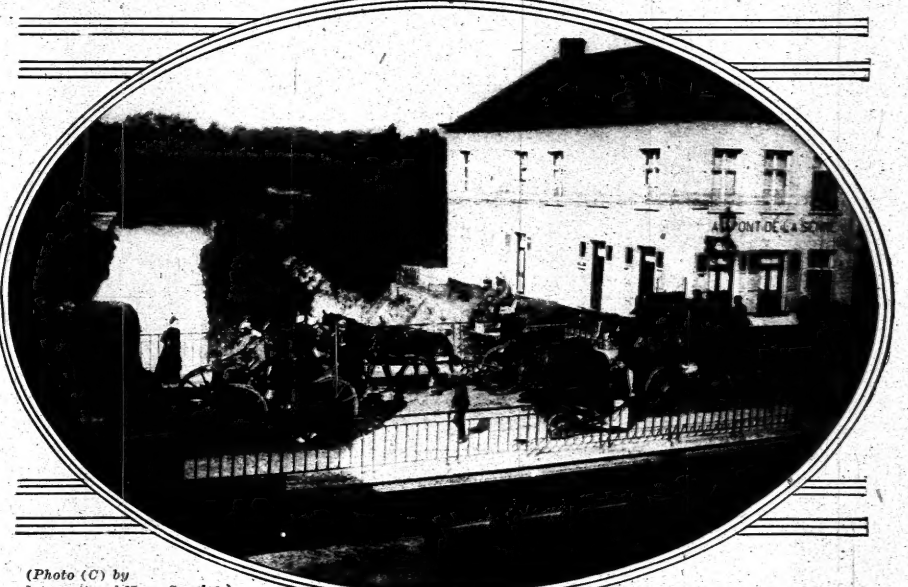
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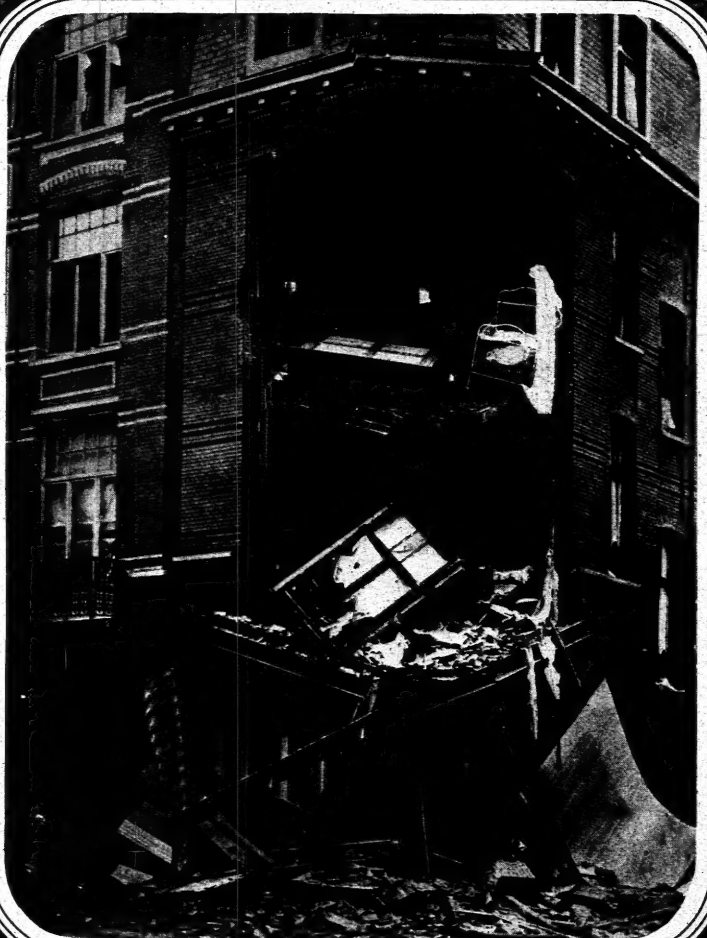


HATLESS AND SLIGHTLY WOUNDED GERMAN PRISONERS OF WAR REACH PORTSMOUTH, ENGLAND

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BELGIAN ARMY IN RETREAT FROM ANTWERP
A Trainload of Infantry and the Belgian Cavalry Accidentally Meeting at the Maldegem Crossing Near Bruges



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HANGING
FROM THE
THIRD FLOOR
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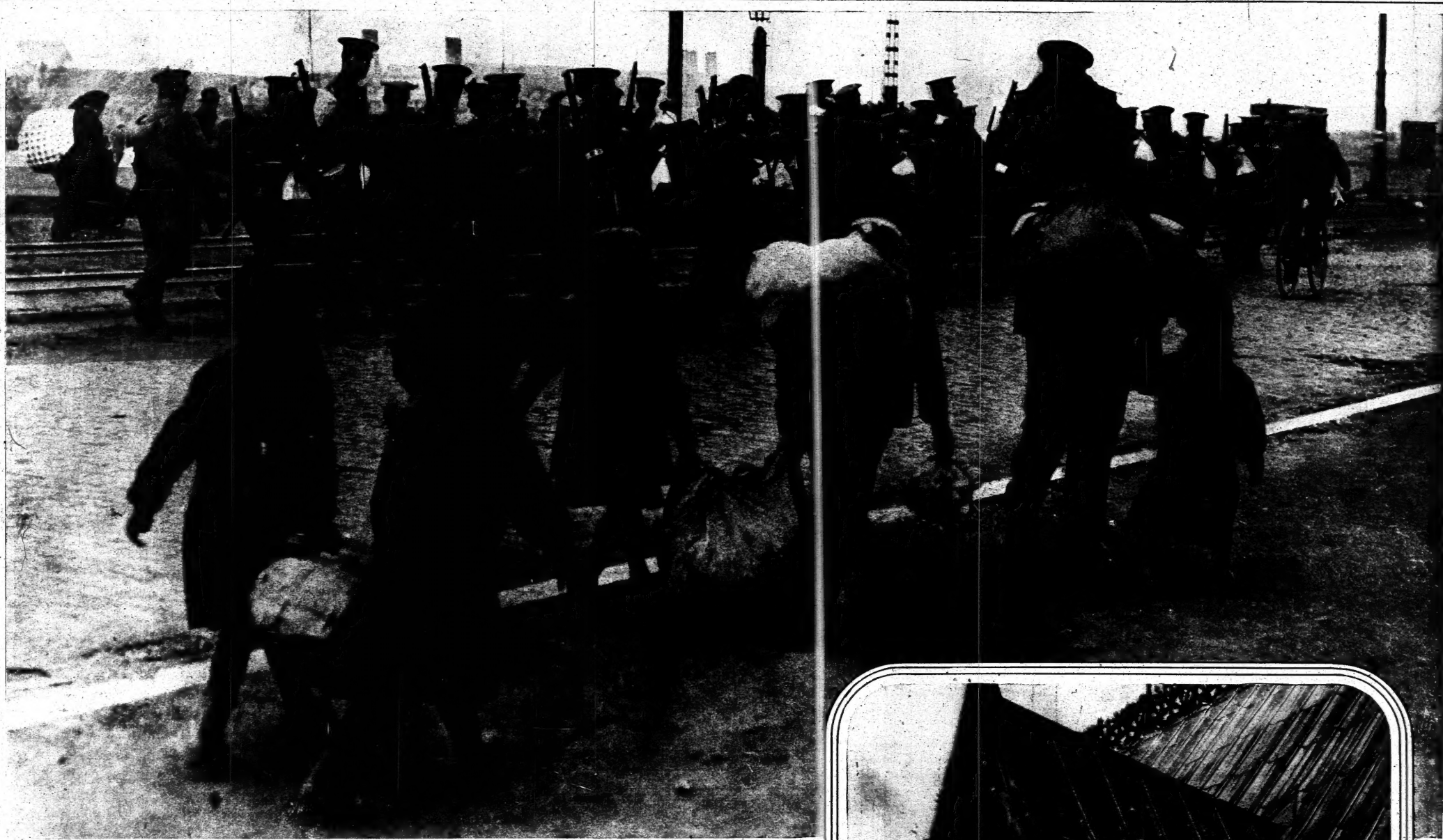
WOUNDED SOLDIERS ON THE JETTY AT OSTEND AWAIT-
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ANTWERP REFUGEES CAMPING IN THE WOODS ON THEIR FLIGHT TO HOLLAND
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COMPANY OF BRITISH SOLDIERS RETREATING FROM GHENT WITH BELGIAN REFUGEES AT THEIR HEELS.

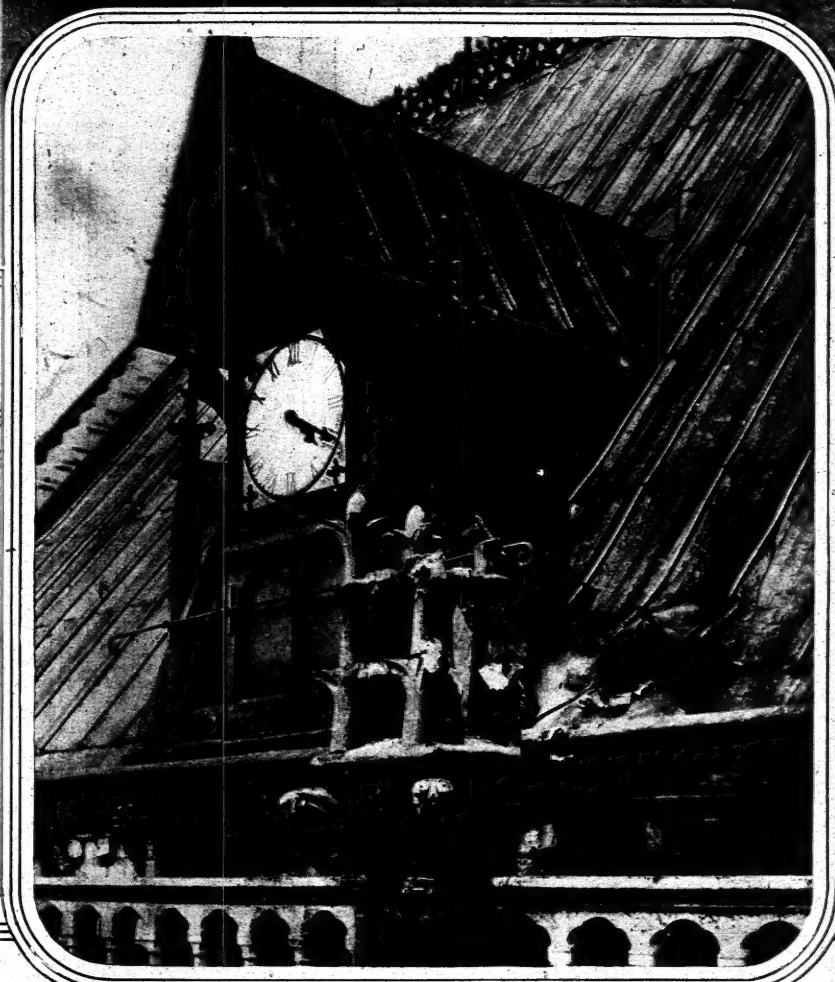
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AGED BELGIAN REFUGEE SEATED IN DESPAIR ON THE QUAY-SIDE AT OSTEND.



LADY DOROTHEA FEILDING. On the Left, Daughter of Lord Denbigh, Who Has Been Warmly Praised for Her Heroic Work in France and Belgium as a Red Cross Nurse.



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BELGIAN FAMILIES IN FLIGHT FROM ANTWERP TO THE DUTCH FRONTIER.



FEEBLE OLD MAN ESCORTED OUT OF ANTWERP BY HIS TWO SONS IN THE BELGIAN ARMY.
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British Marine at Antwerp Making Friends with Refugee Children.

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NUNS AND THEIR CHARGES FROM ANTWERP ON THEIR WAY TO OSTEND.

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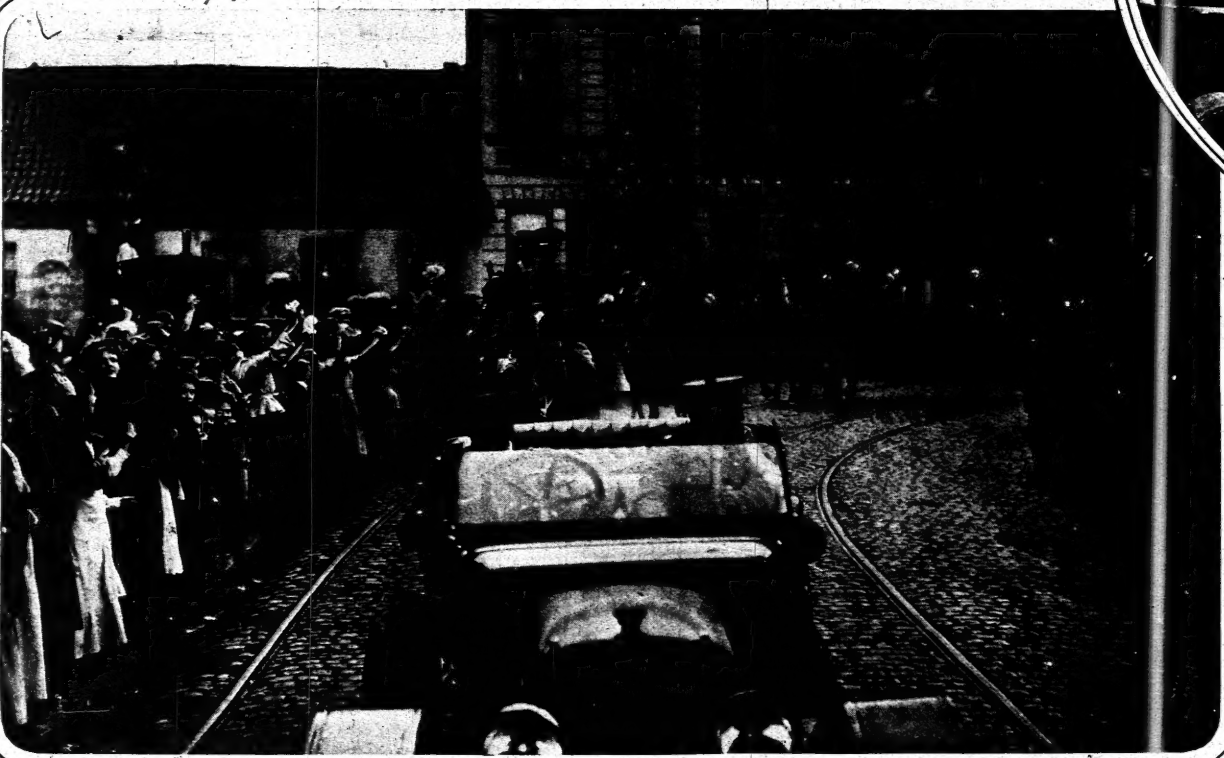


CONCEALED BATTERY, MANNED BY BRITISH MARINES, IN ACTION BEFORE ANTWERP.



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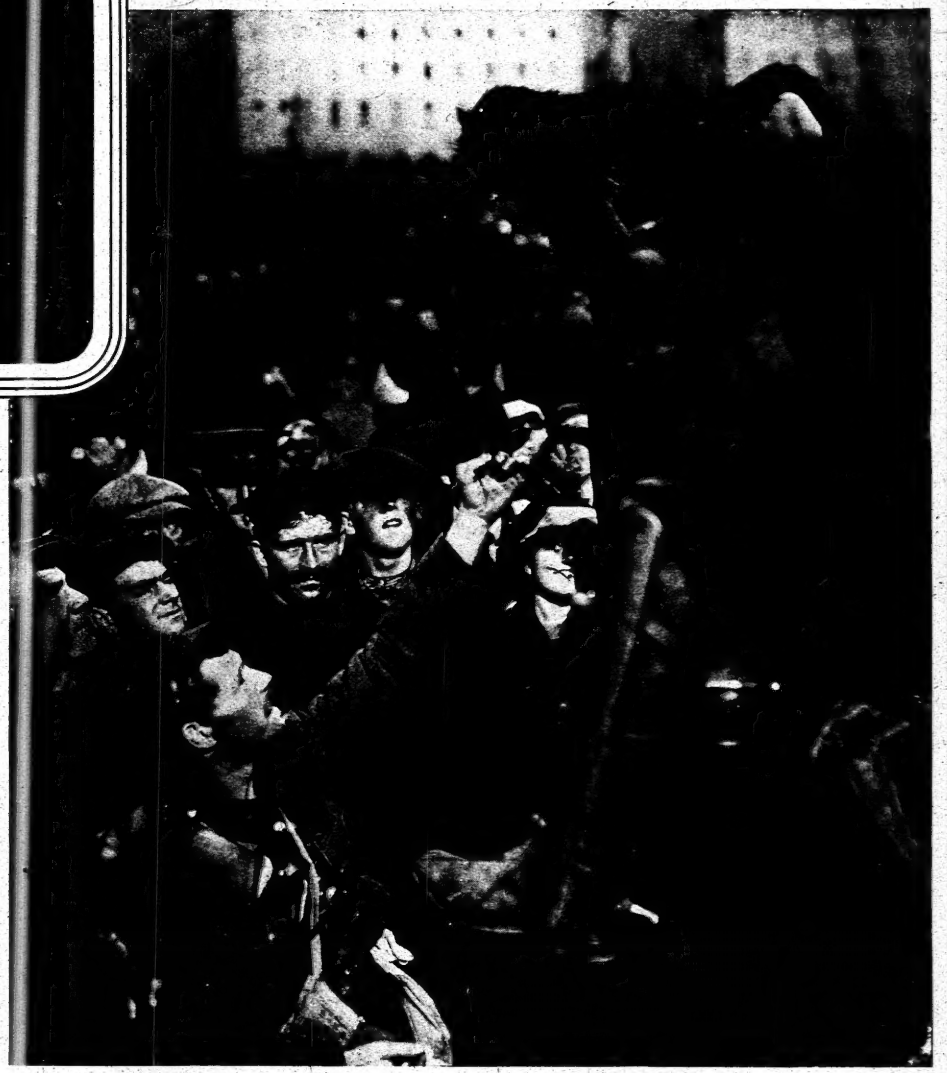
WOUNDED BELGIAN OFFICER, In Charge of an English Red Cross Nurse, Reaches Folkstone, England.



CROWDS CHEERING BRITISH TROOPS IN BELGIUM.
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TOWN OF LIERRE, NEAR ANTWERP, IN FLAMES FROM THE CROSSFIRE OF THE DEFENDERS AND BESIEGERS.



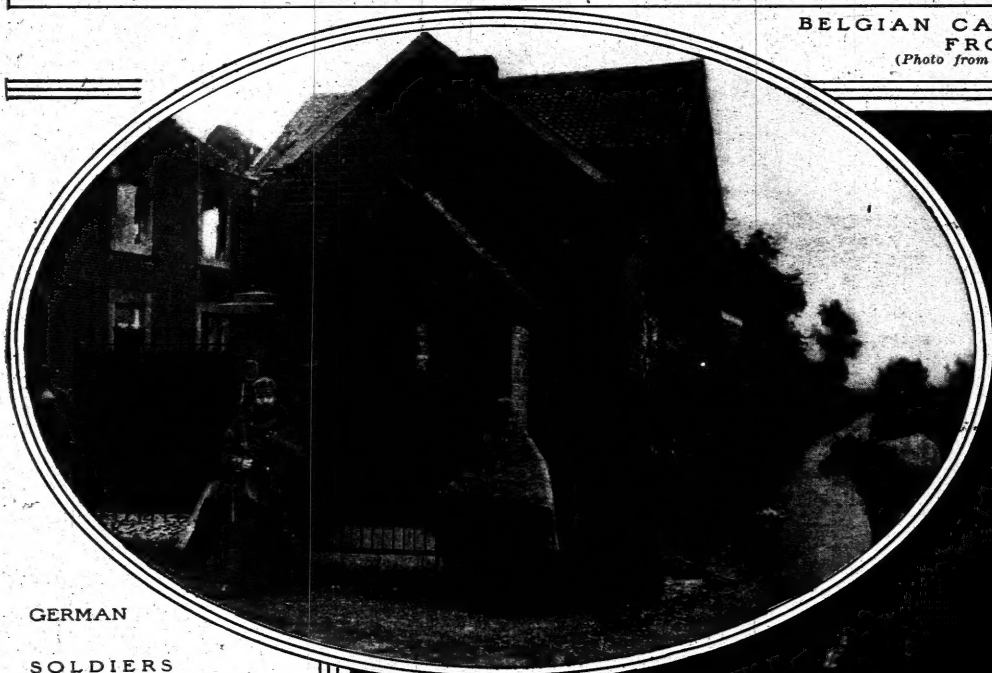
"DINKS," MASCOT OF THE BRITISH ROYAL ENGINEERS, Embarrassed by the Cigar Stumps and Other Unacceptable Gifts Showered on Him.
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BELGIAN CAVALRY IN RETREAT
FROM GHENT.
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GERMAN
CROWN PRINCE,
ON THE RIGHT,
in Consultation with Members of His Staff,
at the Front.

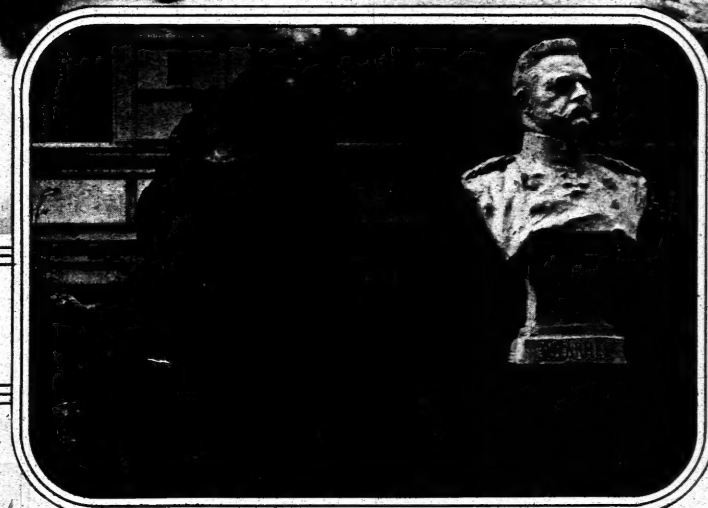


GERMAN
SOLDIERS
BEFORE A
BELGIAN SHRINE
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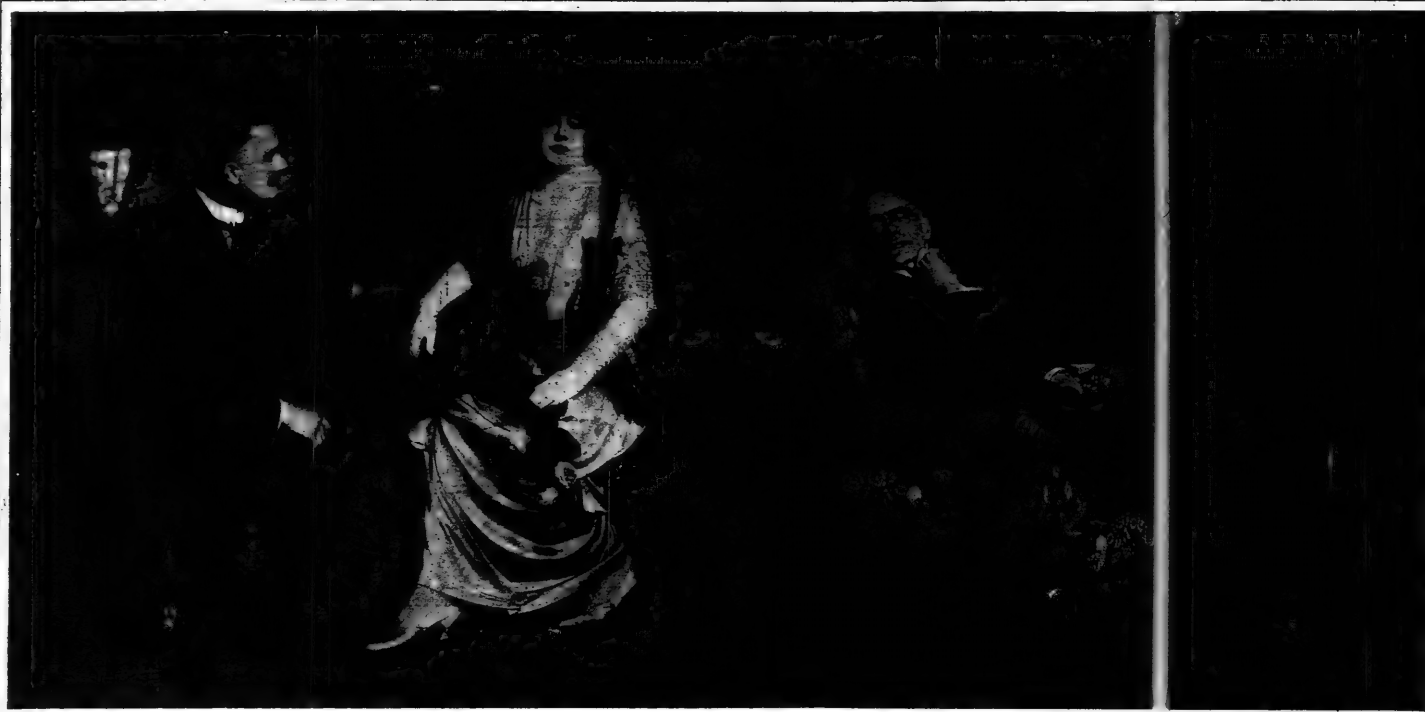


FUNERAL OF A GERMAN OFFICER
ON THE FRENCH FRONTIER.

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BRITISH REINFORCEMENTS DISEMBARKING ON THE CONTINENT
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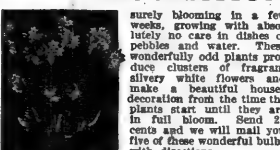
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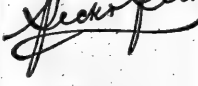
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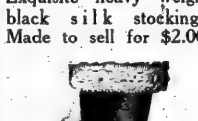
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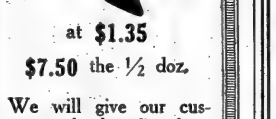


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4,000 CHEER GLYNN AT FINAL RALLY

Great Throng Packs Durland's
Riding Academy for Windup
of the Campaign.

BLACK FLAYS WHITMAN

County Chairman Says District
Attorney Overlooked Jimmy
Marsh's Perjury.

STETSON PRAISES GERARD

And, Rigidly Guthrie's Attack on
Ambassador—Glynn Reviews
His Work.

Four thousand persons packed Durland's Riding Academy at 5 West Sixty-sixth Street last night for the final meeting of the Glynn and Gerard campaign. Noted speakers aroused the enthusiasm of the audience, particularly County Chairman William H. Black, who made a severe attack upon District Attorney Whitman. Other speakers were Secretary of the Treasury William G. McAdoo, Assistant Secretary of the Navy Franklin D. Roosevelt, Jacob H. Schiff, and Francis Lynde Stetson, who represented the independent Democrats and who held up for laughter William D. Guthrie's criticisms of Ambassador Gerard. Gov. Glynn delivered an eloquent address, which was cheered heartily by the great throng.

Gov. Glynn was tired when he came in from Staten Island yesterday afternoon, so tired that he canceled engagements to speak at two east side meetings and to appear in the parade with Mayor Mitchell, but last night he made a final effort and threw all of his strength into his address. Every time his name was mentioned by preceding speakers it was greeted with applause by the audience, and when the Governor himself appeared late in the evening those in the crowd yelled themselves hoarse, notwithstanding the efforts of the Chairman to quiet them. Gov. Glynn tried to wave the throng into silence, but it was many minutes before he was allowed to speak. The crowd began to assemble early and by 8:30 o'clock save for a few seats in the extreme rear of the arena, the great room was filled. A band of 200 Fordham students organized into the Young Men's Glynn League marched in with a file and drum corps and paraded around the hall while the crowd almost drowned the files and drums with cheering. Another line of speakers accompanied the Governor to the hall and there was more music and more noise.

Black Attacks Whitman.

County Chairman Black opened the meeting and promised not to make a speech before introducing the Chairman, but he had certain things to say about District Attorney Whitman, and said them in plain language.

"Let me tell you something that happened in the District Attorney's office," he said. "Last year a man in one of Mr. Whitman's famous graft hunts went before the Grand Jury and swore that he had made a lot of money in stock transactions that he had loaned to some grafter. Mr. Whitman was after Mr. Whitman investigated this case and found the man had not speculated in stocks and had lied to the Grand Jury. When confronted with the facts, the man said, 'I lied to protect a friend,' and he went to the Grand Jury and admitted that he had been a perjurer. But Mr. Whitman whitewashed him. And the man is a man whose picture and posters I have recently seen all over the east side. He is Jimmy Marsh, the Republican candidate for Congress on the east side."

Chairman Black took up Mr. Whitman's business administration of his office and gave figures to prove that the District Attorney was a very extravagant public manager. Then he added: "It may be of course, that Mr. Whitman has some good excuse, but it also may be the real truth that Mr. Whitman has had to employ a lot of Assistant District Attorneys to go all over the State to stir up things to make capital for Mr. Whitman in his race for the Republican nomination for Governor. That is the real explanation."

Chairman Black also took Mr. Whitman's little pink-tinted disclaimer in the morning's papers and said: "It is an unkind thing to say, and I speak only for myself, but I say now that Mr. Whitman has shown himself a bigger liar in this campaign. The word 'big' will be written across his forehead for all time to come, because he is the first man who ever builded his campaign for the Governorship of the State of New York on a lie."

Denunciations Appeal to Bigotry.

"The religious issue has been injected into the campaign," said Mr. Whitman. "I deplore it. I deplore the man who is bringing it forward, and I do not want anything from them." But Mr. Whitman's little pink-tinted disclaimer in the morning's papers satisfies no one. It is an unkind thing to say, and I speak only for myself, but I say now that Mr. Whitman has shown himself a bigger liar in this campaign. The word 'big' will be written across his forehead for all time to come, because he is the first man who ever builded his campaign for the Governorship of the State of New York on a lie."

FIRE BADLY DAMAGES FISH COUNTRY HOME

First Floor of "Rocklows"
Wrecked—Mrs. Fish Directs
Salvage of Valuables.

Rocklows, the country home of Hamilton Fish, one of the show places of Westchester County, on the high bluffs overlooking the Hudson River at Garrison, opposite West Point, was partly destroyed by fire last night.

When the blaze was discovered it was working its way up through the floor of the front hall from the cellar. Mr. and Mrs. Fish were at home and were preparing for dinner.

Mr. Fish sent a call to the volunteer Fire Department at Cold Spring, five miles away, while Mrs. Fish marshaled the servants and chauffeurs and set them to carrying out her valuable paintings, a grandfather's clock, an antique dining room set, and ware linen and silver.

There were no water mains, and the Cold Spring hose cart, which was brought over, towed by an automobile, was useless, and the fire had to be fought with hand extinguishers brought in automobiles by a hundred or more Westchester residents who had seen the flames, and a bucket brigade that remained at work for more than three hours.

The entire first floor was destroyed. Mr. and Mrs. Fish slept last night at the home of Mrs. Fish's parents on an estate near by. They took with them the linen and some of the more valuable paintings and pieces of antique furniture that had been removed before the walls of the dining room and living room were chopped away by the volunteer firemen.

The last of the fire fighters left the Fish estate at 11 o'clock last night.

TRUSTS TO 'WHITE PAPERS'

British Embassy Says on This Evidence America Can Decide.

By Marcel Transatlantic Wireless Telegram to The New York Times.

LONDON, Oct. 31.—R. L. Kelly, writing in The Saturday Review from Wellington Road, Dublin, states he has called the attention of the British Embassy in Washington "to the necessity of an organization similar to that in the German Embassy at Washington for supplying truthful accounts of affairs and answering falsehoods and misstatements so prevalent at present from the German side, as they are carrying on in America a vigorous campaign of calumny and we are doing nothing."

The reply I got was as follows: "We say: As to a British press organization for the purpose of representing our cause to American public opinion, it does not seem necessary, as America is quite capable of deciding the question for herself and of gauging at their real value any German misrepresentations. The New York Times has represented the British and German 'White Books' and the crisis side by side, and the sale has already reached over 50,000. Nothing better than this could be found to show the justice of our cause."

LEAPS TO DEATH IN SUBWAY

Woman Killed by Train Before Crowd at 14th Street.

Several hundred men and women passengers in the Fourteenth Street Subway station saw a young woman leap from the uptown platform in front of a train-bound express train just as it was pulling into the station shortly before 8 o'clock last night. Frank Otten, the motorman, threw on the brakes full force, but the wheels of both the first and second cars passed over her. The woman was killed almost instantly.

Some of the passengers were thrown from their seats and shaken up by the jolt when the brakes were thrown on, and there was a general scramble to get out. The platform became congested and the guards had all they could do to prevent a panic.

A staff on the uptown tracks was at a standstill for twenty minutes while the body was being removed. A. L. Merrick, Superintendent of the Interborough Company, ordered the power turned off five minutes after the accident, and a gang of trammens soon had the first and second cars unhooked from the rest of the train.

Dr. Stevens was summoned in an ambulance from the New York Hospital, but found little to do. The body was taken to the East Twenty-second Street Police Station. There was no mark of identification. The woman was well dressed, about 27 years old, five feet four and one-half inches tall, and weighed 125 pounds. She had dark brown hair and blue eyes, with features of a decided Italian type.

The woman wore a black skirt and jacket, with black plush trimmings, black stockings, tan shoes, white cotton gloves, and a plush hat. Although she carried no pocketbook or money, she was wearing an imitation diamond ring on the second finger of the left hand. There was a monogram on the watch bearing the initials "M. F. C."

EDISON'S NEW NAVAL DEVICE

His Submarine Storage Batteries Meet Preliminary Tests.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—Tests of storage batteries designed by Thomas A. Edison for use in submarine craft, to eliminate danger of suffocation by gases generated by batteries now used, will be concluded within a month at the New York Navy Yard. Navy Department officials here announced tonight that the preliminary tests had been entirely satisfactory.

If the final tests are equally so, new submarines will be equipped with the Edison battery, and whenever an old craft is repaired, and its batteries removed, the new one will be substituted.

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PREPARE TO MEET CRISIS IN MEXICO

Washington Sending Officers
Back to Vera Cruz and Border,
Military Journal Says.

MEXICO CITY A VOLCANO

Fear Expressed That Outbreak
There May Make Intervention
Necessary Any Time.

EXPLAINED AS ROUTINE

War Department Denies That Vera
Cruz Assignments Are Signifi-
cant—Chiefs to Rule Mexico.

That officers of the army and navy now on leave in the United States are being quietly ordered to Vera Cruz or the Mexican border is asserted by The Army and Navy Journal. Mexican conditions, the Journal states, have reached such an acute stage that intervention of some sort by the United States may be forced.

"Reliable advices," says The Journal, "indicate that virtual anarchy prevails in Mexico City. There is such a disturbance in the Mexican capital that well-informed authorities on Mexican affairs would not be surprised to hear that wholesale outrages had already been committed in the city. So far a strict censorship has kept all of the details of the disturbances in the Mexican capital from publication in this country, but without making any special effort to secure an account of what is happening there the State Department can get a full realization of the dangers threatening."

"It is learned that, as a precautionary measure, officers of the army and navy on leave in the United States are being hurried back to Vera Cruz and the Mexican border. This is being done as quietly as possible, so as not to alarm the country or create an impression in Mexico that this Government has any intention of intervening."

"Of course, Secretary of State Bryan has not given up hope of settling the Mexican situation without the use of the army or navy. The administration will so limit its efforts to avoid a clash in Mexico, but it is feared that some outrage may be committed in Mexico City which will arouse the country. 'No hope of the immediate relief of the troops at Vera Cruz, is now entertained at the War Department, and while officers on duty there refuse to discuss the matter, enough is known of the situation to draw the conclusion that more troops would be sent to the border and Vera Cruz if it were not thought that such a move would further complicate the situation."

"It has been decided to keep four battleships, the Kansas, Minnesota, Rhode Island, and Texas, at Vera Cruz until the troops are withdrawn and peace prevails in Mexico. 'Now that there is no immediate prospect of the withdrawal of the troops from Vera Cruz the main program for the rest of the Atlantic Fleet has been arranged and will be carried out without the ships that are left at Vera Cruz."

After the manoeuvres, divisional target practice of the fleet will be held. In the manoeuvres the following ships will participate: New York, Arkansas, Delaware, North Dakota, Utah, South Carolina, Michigan, New Hampshire, Nebraska, New Jersey, Georgia, and Vermont. During this period the Wyoming, Connecticut, Florida, Louisiana, and Virginia will be at the yards overhauling."

The hospital ship Solace has been ordered from Vera Cruz to Norfolk. She will bring all of the patients from Vera Cruz, and will stop at San Domingo, Haiti, and Guantanamo to take aboard the patients at these ports to bring them to the United States. After she arrives in the United States she will go to the yards for an overhauling."

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—Gen. Wotherspoon, Chief of the General Staff and Assistant Secretary of War, today received dispatches from Gen. Fenton regarding conditions at Vera Cruz that were very reassuring to officials of the Government, according to announcement made. The dispatch said that everything was quiet in Vera Cruz, that there was no sign of danger, and that it was not necessary to strengthen or extend the American lines.

This dispatch was in response to an inquiry from the War Department sent on account of news dispatches indicating danger of trouble. Due to the expiration of enlistments and the usual incidents of the service, there are now 1,000 fewer soldiers and marines in Vera Cruz than formerly—an aggregate force of about 6,000, instead of 7,000.

It is true that officers are being sent from time to time to Vera Cruz from this country to fill vacancies caused by illness or otherwise, but this is asserted in official quarters not to imply that there is any increase of forces or that there is any fear over the situation, the officers being sent there in the usual course of routine.

CARRANZA MUST GO FIRST.

Villa's Reply to Chief's Decree Legislating Him Out of Power.

Special to The New York Times.

EL PASO, TEXAS, Oct. 31.—In reply to the action of the Aguascalientes convention in voting to retire both Gen. Carranza and Gen. Villa from power in Mexico, Villa has announced through his press agent that he will not accept the action of the convention.

ITALIAN CABINET HAS ALL RESIGNED

Follow the Lead of the Finance
Minister, Rubini—War
Policy the Cause.

LONDON, Sunday, Nov. 1.—The Italian Cabinet has resigned, according to a dispatch from Rome to Reuters Telegram Company.

Earlier dispatches announced the resignation of Signor Rubini, the Finance Minister, because he was unable to agree with other members of the Cabinet over the measures to be taken to meet the military expenditures.

The Italian Cabinet has suffered from the same division of opinion that exists in the country at large. Italy's neutrality has been approved by the whole Cabinet, but there existed among the Ministers two opinions, as in the country, the one favoring military preparations at any cost, and the other supporting the idea that the risk of Italy becoming involved through these measures was disproportionate to any advantage she might gain.

A definite decision regarding the Minister of Finance, resigned from the Cabinet today.

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SEIZE AYLONA ISLAND.

Italian Admiral Plants a Battery Commanding the Harbor.

LONDON, Oct. 31.—A Stefani Agency dispatch from Rome says: "A semi-official note has been issued stating that the island of Saseno was occupied yesterday by Admiral Patris of the Italian Navy, who disembarked one battery and a company of infantry. The ownership of this island, which commands the entrance to the harbor of Aylona, has long been a matter of dispute between Greece and Albania."

ATTACK TSING-TAU

BY SEA AND LAND

Japanese and British Warships Join in Assault on German Stronghold.

TOKIO, Oct. 31.—The Navy Department announced that the Japanese squadron, assisted by English warships and masked by a mist, approached and vigorously and effectively bombarded the forts at Tsing-tau on Oct. 29. Some of the defence works were destroyed, and on the next day the bombardment was repeated. Only the Kaiser Northeast fort replied to the bombardment.

The funnel of a gunboat was shattered by the Japanese shells.

PEKING, Oct. 31.—A wireless message received in German circles here from Tsing-tau says the naval bombardment of the German position in Kiaochow began today, but makes no mention of a land attack. On the other hand a Japanese report asserts that both a naval and a land attack are now being pushed against the German position.

For several weeks the Germans have been making a noisy military display in their attempts to delay the work of trenching and gun mounting by their sea and land forces. The British forces occupy a position on the front of the attacking German forces in Peking say that Tsing-tau can be captured quickly if the British and Japanese forces are of the opinion that the forts must be silenced first.

BRITISH OFFICIALS GO

ON A SECRET MISSION

Lloyd George, Lord Haldane, and Lord Reading Sent to the Continent.

LONDON, Oct. 31.—The British Government has sent three of its highest officials to the Continent on a most mysterious and important mission. The delegation consists of David Lloyd George, the Chancellor of the Exchequer; Lord Haldane, the Lord Chancellor; and Lord Reading, the Lord Chief Justice.

The destination of this mission is being kept a profound secret, as well as its object. Its importance is evident from its membership, and apparently the business to be transacted concerns both financial and legal matters. Lord Haldane and the Chief Justice, who are Sir Rufus Isaacs before his elevation to the bench, are the most legal light at the English Bar, rank as about the foremost authorities upon the law in the United Kingdom. The most plausible report has it that the three have gone to Holland and possibly will extend their journey to the Scandinavian countries to deal with the matter of the shipment of goods from neutral countries into Germany.

If the statements of the English papers are correct Holland and the three Scandinavian nations are conducting a flourishing trade with Germany through the transshipment of supplies from the United States and even from England. The newspapers of all those countries assert that their importations are for their own needs, while English papers insist that they are receiving consignments of petroleum, grain, and foodstuffs generally which far exceed their normal requirements.

SEAS JACKSONVILLE AND RETURN. Tickets on sale for Southern Railway. Tickets on sale for Southern Railway. Tickets on sale for Southern Railway.

GERMANS SINK A BRITISH CRUISER; GAIN GROUND IN BELGIAN BATTLE; TURKS DEFY ENGLAND, ANNEX EGYPT

TORPEDO SINKS THE HERMES

Light Cruiser Receives
Her Deathblow in the
Straits of Dover.

MOST OF HER MEN SAVED

Two Killed, Nine Injured, and
About Forty Missing, the
Casualty List.

SIXTH SUBMARINE VICTIM

Latest British Naval Loss Occurs
in Narrow Stretch of
Water Off Calais, France.

LONDON, Oct. 31, 11:10 P. M.—The enterprise of German submarines, which have been lurking along the French coast in the Straits of Dover, seeking to get a shot at British ships engaged in bombarding the German positions in Belgium, was rewarded today when one of them attacked and sank the light cruiser Hermes as she was returning from Dunkirk.

Two men killed, nine injured, and about forty missing represent the casualties resulting from the sinking of the Hermes. The exact number of missing is not known.

The Hermes was a comparatively old vessel, and from a naval viewpoint was of no great value, but the fact that she was attacked so near home indicates that the German submarines must have a base somewhere on that part of the Belgian coast which is occupied by German troops, from which they can menace ships of the Allies passing between England and France. Only a few days ago one of them sank the French steamer Admiral Gantheaume, which was carrying refugees from Calais.

How many submarines the Germans have in these waters is not known, but several of them have been seen recently. When ships are guarded by torpedo-boat destroyers, as are those engaged in bombarding the German positions, they are comparatively safe, but the opportunity of the submarines comes when one is caught alone, as was the Hermes.

The Secretary to the Admiralty tonight gave out this official report of the sinking of the cruiser: "The old cruiser Hermes, Capt. C. R. Lamb, was sunk today by a torpedo fired by a German submarine in the Straits of Dover as she was returning from Dunkirk. Nearly all the officers and crew were saved, but the exact loss cannot be ascertained until the men are mustered. The loss of the vessel is of small military significance."

The Hermes, which was a light cruiser of 5,600 tons displacement and a sister ship of the Highflyer, with the ship that sank the converted German cruiser Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, was built since 1906, and was commanded by a crew of 450 officers and men. Her loss brings the total British warship loss, due to successful submarine attacks on the part of the Germans, to six vessels of which three were armored cruisers.

The total loss in tonnage to the British fleet from submarine attacks is now 44,392 tons. Added to this the light cruiser Amphion, which was sent to the bottom by a German mine, and the British naval loss totals 49,730 tons. The money cost of the ships that were torpedoed by submarines totals about \$15,000,000. They were manned by 2,912 officers and men, and of these, more than 2,000 were lost when the ships went down.

The first of the British ships sunk by a submarine was the scout cruiser Pathfinder, which was torpedoed on Sept. 7 in the North Sea. She was a cruiser of the same general type as the American scout cruisers Birmingham, Chester, and Salem, and carried 208 officers and men.

Deadly Work of the U. S.

Fifteen days later, on Sept. 22, came the wonderful attack that resulted in the loss of the armored cruisers Aboukir, Cressy, and Hogue, vessels of 12,900 tons displacement each, and each manned by 700 officers and men, and each of them a \$3,750,000 vessel. A single submarine, the U. S., accomplished the destruction of these ships, and the commander of those ships, and the commandant Weddigen, as a result of his feat, became the popular naval hero of all Germany.

A few days ago the Times printed an account of Weddigen's emotions when he was sending those ships with their crews of more than 2,000 men to the bottom of the North Sea. Weddigen said he was almost ready to let the Cressy stay afloat in order that she might be used as a floating battery.

Summary of War News.

The British Admiralty announces that the light cruiser Hermes has been sunk by a German submarine in the Straits of Dover. Nearly all the officers and crew have been saved.

The Allies were forced to yield ground in Belgium yesterday before fierce attacks by the Germans, who captured two towns to the south of Ypres. The French report says some ground was regained later.

Berlin reports that French counter attacks have been repulsed with severe losses.

The Russians report that the plan of the Austro-German Army to break through the centre of the Russian forces has failed after five days of severe fighting. The Germans are said to have suffered immense losses, and the Russian Army is now advancing in several districts on the East Prussian front.

The German report states that the battle in the eastern theatre of war has not yet been decided, and that the Russians are slowly following the German forces, which are being "regrouped" to the west of Warsaw.

The Austrians announce that the advance of the Russian forces along the Rivers San and Stryl have been repulsed with severe losses to the enemy. The total number of prisoners interned in Austria up to Oct. 28 is said to number 649 officers and 73,179 men.

The allied powers have asked Turkey for an explanation of the bombardment of Russian seaports by the Porte's ships, which is looked upon as giving the Porte another chance to keep out of the conflict. However, it is announced in London that as the Porte has broken off relations with the British Embassy it is necessary to take steps for the protection of British territory and Egypt.

A news dispatch states that the Russian fleet has attacked the Turkish warships in the Black Sea.

BRITAIN ADMITS

TURKISH BREAK

Foreign Office Statement Denies It and Alleges Systematic Intrigue.

GERMAN AGENT IN SYRIA

Inflammatory Document Probably Circulated in India Also

—End of Turkey Predicted.

LONDON, Oct. 31.—The Foreign Office tonight issued a long statement dealing with the situation in Turkey and the protests made by the British Ambassador against what he alleged were breaches of neutrality by Turkey, especially in connection with the former German cruisers Goeben and Breslau.

The statement quotes the note addressed by the Sublime Porte to the powers, in which the Ottoman Government declared its neutrality, and the note communicated by the British Ambassador to the Porte, in which he complained of a number of breaches of neutrality.

As Turkey shut off communication with the British Embassy yesterday (Friday), the British Government, considering this a prelude to further acts of aggression, declares its intention to take action to protect British interests and British territory, and in spite of increasing breaches of neutrality on the part of the Turkish Government at Constantinople in the case of German vessels in the Straits.

On Thursday, Oct. 29, the British Government learned with the utmost regret that Turkish ships of war had, without any declaration of war, without warning and without provocation of any sort, made wanton attacks upon open and undefended towns in the Black Sea of a friendly country, thus committing an unprecedented violation of the most ordinary rules of international law, comity, and usage.

Turkish Attitude Surprising.

"Ever since the German warships Goeben and Breslau took refuge in Constantinople the attitude of the Turkish Government toward Great Britain has caused surprise and some uneasiness. The promises made by the Turkish Government to send away the German officers and crews of the Goeben and Breslau never have been fulfilled."

"It was well known that the Turkish Minister of War was decidedly pro-German in his sympathies, but it was confidently hoped that the sane counsels of his colleagues, who had had experience of the friendship which Great Britain has always shown toward the Turkish Government, would have prevailed and prevented that Government from entering upon the very risky policy of taking part in the conflict on the side of Germany."

"Since the war German officers in large numbers have invaded Constantinople, have usurped the authority of the Government, and have been able to coerce the Sultan's Ministers into taking part in the policy of aggression."

"Great Britain, as well as France and Russia, has watched these proceedings patiently, protesting against any acts which have been constantly."

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SEVASTOPOL SHELLED BY TURKISH CRUISER

Russian Fleet Attacks Turkish
Fleet Near That Port—
Result Not Known.

AMSTERDAM, Oct. 31.—A Turkish cruiser has bombarded Sevastopol, in the Crimea, according to a dispatch from Constantinople to The Frankfurter Zeitung.

The following official telegram from Constantinople is published by the Frankfurter Zeitung: "A small part of the Turkish fleet in the Black Sea on Thursday sank the Russian mine-layer Prut, a vessel of 5,000 tons, which had aboard 700 mines; damaged a Russian troop-boat, and seized a collier."

"A torpedo fired from the torpedo-boat Halret-i-Millet sank the Russian gunboat Kubanetz. The Maunet-i-Millet torpedoed a Russian coastguard ship, which was severely damaged."

"Three Russian officers were saved by us and imprisoned."

"The Turkish fleet suffered no loss, and the battle was successfully continued."

A dispatch from Berlin announces that telegrams from Turkey say that the Turkish fleet, in the battle with the Russian Black Sea fleet, previously reported, sank not two, but four torpedo boats and one gunboat.

LONDON, Oct. 31.—An official message has been received at Rome from Constantinople, according to a dispatch to the Central News Agency, announcing that the Russian fleet has attacked the Turkish fleet near Sevastopol.

Details of the battle are lacking. The Petrograd correspondent of Reuters Telegram Company sends the following dispatch: "The Russian gunboat Kubanetz put up a fight against a Turkish torpedo-boat which entered Odessa harbor and attacked merchant ships. The Kubanetz finally drove the Turkish boats off. The torpedo-boats entered the harbor and fired all their guns. Shells struck the Kubanetz, tearing away her wooden superstructure, while steamers in the harbor and warships on shore torpedoes the Kubanetz, but failed."

The passengers and crew of the steamer Yalta, which was sunk, were saved, and most of the crew of the Kasbek, which was also sunk, got away on rafts."

Surprise Attack on Odessa.

PETROGRAD, Oct. 31. (Dispatch to The London Times).—An Odessa correspondent writes that additional details of the Turkish attack on that town. The steamer Portugal afforded an excellent target for the enemy's torpedo boat, which was well informed respecting the anchorages of the vessels in port. Suddenly the torpedo boat fired four times into the port side of the Portugal, making four holes above the water-line. The shelling of the vessels was effected with unusual rapidity.

Without having extinguished a single searchlight, the hostile torpedo boat seemingly passed without being noticed the head of the new mole into Kastanay. For fire which day, the Russian gunboat Kubanetz. The torpedo boat opened fire simultaneously from both sides on the gunboat and on other shipping. The wooden superstructure of the gunboat and the bridge were carried away and a hole made above the water line. Two torpedoes were discharged at the hull of the steamer Yalta. A shell was fired at the steamer Vampoa and pierced the hull near the engine room, exploded, and fragments passed through the partition and ripped off the sheathing of a cylinder.

Harbor Launch No. 2, thinking that some accident had occurred to the torpedo boat of whose identity it apparently was ignorant, approached. When a hand grenade was hurled by the Turks, killing some Russian seamen. Two shells fell on the warehouse, damaging the roof and causing other damage. Nevertheless the fire from the Kubanetz compelled the steamer to withdraw after fruitlessly discharging a final torpedo. The torpedo boat was then seen to depart, and it is therefore surmised that she was badly injured.

On board the Portugal a stewardess and a baker were killed by the shells.

ALLIES' LINES ASSAILED

Germans Take Town Near
Nieuport But Are
Driven Back.

SUCCESS NEAR SOISSONS

Berlin Says Allies Were Driven
Over the Aisne and 1,000
Were Taken Prisoners.

FIGHTING ROUND VERDUN

Kaiser's Troops Have Been Re-
inforced for Fresh Campaign
to Gain French Ports.

BERLIN, Oct. 31, (via Amsterdam and London).—A report received today from German Army Headquarters says:

Our army in Belgium yesterday occupied Ramskapelle (two and one-half miles southeast of Nieuport) and Priescheon, and our attacks on Ypres are progressing. Zandvoorde, Chateau Hollebeke, and Wambeke have been stormed.

Further south we also have gained ground to the east of Soissons. The enemy has been attacked, and during the day chased from several strongly fortified positions to the north of Vailly (east of Soissons) which was stormed during the afternoon, the enemy retreating across the River Aisne and suffering severe losses. We captured 1,000 prisoners and two machine guns.

RUSSIANS CHECK FURIOUS ATTACKS

Germans Have Suffered Great Losses on East Prussian Line, Petrograd Reports.

CONTINUE POLAND RETREAT

Berlin Says Russians Are Slowly Following and Troops Are Being "Regrouped."

VIENNA CLAIMS SUCCESS

With the Capture of Several Russian Positions and a Victory on the Border of Bukovina.

PETROGRAD, Oct. 31.—The following official communication was issued from general headquarters to-night:

On the east Prussian front the plan for breaking through the center of our fortified position around Bakalargewo, projected by the enemy has failed. During five days of unsuccessful attacks, the Germans suffered immense losses. In many places the great accumulations of German dead in front of our trenches caused a moderation of the attack. Our troops have progressed in several districts on the East Prussian front.

"Beyond the Vistula we occupy strongly the towns of Gostynin, Lebowitz, Lobs, and Ostrowiec. In Galicia the fighting continues without any essential change in the situation."

BERLIN, Oct. 31. (via Amsterdam and London).—An official report given out by German Army Headquarters says: "The battle in the northeastern war theatre till now has not been decided. To the west of Warsaw the Russians are slowly following our troops, which are now being regrouped."

AMSTERDAM, (via London), Oct. 31.—An official dispatch from Vienna dated today noon says: "Near the Galician-Bukovina frontier, north of Kut, a mixed Russian column was defeated yesterday."

"In Middle Galicia our troops have occupied Russian positions northeast of Turka, near Stry, Sambor, east of Przemyśl and on the lower San. Several Russian attacks around Lisko have been repulsed. At Lisko, Stry, Sambor and other points hundreds of Russians have been captured."

"The operation in the Polish Poland yesterday passed without fighting."

The following Austrian official statement was given out in Vienna on Friday noon: "There was no fighting yesterday in Russian Poland."

"On the lower San (Galicia) strong hostile forces which crossed the river south of Lisko were repulsed, after severe fighting. Near Stry and Sambor our artillery has blown up a Russian ammunition depot. All hostile attacks on the heights west of Stry and Sambor have been repulsed. In the district northeast of Turka our attacking troops occupied several important positions on heights which the enemy was forced to evacuate precipitately. Our Landsturm captured numerous prisoners in these engagements."

"The total number of prisoners interned in Austria-Hungary on Oct. 28 was 490 officers and 73,000 men, not including the prisoners taken in the battles last week."

BERLIN, Oct. 31. (by Wireless to Sayville, L. I.).—The only dispatch from the Polish front is the authoritative confirmation of the prevailing impression in Berlin that the German onslaught on the Warsaw fortress was in full swing when the retirement of the German forces was ordered.

It is pointed out that the German attack would scarcely have been directed against this fortified position after strong Russian forces had arrived at points to the south of the city and Warsaw. These naturally must be the first object of attack.

The following was contained in the information given out for the press in official quarters today: "The opening of naval hostilities by Turkey promises to divert the attention of the Russian forces which have been campaigning in Poland, where they were able to concentrate superior forces against the armies of Germany and Austria."

"Special dispatches to newspapers from the Serbian front report that an entire Serbian regiment under Colonel Ivanoff walked into a trap at Vlasgrad. They had been informed previously that the Serbians still occupied this place. This was not so, and the regiment was quickly surrounded and surrendered without resistance."

"The General Staff of the Austro-Hungarian Army reports significantly that there was no fighting in the Russian Poland. This shows that the Austro-German forces have been successful in freeing themselves from the enemy, a manoeuvre which permitted them to make new dispositions of their troops without disturbance."

GERMANS FALL BACK IN ORDER

British Government's Observer Describes Retreat in Poland.

LONDON, Oct. 31.—Prof. Bernard Pares, the British Government correspondent with the Russian army, telegraphs under date of Oct. 30 the following account of the battle around Warsaw, which is issued by the Official Press Bureau:

"I have spent some days at Warsaw and have examined the scenes of the recent fighting as far as beyond Skierskiewice. The Russian river line of defense ran along the Niemn, Babr, Narow, Middle Vistula, and the Dnieper."

The Germans had not previously tested seriously the strength of the center of this line, and the Russian reports issued had so far only spoken of a northern and southern front. Warsaw lay beyond the defensive river line. A rapid seizure of the city before the winter rains would have greatly strengthened the Russian northern front and would have endangered Russian occupation of Galicia. It would also have created a moral effect on the Poles and they might have supported any proposals to negotiate."

The Germans advanced principally from the south in a region largely left in their hands. The German army corps reached a line southeast of Bialystok, and at Pruszkow they were little more than six miles from Warsaw."

"The cannonade shook houses in the city. German aeroplanes dropped bombs near the railroad bridges, the quarters of the General Staff, and elsewhere, killing over 100 persons but not achieving their object. The people were much exasperated, and some of them went out to the scene of the fighting."

The brunt of the defense fell on two Russian corps, especially on one which included the Siberian troops. These had to oppose three German corps. Splendid work was done at Pruszkow."

THE WAR SITUATION.

BY THE MILITARY EXPERT OF THE NEW YORK TIMES (An Associate Editor of The Army and Navy Journal.)

Yesterday's official dispatches from France gave the positions occupied by their troops in greater detail than for some time past. When taken in conjunction with the reports from Berlin, the operations of the last few days may be outlined with some confidence.

The rapid thirty-mile advance of the French and English to Roulers at the beginning of last week made the Germans feel that their lines at Lille were to some extent threatened by the salient position of the Allies.

In order to dislodge the latter, the Germans took the indirect method of attacking on the flanks of the salient. While pushing the attacks that carried their forces across the Yser, they also brought such pressure to bear upon the French position from Menin to Roulers that they were able to drive back this part of the line five miles to a position through Hollebeke, just south of Ypres. It is noteworthy that the dispatches from Paris have continually claimed successes in this region, while their line has been driven back.

Between Lille and Soissons the week's fighting has left the opposing forces without appreciable change. The German report that they have driven the British back across the Aisne at Vailly, ten miles east of Soissons, shows a local success that does not yet affect the general situation.

In the district southeast of Verdun the French have been making strenuous efforts to dislodge the Germans from their occupation of the Cotes de Meuse. Both sides have claimed success in this district almost every day, but the real changes of the week are very slight.

The French advance from Toul has been held fast on the line from Ailly, on the Meuse, two miles south of St. Mihiel, to Pagny, on the Moselle, twelve miles south of Metz. To the north of St. Mihiel the Germans have made a small gain by pushing the French back from the position at Hatton Chatel, where they threaten the German line of communications.

Along the French border east of Nancy and in Upper Alsace the French have made important gains. East of Nancy they have again reached the German border, while in Upper Alsace they have advanced ten miles into German territory.

This whole battle line from Switzerland to the North Sea is now engaged in a deadlock that seems unlikely to have a decisive outcome until one side or the other has made a decided gain in the strength of its forces. This can be done by Germany only by sacrificing her campaign against Russia, a most dangerous proceeding in view of the efficiency of the Russian troops, as shown in the recent operations in Poland.

By such a hazardous move Germany could add to her armies in France sufficient strength to overcome for a time the advantage that is now held by the Allies. If such is her policy, the exact move that she will adopt cannot be definitely predicted.

Two points stand out as the most likely locations of powerful attacks, if Germany should adopt a strong aggressive policy in the west. The position at St. Mihiel and the bridge across the Meuse River would not have been maintained at such costs and such risks unless the German General Staff had figured on making

and also by the Siberian regiment at Raskin. Here the Germans played the Russian advance and placed machine guns on the roof of a church. The inhabitants of the village, who were refrained from returning the fire from the church. The regiment lost its Colonel, many other officers, and 250 men, but held good until reinforced. Several Russian corps arrived, and the Germans then drove the Germans back in successive rearward engagements, which lasted, in all, eighteen days. The country up to several miles west and south of Lodz and Skierskiewice has now been recaptured.

The Germans in these operations seized provisions and some valuables and committed minor atrocities, but the country has in no way an aspect of devastation. The population is strongly for Russia, and offers every service to the Russian soldiers.

In Warsaw great enthusiasm prevails, with a very striking difference from the attitude before the war and the Grand Duke's appeal.

The Germans in retreating made clear work of the bridges, railways, and stores. There is every sign of a deliberate and well-executed retreat. Fewer prisoners were taken than in the case of the Austrians, the wounded being for the most part carried away.

The Russian artillery worked with great precision and efficiency. Russian infantry after artillery preparation, delivered attacks throughout. There is no sign of any likelihood of further German aggression on this side before Winter, but there is always a possibility of conflict in the winter ward, where the Russians need to secure and complete their conquest of Galicia, and the enemy has to guard his base of joint action between Germany and Austria."

NO RUSSIAN WINTER QUARTERS

Czar's Forces Propose to Carry On Campaign Despite Weather.

SPECIAL CABLE TO THE NEW YORK TIMES. LONDON, Oct. 31.—The Standard's correspondent at Petrograd wiring on Friday, says:

"There is good authority for stating that the Russian Army will not go into winter quarters, but will pursue the campaign without a break no matter what the weather."

Poland and East Prussia may be cold in winter, but their climate is mild compared with some parts of Russia, and the Russian Army after its experience in the winter campaign against Japan has no fear of being unduly hampered by the weather in the present operations."

GERMAN VILLAINS POPULAR.

Up-to-date War Stories the Rage Among British Youngsters.

SPECIAL CABLE TO THE NEW YORK TIMES. LONDON, Oct. 31.—German villains are now much in demand among young Britons, as a result of which the Deadwood, Dick type of American literature, which has been popular here for a long time, especially among messenger boys, has received a mortal blow. According to a well-known newspaper in the Strand, it is necessary to substitute German villains for the Indian, Portuguese and Hindu entirely savor of war. The heroes are of the aloof, forceful, principled type being taken by British sailors and soldiers.

Many of these stories appear weekly, with the plots based on the latest engagements. If one may judge by the popularity of them, Germans are extremely popular villains.

BRUSSELS BUILDINGS MINED.

Maeterlinck Expresses Fear for the Town Hall and Cathedral.

PARIS, Oct. 31.—Maurice Maeterlinck, the Belgian author, reviewing the phases of the war in Belgium in the Figaro, expresses fear for the fate of the Grand Place (Market Place), the Hotel de Ville, the Town Hall, and the Cathedral of Brussels.

He says he knows from a sure source that the city is mined, and that only a spark is needed to reduce them to debris.

An important use of this route for an advance at some early date.

The other probable point of vigorous fighting is to the westward, where the Germans would make an important gain in the strength of their position if they could drive the Allies south of Amiens. This would give the Germans a short and direct line through Amiens to the coast, which could be held by a smaller force, which is now required to maintain their extended line in the north. They would then be enabled to divert the surplus troops to other operations, such as a turning movement through St. Mihiel or through Belfort against the south flank of the Allies.

The Allies are evidently waiting until every preparation is made before changing their plan of operations. They would have no great difficulty in putting in the field far greater numbers than they now have at the front. Their delay seems to be due to efforts to make special provision for feeding and clothing their men and supplying them with heavy guns and ammunition to cope with the German artillery.

It is probable that the ordnance shops of France and Great Britain are straining every resource to turn out quickly big guns similar to those that have done such effective work for the Germans.

Local successes have little influence on the outcome because the opposing troops merely drop back and construct a new line of intrenchments a few miles to the rear. Important successes can be gained only by starting with a local success and then following it up by vigorous attacks in force that will keep pushing the enemy back until their troops become disorganized. Up to this point the operations are always much more costly for the assailants; it is in the succeeding operations against disorganized troops that the losses of the defenders pile up rapidly.

In fact, a battle without vigorous pursuit can have little real effect on the outcome of a war. Such fighting results only in a war of exhaustion which is necessarily long drawn out, as was shown by the civil war in this country.

The Russians continue their policy of hammering at the north flank of the Austro-German forces that are confronting them on the line from Lodz to the Vistula. In Galicia, the East Prussian border, is at a standstill, and has little influence on the outcome of the great battle in Poland and Galicia.

Petrograd reports say that the German flank has now been driven back to Lodz, eighty miles southwest of Warsaw. This move has in turn exposed the center, which has been forced to fall back to Radom, thirty miles from the Vistula. In Galicia, both sides claim successes in the fighting along the San River, but the net result seems to be without influence upon the outcome of the fighting.

From Petrograd the line of battle extends almost due south through Novomiasno, Staromiasno to Turka, on the northern slope of the Carpathians. Russia is evidently attempting only defensive operations in Galicia, while she is trying to make sure of success against the Germans southwest of Warsaw. This is the line of action that promises the greatest advantages if she is successful.

AEROPLANES TO CARRY LIFE LINE TO WRECK

Novel Plan Suggested to Save 30 Persons Still on Stranded Hospital Ship.

WHITEBY, England, (via London), Oct. 31.—At a late hour tonight it was estimated that between thirty and forty exhausted survivors were still clinging to the wreckage of the British hospital ship Rohilla, which crashed on the rocks near here early yesterday morning.

At times the wreck was entirely submerged by the heavy seas that threatened the vessel. All efforts to establish connection with the shore by means of rockets failed.

Several persons who jumped or were swept overboard from the wreckage tried to swim ashore. Most of them were drowned, but a few succeeded in reaching safety, being aided by men who waded out and hauled them to land. Several survivors put off from the wreck on improvised rafts, but with one exception all were washed off and drowned. One raft which drifted past the piers to Sand Head was overtaken by a lifeboat, but only one of those aboard the raft was saved.

It is said that an aeroplane is coming from Hull to try to get a life line to the vessel.

CHINESE TROOPS ANGRY.

At Odds with Japanese, Berlin Hears—Offer Aid in Shantung.

LONDON, Sunday, Nov. 1.—The following German official statement has been received from Berlin by the Marconi Wireless Telegraph Company:

"The tension between the Chinese and Japanese troops is extremely great. Japan has advised the President of China that Japanese warships will suppress the revolutionary movement in Shantung Province."

FRENCH HOSPITALS TOO FEW.

Experienced Surgeons and Nurses Also Needed to Cope with Needs.

LONDON, Oct. 31.—The hospital accommodations in Northern France are insufficient to cope with the number of wounded being received, according to a medical correspondent of The Times. Writing from Boulogne, the correspondent says:

"The hospitals are full, but the stream of wounded continues and will continue. The plain facts are that the hospital accommodations in Northern France are insufficient to cope with the number of wounded being received, according to a medical correspondent of The Times. Writing from Boulogne, the correspondent says:

"There is a serious lack of efficient and experienced surgeons and nurses. A great majority of the wounds treated are caused by shrapnel. They become infected and demand the most thorough treatment of the most thorough character. With these cases time is a big factor. It is dangerous in most cases to subject the patient to a long trip to England."

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BELIEVES THE BOER REBELS ARE BEATEN

Cape Town Observer Says Only De Wet Remains to be Dealt With.

HERTZOG'S PEACE ERRAND

Believed to be Working to induce Free Staters to Lay Down Their Arms.

SPECIAL CABLE TO THE NEW YORK TIMES. CAPE TOWN, Oct. 31. (Dispatch to the London Morning Post).—Notwithstanding the extreme reticence of the Government news from the northern provinces, the majority opinion here is that the crisis has been passed, and this time definitely. This does not mean that the danger is ended. That cannot be said till De Wet's commando has been broken up.

The Government's vigorous action and the extensive support which it is receiving from the Dutch will make the waverers realize what rebellion means. The disloyals are much in the minority. Superiority in leadership and supplies, particularly of arms and ammunition, is on the side of the Government.

Further, if De Wet, Beyers, and other leaders, whose names are known here, though they are not mentioned in official statements, cannot raise the people against the Government, nobody can. The forces of the Government are broken and in flight. Only De Wet remains in the field, and Dutchmen here believe that Hertzog is sincerely attempting to persuade the Free Staters of De Wet's commando to lay down their arms. Hertzog is a fanatic, but it is asserted, an honest fanatic, and where his inordinate personal vanity is not touched has great native shrewdness.

Advices from the southern and eastern parts of the province are favorable. One correspondent says that there are two parties only in these districts: those who are determined to support the Government and those who are desirous of protection. They may wait till the Government peace. The danger zone is the northern part of the Orange Free State, where De Wet is in the field. He has actually forced Englishmen to join his commando.

As regards the Transvaal, my information suggests that the Government has the situation well in hand. Too little attention has been given here to the evidence of the Government's confidence in the speedy restoration of order.

SALES IN EARLY NOVEMBER

at the Anderson Galleries

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BOOKS on Napoleon and the French Revolution collected by the late Albert Stickney of New York, and Scarce Books and Fine Sets from the Library of Mrs. C. Wilson of New York, and other consignors. To be sold Wednesday and Thursday Afternoons, November 4 and 5.

ART—Two Collections of European and Oriental Art Objects consigned by Andrew Jackson of New Rochelle, N. Y., William L. Richard of Shanghai, China, and the Estate of Dr. F. F. Sellow of New York and others. Embracing Miniatures, European and Oriental Porcelains, Bronzes, Cloisonne Enamels, Carvings, Crystals, Jades and Carved Teakwood and Modern Furniture. The Richard consignment forming Part II of this sale, was formerly the property of His Excellency Soy Tseng, ex-Viceroy of Wuchang, a famous connoisseur in Oriental Art. These Collections are now on Public Exhibition and will be sold without restrictions on the afternoons of November 6 and 7.

BOOKS from the Library of Mr. J. F. Lovejoy of Pittsburgh, Pa., and other sources. One of the most important book sales of the season. Five Books once owned by Keats, drawings by Thackeray, original manuscripts by famous authors, great rarities in English literature, scarce items of Americana. To be sold Tuesday and Friday Afternoons, November 12 and 13.

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at Valima, Samoa, and forming the largest and most important Stevenson Collection that has ever come on the market, will be placed on Public Exhibition Monday, November 16, previous to unrestricted public sale in four sessions beginning November 23d. The Collection is consigned by Mrs. Salisbury Field, (formerly Mrs. Isabel Strong), who inherited it from her mother, Mrs. Stevenson.

Other important announcements later. Exhibitions evenings and afternoons. Sales are held at 2:30 and 5:15 o'clock. Catalogues mailed free on application.



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Reproductions and adaptations of the best models created by the Paris couturiers.

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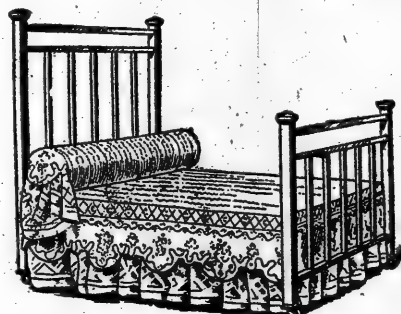
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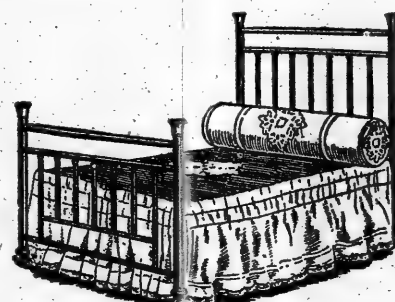
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Ten-piece Suites,—Colonial model; finished in dull Mahogany.....		regularly 325.00, 250.00
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Navy Blue or Black. value 2.50, yd. 1.65

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value 1.85, yd. 95c

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yd. 1.75

value 2.75

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36-inch Lining Sateen,—in Black and White stripes.

value 50c, yd. 29c

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value 29c, yd. 19c

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Linen Cluny Laces.....	value 25c to 1.75, yd. 15c to 95c
Real Filet Laces.....	value 50c to 5.00, yd. 35c to 2.95
Net Edges.....	value 15c to 75c, yd. 7c to 45c
Fancy Cotton Laces.....	value 11c to 2.50, yd. 6c to 1.25

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Radium, Black or Colored Spangled Bands.....	yd. 75c to 9.75
Beaded Trimmings, in Crystal, Steel, Jet or Colors.....	yd. 35c to 5.50
Bead Fringe, in Crystal, Jet, Steel or Gold.....	yd. 1.50
A large assortment of Tassels, in Crystal, Jet, Spangles or Silk.....	each 25c to 2.50
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Flower Trimming, in Pink, Blue, Yellow or Rocco.....	yd. 48c to 1.75
Beaded Ornaments,—Butterflies, Motifs or Flowers.....	each 1.50 to 2.50
Corsage Flowers, identical to those used on model gowns.....	each 75c to 7.50
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Binding Braids, in all widths and weaves, for Tailor Made Gowns.....	yd. 10c to 40c
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Satin, Moire, Velvet, Crocheted or Fancy Buttons, such as are used on model gowns, at Moderate Prices.	

SWEARS BELGIANS WERE MASSACRED

Dr. Clement Philippe Describes
Acts of Germans in Cap-
tured Villages.

200 KILLED IN AERSCHOT

Says Girls Were Burned Alive for
Defending Themselves
Against Soldiers.

LONDON, Oct. 22.—An account of the treatment by the Germans of the inhabitants of three Belgian towns is given, under oath, by Dr. Clement Philippe, the chief physician attached to the committee of the Belgian refugees in London. His statement covers the doings of the German troops in Aerschot, Wespelaar, and Vilvoorde.

The Germans attacked the first place on the morning of Aug. 19. The survivors took place at 8 A. M.

"At 9 A. M.," says Dr. Philippe, "an officer, M. Bruylen, with his two sons, M. Chapeauville, M. Michiels, Chief of Police, and Iseborght, railway clerk—all accused of having fired upon German troops, were shot, although the whole town knew they were entirely innocent; every citizen having, before the entry of the German troops, obeyed the order of the Burgomaster to bring to the Town Hall whatever arms he possessed.

"In the afternoon the church was bombarded by artillery for two hours and a volley was fired into the houses by the German infantry. Every inhabitant falling into the hands of the German troops was made prisoner and escorted out of the town. The others were placed in lines and numbered 1, 2, and 3. Those numbered 3 were shot.

"All the houses in the Grande Place were burned, and the wives of the principal citizens of the town were put in the center of the market place to witness this terrifying spectacle, and were kept there from 10 A. M. till 4 P. M. All the men, women, and children remaining were ordered to assemble at the church. After several days of anguish and suffering from hunger and thirst they were forced to leave the town. Hundreds were ordered to take the road to Louvain. I saw the German soldiers place upon a cart a paralytic woman named Mme. Haye, accompanied by her niece, Delly. The girl endeavored to aid and protect her aunt, and was therefore shot. When Louvain was reached the troops fired a volley into the whole mass of fugitives, and few escaped. After this the Germans undertook their work of pillage and incendiarism. The town of Aerschot was destroyed and burned to the ground, and had been abandoned by the survivors. Over 200 unarmed citizens were killed.

"At Vilvoorde the citizens were imprisoned in the Church d'Elewyt. Then occurred the execution of citizens. On the Cleburn farm the farmer and three of his servants were shot, and on the Ribeaucourt farm four farm laborers were shot. Five persons who had hidden in the garden were discovered and put to death without mercy. Twenty-eight men, among whom were the priest and the sexton, were arrested and imprisoned in the coal cellar of the church for five days.

"On Aug. 20 the German troops arrived at Wespelaar and began by setting fire to a large factory. The inhabitants who were in the direction of Thillobeck. The Burgomaster, de Wolf, and the priest, Van Segvelt, were ordered to march at the head of the column. The priest was compelled to carry a German flag, and they were driven toward the station, insulted and maltreated by the troops.

"The village priest of Bueken, de Clerc, although ill, was taken from his bed and bound to a gun carriage. The martyr asked to be put to death. A

42d St., West
Renard

Monday and Tuesday:
IMPORTANT SALE of

**Trimmed
Millinery**

Important to smart dressers.
Important to the woman that
can distinguish quality and
style.

And most important to the
woman who does not want
to pay the fictitious prices
asked at some shops for
trimmed hats that are no
better, and in many cases
more inferior to what we
propose to sell you during
this sale.



Many of these Hats are
adaptations of our imported
models. Others are designed
by our own high class de-
signers.

There are only ABOUT 300
HATS in this sale, com-
prising all the newest and
best of the season.

We have also placed among
them many of our original
Imported models.

Your
Choice **\$10.**
Tomorrow
at

The prices ranged up till
now from \$15.00 to \$28.50

Renard

West 42d St. NUMBERS
4, 6, and 49

young man of 17, who had been burn-
ed, was buried alive. The moment the
inhabitants of the town had been driven
out a general pillage began as usual.

"The wife and son of a farmer named
Dardenne at Chaumont Gistour were
shot, and his daughters, on account of
having defended themselves against the
soldiers, were bound, straw was placed
under them, and they were burned
alive."

WOUNDED GERMAN HERE.

First Man to Arrive Says Losses
Have Not Been Exaggerated.

Lee Schonthal, drill instructor of a
military school in Washington, D. C.,
returned yesterday from Germany on
the Holland-America Nieuw Amsterdam

after serving with the German Army
for two months. At Maubeuge he re-
ceived a wound in the left ankle which
incapacitated him for further service.
He came down the railway to the pier
on crutches and was the first wounded
man to arrive here who had fought on
the side of Germany.

"I was in my native city of Cologne,"
he said, "when the war started, and
being a corporal in the reserve, was
drafted to the Fifty-third Regiment of
infantry and sent to Aachen. The mili-
tary organization of Germany was
wonderful. In four hours after the de-
claration of war 300,000 men were sent
out of Cologne toward the Belgian
frontier in trains drawn by electric
motors.

"After we passed Verdun and were
marching toward Liege our company

of 112 men was put on outpost duty, and
had a lucky escape from being ampu-
tated. We had just got clear when
fully fifty sharpshooters struck the
barracks where we were stationed and
it to atoms. Owing to timely warning
no one was injured.

"We did not see the battle round
Liege, but went on into France, always
employed in outpost duty. There was
no exaggeration in the reports of the

awful slaughter in Belgium and France.
The dead lay in heaps on every side.

"In France we had to fight our way
through from village to village, where
the French troops mounted machine
guns at the corners of the streets, and
as our soldiers went through they were
just mowed down until the artillery
came up. The French soldiers fought
stubbornly from house to house. Of
our company of 312 men 100 were
killed before I left the regiment
after being wounded in my left ankle at
Maubeuge.

"The pain was intense, and I lay
helpless in a small ditch for several
hours while the shells passed over me.
A German regiment charged a French
battery, and on their return I was
picked up and carried inside the town
where I was sent to the rear, and from
there to a hospital."

Broadway **Saks & Company** at 34th Street

Very special tomorrow, reproductions of the latest
Fancy Tailored Suits for Women
at substantially less than their worth

Models which are the newest to be designed,
copied implicitly and with all the spirit of the originals

\$30 Suits	\$35 Suits	\$45 Suits	\$55 Suits
special at \$18.50	special at \$23.50	special at \$28.50	special at \$33.00
Long and medium coat mod- els, as well as the newest short coat styles, with flare or pleated yoke or double ripple skirt. Tailored in broadcloth, gabardine, cheviot and wool faille.	Short and medium coat suits, with circular flare or double ripple skirt. Made of broad- cloth, gabardine, wool faille, and diagonals; the coat trimmed with velvet, broad- tail or fur.	The new jaunty short coat suits, and medium and mili- tary models, with various style skirts. Made of vel- veteen, corduroy, gabardine, broadcloth, wool faille and diagonals, fur-trimmed.	Beautiful and exclusive mod- els (including many reduced from regular stock owing to incomplete assortments). Shown in the finest of fab- rics, with fur and other modish trimmings.

Remarkable values in Women's Coats

scheduled for special sale tomorrow

Scores of styles,—all the new modes in materials and trimmings—variety, in fact,
at its best and most exclusive—replete with coats for every occasion
and priced at figures which are their own best advertisement.

\$16.50 Coats.....	at \$10.00	\$29.50 Coats.....	at \$17.50
\$17.50 Coats.....	at \$10.00	\$32.50 Coats.....	at \$19.50
\$18.50 Coats.....	at \$12.50	\$35.00 Coats.....	at \$19.50
\$20.00 Coats.....	at \$12.50	\$39.50 Coats.....	at \$25.00
\$25.00 Coats.....	at \$15.00	\$37.50 Coats.....	at \$25.00
\$26.50 Coats.....	at \$15.00	\$42.50 Coats.....	at \$25.00
\$28.50 Coats.....	at \$17.50	\$55.00 Coats.....	at \$35.00

Women's Flannelette Pajamas at \$1.00

Values \$1.50 to \$2.50

White and striped effects, in a good
range of sizes and styles. Special
values, of which the best will go first.
"The Salamander"—the newest idea in
underwear—dainty conceits in nainsook,
crepe de chine and chiffon. \$1.00 to \$9.95

Children's Wear

at special prices for Monday

Flannelette Pajamettes. 4 to 8 years. Special at	\$1.00
Flannelette Nightgowns. 4 to 14 years. Special at	50c
Night Drawers of flannelette and Canton flannel. 2 to 10 years.	50c
Flannelette Petticoats. 4 to 14 years. Special at	50c
Children's Sweaters, white and colored. 2 to 5 years. Special at	\$1.00

Crepe de Chine Negligees—\$6.75

Value \$8.50—Monday

Two Empire models, accordeon pleat-
ed, with elastic at belt. One style has
collar and cuffs of white satin, the
other has hand-embroidered design on
waist, and pleatings of ribbon at neck
and sleeves. Many colors.

**\$5 Accordeon Pleated
Albatross Negligees** } \$3.95

A dainty little garment, in an Empire mod-
el, with embroidered waist and frills of self
material. Elastic at belt. Third Floor

Boys' \$8 Mackinaw Sport Coats at \$4.95

Monday only

Patch pocket Norfolk models, with
shawl collar, in which the quality of
the fabric and the manner of the tailor-
ing effects a combination of service-
ability and style. Shown in handsome
plaids. Ages 7 to 18 years.

\$6.50 Norfolk Suits at \$4.95
Norfolk models, in a variety of designs and
colors, the fabrics being especially selected
for their wearing ability. 7 to 18 years.

Special tomorrow—100 Women's Afternoon, Theatre & Dinner Gowns ordinarily \$45 to \$55 at \$35

Decollete gowns for dinner wear, and high collar and
V-neck gowns especially designed to fill the three-
fold demands of afternoon, theatre and dinner use.

Dresses of chiffon velvet, charmeuse satin, and taffeta, in the newest surplice
and Chinese waist effects, with four yard tunic of silk net dyed to match, and
satin or velvet folds over the tunic. High neck models, others with high collar
at back and V front, and decollete gowns with long net sleeves exclusively for
dinner wear. Some charmeuse dresses with lace flounces and long sleeves also
included in this beautiful selection. Fourth Floor

Special sale tomorrow of The New Parisian Side Button Boots at \$5.85

Made with buckskin tops and sold regularly at \$8.00

An extremely attractive and flattering model, distinctive and
diminutive, with small heel foxing and leather Louis heels. The
vamps of black Russia or patent calf, the uppers of genuine
buckskin, in light or dark gray, and light or dark faun, and
buttoning to the side in effective fashion. A beautiful shoe and
a value as unusual as the style. 2nd floor

Specials in Silk Petticoats for stout figures \$3, \$4, \$4.50 & \$5

Because a dearth of selection in extra sizes is the customary
thing in many shops, we have made liberality of selection the
feature of our extra size assortments. We have also marked
these garments at very special prices for tomorrow. The
materials include messaline, silk Jersey and wool Jersey, and
there is a splendid range of smart new styles. 3rd floor

**Special—300 Flowered Messaline
Petticoats in the leading shades** } \$2.00

\$3 and \$4 Umbrellas at \$1.95 for Men and Women—Monday

Umbrellas of real taffeta silk and of union taffeta, which latter
is a serviceable combination of silk and linen. Black for men,
and black and colors for women.

Natural and mission woods, buckhorns, capehorns, Malaccas,
ash, carved ebony, snakewoods, rosewoods and many others,
all of them with heavy sterling silver mounts. Main floor

500 Special Coats for Misses at most attractive prices tomorrow

\$18.50 Coats at \$10	\$25.00 Coats at \$15	\$30.00 Coats at \$18.50
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A range of choice in which diversity is allied with distinction

There are models in differing lengths, including the new full length, broad-
belted styles, with flare or ripple back; tailored in the most fashionable fabrics
and exhibiting the smartest of cuff and collar innovations, in velvet, plush
or self materials. Sizes 14 to 18 years. Second floor

English mixtures, in brown and gray imported zibelines,
ponge chevots, kerseys, broadcloths and wool velours, some
models lined as to body and sleeves, and others lined throughout

Misses' \$30 to \$35 Suits—special at \$20

The new short and medium length coat models, with circular flare or pleated skirt. Made
of imported broadcloth, gabardine, cheviot and men's wear serge, braid trimmed, or in
dressier effects, with trimmings of self color velvet or broadtail. Sizes 14 to 18 years.
Navy, seal, Russian green and black.

Reductions in Sweater Coats tomorrow

Sizes for little women
and girls only

Angora Sweater Coats, in
attractive color stripes.
Reduced from \$9.95 to

\$3.95

Angora Sweater Sets, of coat,
cap and scarf, in effective
color schemes.
Reduced from \$16.95 to

\$7.95

Tomorrow—Children's Sweater Coats Were up to \$3.00 at \$1.55

All made of pure wor-
sted, but in broken
assortments, which ac-
counts for the reduc-
tions. 2 to 6 years.

Monday special

\$5 to \$10

Corsets

\$2.45

A variety of the well known
brand of corsets, in the
season's newest models,
for all types of figures.

Special tomorrow

Wavy Switches at \$4.75

28 to 32 inches

Extra heavy, fine, wavy
switches, mounted on short
stems, and shown in fine
textures, and shades, gray
excepted. 3rd floor

Special opportunities tomorrow Inexpensive Fur Coats for Women & Misses

The latest models, and exclusive-
ly the work of our own furriers

Hamster Fur Coats—Spec'l } \$34.50	French Seal Coats—Special } \$45
A new 38-inch length model, with a stylish collar of French seal (dyed coney).	A flare skirt model, 40 inches long, with self collar and brocaded satin lining.
Caracul Coats Special at } \$67.50	Seal Muskrat Coats—Special } \$95
A 45-inch model, with straight line full skirt, lined with satin in any color.	A full, 45-inch model, with kimono sleeves and lined with brocaded or plain satin.

Matched Wolf Sets

Barrel muff and single
animal double fur neckpiece

Black Wolf Sets.....	special at \$34.50
Taupe Wolf Sets.....	special at \$42.50
Blue Wolf Sets.....	special at \$42.50

Very special tomorrow Blouses at \$5.95

Virtually an exhibit of the very latest conceits

Blouses of washable satin, silk shadow lace, Oriental
lace (with girdle), hand-embroidered crepe de Chine
and chiffon. Designed in models that are ineffably
pretty, showing modish effects in cuff and collar treat-
ment, including the high military collar at its highest.
An assortment, in brief, which will appeal instantly to
discriminating choice. 3rd floor

The Smartest Blouses that \$5.00 can buy

Blouses, of heavy crepe de
Chine, in plain tailored styles,
prettily tucked effects, and
attractive novelty designs,
with soutache braiding.

Blouses, of silk shadow lace
with high stock collar of black
velvet—other styles with un-
derbodice of white satin, hem-
stitched on to shadow lace.

Extra good values in Women's Gloves

Kassan Capekin Gloves, washable, in tan shades. One clasp. Value \$1.50	\$1.15
Arabian Mocha Gloves, prix seam, one clasp, and spear point, in gray only. Value \$1.50	\$1.15
White Glace Biarritz Gloves, eight button length, and full pique sewn. Value \$1.50	\$1.00
White Glace Lambskin Gloves, 2 clasps, and embroidered two tone backs. Value \$1.35	89c
Perrin's Gloves—a new importa- tion just to hand. Excellent value at	\$1.50

Women's Silk & Wool Combination Suits much underpriced

An ideal Winter weight silk and wool
garment, in both low neck and Dutch
neck style, knee or ankle length.

Regular sizes Value \$2.50	\$1.75
Extra sizes Value \$2.75	\$1.95

And a limited number of combination gar-
ments, in a medium weight of
silk and wool. Value \$2, at... \$1.35

Special sale tomorrow of the new Sans Gene & Farrar Combs

A selection which is all variety, featuring the new demi-blonde shade, in
scores of choice and delicate designs from the filigree of Parisian fancy.

Sans Gene & Farrar Combs } \$5.00
Values \$8.50 to \$10.50

In demi-blonde, the new "clear," and amber shades, studded with
moonbeam and rhinestone combinations, in charming patterns.

Sans Gene Demi-Blonde Combs edged with rhinestones. Value \$2.00. Special at	95c	Demi-Blonde Casque Combs, edge studded with rhinestones. Value \$2.00. Special at	95c
Rhinestone Studded Casque Combs, closely paved with rhi- nestones. Value \$7.50. Special at	\$5.00	Imported Jet Spanish Combs, in block and cameo models. Values \$6.50 & \$7.50	\$2.95

Living models will tomorrow display these jeweled ornaments in their hair

KING OF BELGIANS APPEALS TO US

Aid of Americans Will Be a
Precious Memory to His
People, He Says.

WINTER WILL BE TERRIBLE

Hopes Famine, with Accompanying Disease and Violence,
Can Be Avoided.

NEED \$2,500,000 A MONTH

Head of American Commission Calls
on Countrymen to Assume
This Responsibility.

LONDON, Oct. 31.—Albert, King of the Belgians, has asked the American people through the American Commission for Relief in Belgium, to help feed his starving people during the coming winter.

The King's message, written under fire in the battle in Belgium, follows: I am informed, that American officials and citizens in Belgium and England are working to save my people from the horrors of the famine which now threaten them. It is a great comfort to me in this hour of sorrow and misfortune to feel that your great-hearted, disinterested people is directing its efforts to relieving the distress of the unoffending civilian population of my country.

Despite all that can be done, the suffering in the coming winter will be terrible, but the burden we must bear will be lightened if my people can be spared the pangs of hunger, with its frightful consequences of disease and violence.

I confidently hope that the appeal of the American Commission will meet with a generous response. The whole-hearted friendship of America shown my people at this time always will be a precious memory.

ALBERT.
The American commission for relief in Belgium is an official body recognized by the various Governments for the transmission of foodstuffs into Belgium. It is the only channel through which food can be introduced into Belgium, and by its association with a committee in Belgium, has the only efficient agency for the distribution of food within that country. H. C. Hoover, Chairman of the commission, which has headquarters in London, makes the following appeal to all American newspapers:

7,000,000 to Feed.

We have received reports from members of this commission who were sent into Belgium. They have the assistance

of the National Committee of Relief and its branches throughout Belgium, together with the help of the American Ministers and Consuls and local officials. Their reports show that there are still some 7,000,000 people in Belgium. In many centres the people are receiving an allowance of a little more than three ounces of flour per capita daily.

"This is not a question of charity or relief to the chronic poor; it is a question of feeding an entire population. The situation affects the wealthy and well-to-do as well as the poor. It touches every home in Belgium. Our experts calculate that in order to avoid actual starvation Belgium must have every month a minimum of 80,000 tons of wheat, 15,000 tons of corn, 5,000 tons of peas or beans, and a limited amount of bacon or lard.

"This will allow rations of ten ounces per capita daily, which is about half the usual soldier's ration. All this will cost \$4,000,000 or \$5,000,000 monthly. There is no money in Belgium. The whole credit machinery has ceased. Eighty per cent. of the people are unemployed.

Need \$2,500,000 a Month.
"A plan may be devised whereby such Belgians as possess property may give obligations to pay when the war ends, but even if we could realize on these obligations we must still have at least \$2,500,000 monthly in food or money with which to buy it. That these figures are no exaggeration is proved by the fact that Belgian imports in normal times average 230,000 tons of cereals monthly; this, together with its own production, which, with accumulations, is now exhausted.

"During the past week we have received and expended in emergency food \$800,000, and yet this is only four days' supply. The problem is immediate. The Belgians are helping themselves, but they can do little. The British and French are under such strain that they also can do little. Besides, these nations, together with the Dutch, have a million refugees on their hands. Americans must feed Belgium this winter. There never was such a call on American charity, and there never was a famine emergency so great.

"This committee and its distributing agency, the Belgian Committee, is composed entirely of volunteers, and every dollar represents actual food, without any organization expenses. It is our earnest hope that all funds raised for Belgian relief in the United States will be translated into actual food and shipped through the commission.

"Will you, therefore, in the interests of humanity, open a subscription among your readers, war-marked. For the Sole Purpose of Purchasing and Transporting Food? Every dollar so raised will be used to purchase food in the United States. Information as to what centres and what relief agencies in the United States will undertake the purchase and dispatch will be cabled later."

Canadian Wheat for New Zealand.
LONDON, Oct. 31.—A dispatch from Melbourne to Reuters' Telegram Company says that the Government of New Zealand has arranged to obtain 1,000,000 bushels of wheat from Canada before a shortage occurs there. The Government proposes to sell wheat slightly below cost. Otherwise famine prices prevail in New Zealand.

A. J. M. Tuck Joins British Reserves
Alexander John Marshall Tuck of New York, son of Judge Somerville Pinckney Tuck of the International Court at Cairo, has joined the Young Men's Christian Association reserves with the British Army. He is with the Royal Fusiliers at Epsom.

THE STORE WILL BE CLOSED ALL DAY TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3d (ELECTION DAY)

B. Altman & Co.

Commencing to-morrow (Monday), November 2nd, an event of more than ordinary interest in B. Altman & Co.'s enlarged Store will be

An Exhibition of Choice Imported Silks and Laces
which will be held in the new Exhibition Salon, in the Madison Avenue section of the Fourth Floor.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

UNEXCELLED VALUES IN TO-MORROW'S SPECIAL SALES

15,000 Yards of
Choice Black Dress Satins
(36 to 40 inches wide)

will be placed on sale at the special prices of

\$1.10, 1.40, 1.60 & 1.80 per yard

these being considerably lower than the regular selling prices.

Mail and Telephone Orders will receive immediate attention.

An Extraordinary Offering in the Women's Shoe Department
(Second Floor) will consist of

600 Pairs of Metal Brocade Slippers

in extremely handsome effects, combining various colors with gold or silver at \$4.75 per pair.

The regular selling prices of these Slippers, in several styles of which the fabrics were imported exclusively by B. Altman & Co. and will not be duplicated, would range from \$8.00 to \$10.00 per pair.

Included in this Sale will be several styles of Evening Slippers (range of sizes incomplete), which will be marked at very decided price concessions.

An Especially Important Offering in the Department for Women's Ready-to-wear Suits and Gowns (Third Floor) will comprise

Women's
Chiffon Velvet Suits
(Fur-trimmed)

of superior quality and in the fashionable models

at \$55.00

A special attraction in the Fur Department, on the Third Floor, will be a Sale of

Natural Blue Fox

the fashionable fur of the season, made up in smart Neckpieces and Muffs, as well as a quantity of unmade skins for personal selection, at the unusual price of

\$175.00 per set.

This will present a really remarkable opportunity for purchasing fine skins at fully 33 1-3 less than the prices usually asked.

Also Dyed Fox Neckpieces and Muffs
(Natural Blue Fox color)

at the special price of \$85.00 per set.

An Exceptional Sale of
Imported Decorative Lace Pieces
(Hand-made)

marked in many instances at less than half the original prices, will consist of the following:

Chair Backs . . . at \$4.50, 5.00 to 9.50
Arm Pieces . . . at 1.50, 2.00 & 2.50
Pillow Slips . . . at 5.00, 6.50, to 18.00

Covers (square or circular)
at . . . \$3.50, 4.75, 6.50 and upward

Also Imported Filet Lace Curtains
Panels and Bedspreads

specially priced.

Filet Lace Curtains
per pair . . . \$22.00, 27.50 to 55.00

Filet Lace Panels
each . . . \$19.00, 22.00 to 35.00

Filet Lace Bedspreads
each . . . \$17.50, 20.00 & 48.00

A Special Offering of
Imported Dress Materials

(All-wool, 50 and 54 inches wide)

will comprise an entirely new shipment of the smart plaid and stripe effects so much in demand at this time for the fashionable tunic skirt. These fabrics will be offered at the exceptional price of . . . per yard \$1.35

A Highly Interesting Sale of
Women's House Gowns & Negligees

will comprise entirely new models suitable for the present season and early Winter wear, all marked at unusually attractive prices.

Tea Gowns of crepe de Chine, with coat of chiffon at \$22.50

House Dresses of crepe de Chine, with accordion-plaited skirt at \$14.50

Negligees of crepe de Chine, trimmed with lace and fur at \$12.75

Kimonos of crepe de Chine, introducing hand embroidery at \$10.50

House Dresses of albatross, with collar and cuffs of embroidered crepe at \$7.75

Kimonos of French flannel, trimmed with satin ribbon at \$6.90

Blanket Robes, bound with satin ribbon, at \$3.85

A Sale of Silk Petticoats

will offer special inducements at these prices:

Silk Messaline Petticoats, in black or colors; finished with deep plaiting at \$2.90

Silk Jersey-top Petticoats, with French plaiting of foulard; in black, navy blue and Russian green at \$5.00

Women's Coats and Wraps

(Imported and American-made) featuring smart styles and materials appropriate for all occasions, and many trimmed with fur, are now being shown at material reductions from former prices.

FREE SHIPPING OF MERCHANDISE

All Charged or Paid Purchases (including heavy and bulky shipments) will be forwarded Free of Charge by mail, express or freight to any point in the United States. The methods of shipment are optional with B. Altman & Co. and no discounts are allowed.

All Charged or Paid Purchases not exceeding Twenty (20) Pounds in weight will be forwarded Free by mail to all Territories, Possessions or Foreign Countries where Parcel Post Rates apply.

Telephone 7000 Murray Hill

An Important Sale of
Men's Furnishings

will provide a noteworthy opportunity for securing necessary garments of eminently desirable qualities at much lower prices than ordinary.

Men's Negligee Shirts of fancy striped silk at \$2.95 & 3.50

Men's Negligee Shirts of imported fancy madras (plain, with stiff cuffs); made in B. Altman & Co.'s own workrooms, at \$2.50

Men's Four-in-hand Scarfs (open end), in attractive patterns and colors . . . at 55c.

Men's Pajamas, of silk mixtures in a variety of patterns and colors . . . per suit \$2.85

Men's Pajamas, of cotton crepe or mercerized materials per suit \$1.35

Men's Outing Flannel Pajamas, per suit 95c.

Men's medium-weight Balbriggan Shirts, with long or short sleeves; and ankle-length Drawers to match, per garment 48c.

Men's Medium-weight Union Suits of white ribbed cotton; in ankle-length, with long or short sleeves per suit 95c.

Men's Union Suits of gray cotton-and-wool mixture; ankle-length, with long sleeves, per suit \$1.65

Also Men's Hats and Shoes

at equal price advantages.

Men's Soft Hats, in smart, up-to-date styles as well as the more conservative shapes; in green, brown and slate; also in pearl, with black band at \$2.50 & 3.45

Men's Derby Hats, featuring the newest blocks for Autumn and Winter . . at \$3.45

Men's Laced Shoes, in patent leather or tan or black calf (value \$7.00) . . per pair \$4.75

The American Rug Department

which has been very considerably enlarged, is liberally stocked with new assortments of American-made Rugs in all the best makes and a complete range of sizes.

The prices are as low as it is possible to quote for Rugs of reliable qualities.

Inspection and comparison are invited.
(Fifth Floor, Thirty-fourth Street side)

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 Choice cut flowers, loose or
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 Street Floor

Fifth Avenue, 38th Street, 39th Street
 Music Daily—Luncheon and Afternoon Tea, 10 A. M. to 5 P. M., Tenth Floor

Annual November Sales Commencing Tomorrow

Offer Exceptional Opportunities for Unusually Profitable Shopping in the Season's
 Newest Merchandise, Whether for Personal Wear, Home Adornment or Gift Purposes

A Splendid Offering of About 75 Dresses for Women

In a large assortment of styles and materials—a
 manufacturer's sample line, which means that in
 most instances there is only one model of a kind.
 A few Evening Dresses are in the collection.

Offered Tomorrow, Monday, at

\$28.50

Usually up to \$55.00—Sizes broken.

Also the Following Excellent Values:

Afternoon Dress Of charmeuse, with soft waist, full tunic skirt, in the season's smartest colors. Special at	\$19.50
Afternoon Dress Combination velvet and charmeuse, new coat effect; black only. Special at	\$25.00
Dancing Dress Combination lace and charmeuse, pretty ruffle effect. Special at	\$29.50
Clever Evening & Dancing Dresses Combination of net and lace. Special at	\$39.50

Third Floor

Lord & Taylor "Selected Furs"

Women's Fur Coats
 At Special Prices

Black Pony Coats.....	\$29.50
Seal-Dyed Muskrat Coats.....	\$90.00
Black Caracul Coats.....	\$77.50
Seal-Dyed Coney Coats.....	\$67.50
Persian Lamb Coats.....	\$125.00

Matched Fur Sets Extraordinary Values

	Scarfs.	Muffs.
Skunk.....	\$19.50	\$30.00
Black Lynx.....	\$25.00	\$35.00
Silvered Kitt Fox.....	\$19.50	\$35.00
Black Fox.....	\$20.00	\$25.00
Natural Raccoon.....	\$15.00	\$20.00

Fur Novelty Sets

In Cross Fox, Fisher, Caracul, Mole, Blue Fox, Ermine,
 White Fox, and all the fashionable Furs at Special Prices.

Complete Assortment of Fur Trimmings
 in stock or cut to order.
 Third Floor

Silk Petticoats Now Greatly in Demand

Attractive models for street and evening wear are
 being shown in various materials in colors and black.

A Special Lot of Silk Petticoats At Extraordinarily Low Prices

Black and colored messaline, and black and white stripe,
 also crepe-de-chine, lace trimmed
\$1.95 & \$2.95—Usually to \$6.00

—Also—

Silk Jersey Top Petticoats

With messaline or Jersey flounce in black, navy, Russian
 green, and tete-de-negre
\$3.95 & \$4.95—Usually to \$7.50

Wool Jersey Top Petticoats, \$2.95 & \$3.95
 With flounce of messaline (black only).

Extra Size Petticoats

Messaline or silk Jersey, in black and
 colors, pleated flounce..... **\$5.45 & \$7.95**

Extra Size Wool Jersey Top Petticoats

With flounce of messaline..... **\$4.50**

High Class Novelty Petticoats, \$11.75 to \$68.00
 French and American made; white and dainty colors, em-
 brodered and effectively trimmed, very desirable for trou-
 seaux and evening wear

Second Floor

Women's Winter Suits and Coats The Best Values of the Season

Fancy Tailored Suits

The smartest winter materials and colorings are shown in reproductions
 of exclusive foreign models. Richly lined and warmly interlined.

\$22.50, \$25.00, \$29.50, \$35.00, \$39.50

Fur-Trimmed Suits

Distinctive models in the season's most fashionable materials
 and colorings. All handsomely lined and warmly interlined.

\$35.00, \$39.50, \$45.00, \$50.00 to \$150.00

Comfortable Street & Touring Coats

In all the smart winter materials and a splendid selection of
 models

Unusual Values at

\$15.00 & \$19.50

Coats for Street, Travel or Dressy Wear

A splendid variety of the newest winter materials and color-
 ings. Many models are fur-trimmed, and all are elegantly
 lined and comfortably interlined.

\$25.00, \$29.50, \$35.00, \$39.50, \$50.00

Very Special

Soft Seal-Plush Coats

For afternoon or dressy occasions; hand-
 somely lined with brocaded satin and
 warmly interlined.....

\$35.00

Velour Coats

For street or dressy wear; fur-trimmed,
 beautifully lined and interlined.....

\$39.50

Fancy Velour Coats

For afternoon or evening wear, in all the
 smart colors, lined with white brocade
 and warmly interlined. Usually \$35.00

\$19.50

Fur Collared Silk Chiffon Plush Coats

For afternoon or evening wear, hand-
 somely lined and warmly interlined.
 Usually \$75.00

\$55.00

Evening Wraps, \$75.00 to \$250.00

Reproductions of foreign models, in a large selection of materials, attrac-
 tively lined and warmly interlined; trimmed with the season's smartest furs.

Third Floor

Important Sale of Women's Footwear

Walking & Dress Boots

Comprising this season's smartest and most
 fashionable kinds. Usually \$5.00 and \$6.00

\$3.95

"Strictly Hand-Made"

Street & Dress Footwear

Including

\$5.85

The New "Myrod" Boot

Usually \$7.00 to \$10.00

The "Cordwainer"

A special smart boot for young women gradu-
 ating from the Misses' class. Military heel,
 lace and button; in all leathers. Special price

\$5.00

Girls' School & Dress Boots

6 to 11	11 1/2 to 12	2 1/2 to 5 1/2
\$2.00	\$2.50	\$3.00

Usually \$2.75 to \$4.00
 Second Floor

Particular Attention Is Called to Several Late Importations of

French Blouses

Comprising the Newest Materials, Such as

**Fancy Crepes, Moire, Poplin, Chiffon &
 Fancy Plaid Chiffon Taffeta**

\$10.75 to \$25.00

A New Model of Batiste

Attractively hand embroidered and lace trimmed,
 long sleeves and high neck,

\$10.75

**High Class Novelty Imported Blouses
 At Greatly Reduced Prices**

Third Floor

Extraordinary Sale of 50,000 Yards Fashionable Dress Silks Greatly Under Prevailing Prices

Beginning Tomorrow, Monday

Washable White India Silks

27 inches wide. Usually 58c per yard

48c

Plain White Washable Silks

36 inches wide. Special, per yard

65c

Plain Satin

Seventy-five shades (light and dark);
 also white, ivory and black.
 Usually 85c per yard

68c

Fancy Silks

Numerous kinds, both light and dark
 grounds. Formerly \$1.50 & \$1.75 per yard

75c

Black Satin Messaline

35 inches wide, an unusual quality.
 Special, per yard

85c

Black Imperial Satin

35 inches wide. Usually \$1.25 per yard

95c

Imported Fancy Silks

Formerly \$1.50 to \$2.50 per yard

95c

Flowered Chiffons.

40 inches wide. Usually \$2.00 to \$2.50 per yard

\$1.25

Plain Crepe-de-Chine

40 inches wide; evening and street
 shades. Special, per yard

\$1.28

Plain Black Crepes & Satins

40 inches wide. Special per yard

\$1.68

Black Imperial Satin

"Yarn dyed"; 40 inches wide.
 Usually \$2.50 per yard

\$1.75

Black Imperial Satin

54 inches wide. Usually \$2.50 per yard

\$1.95

Black Chiffon Dress Velvet

39-40 inches wide. Usually \$5.00 per yard

\$3.95

About 3,000 Remnants of Numerous Kinds of Silks
 At greatly reduced prices

Street Floor

Extraordinary Values Offered in Midwinter Millinery

Fur & Fur Trimmed Hats

\$10.00 to \$20.00

Smart new styles embellished with fur; also velvet
 hats trimmed with Paradise, ostrich, ribbon, wings
 and flowers. Prices according to materials.

Very Special

500 Fur Trimmed Hats

\$3.95, \$5.00 & \$5.95

A large selection in black and colors, embodying
 fine workmanship and materials.

Untrimmed Velvet Hats

\$1.95, \$3.50 & \$5.00

Usually \$8.00 to \$8.00

Large, medium and small shapes, in black and
 an assortment of colors.

A Trimming Service free of charge if hats
 and materials are purchased in this section.

Smart Gours Mounts.....\$3.95 to \$10.95
 Numidi (black and colors).....\$3.95 to \$9.95
 Paradise (black and natural).....\$5.00 to \$14.95
 Effective Bouquets & Single Flowers
 put up in attractive boxes—50c, 85c, 98c & \$1.25
 Fourth Floor

Special Values for Monday in Muslin Underwear

Night Gowns

Nainsook.....	98c, \$1.25, \$1.95 & \$2.95
Cotton Crepe.....	98c & \$1.25
Crepe-de-Chine.....	\$3.95 & \$5.95
Albatross, embroidered.....	\$4.45
Outing Flannel.....	75c, 98c, \$1.25 & \$1.50

Under Bodices

With sleeves; net, Crepe-de-Chine and taffeta.....	\$1.95
Net and Crepe-de-Chine, copy of imported model.....	\$1.95
Crepe-de-Chine, lace trimmed.....	\$1.95

Exceptional Values Offered in House Gowns, Negligees and Dressing Sacques

Crepe-de-Chine, straight model, elaborately hand embroidered.....	\$12.75
Two-piece Chiffon Princess Slip, shadow lace coat, attractively trimmed.....	\$18.75
Crepe-de-Chine, semi-fitted, large chiffon collar, hand embroidered.....	\$10.75
Crepe-de-Chine Slip-on, swansdown trimmed.....	\$6.95
Albatross, accordion pleated skirt, embroidered bodice, hemstitched organdy collar and cuffs.....	\$3.95
Albatross, pleated skirt, organdy collar and cuffs, hand embroidered.....	\$3.95
Albatross, accordion pleated skirt, bodice hand embroidered and Val. lace trimmed; body lined.....	\$6.95
Albatross, accordion pleated skirt; body lined; hand embroidered and lace trimmed.....	\$7.95
Eiderdown Robe, sailor collar, satin bound.....	\$4.45
Imported Japanese Quilted Robes, excellent qual- ity silk, V neck, stitched, satin trimmed.....	\$6.95
Blanket Robes, in Persian and flowered effects, kimono model or with collar, satin ribbon trimmed.....	\$3.95
Figured Blanket, square neck, stitched satin trim- med; with girdle.....	\$2.95

A Number of High Class Imported Models

(Only one of a style)

At Half Regular Prices

Kimonos

Plain Satin, straight model, foulard collar and cuffs.....	\$3.95
Flowered or Bordered Satin, kimono model.....	\$5.95

Dressing Sacques

Crepe-de-Chine, hemstitched and chiffon trimmed.....	\$4.50
Imported French Flannel, kimono model.....	\$2.95
Imported Albatross, Camille model, or with collar, embroi- dered or lace trimmed.....	\$1.95, \$3.45 & \$4.95

Second Floor

FINDS RUSSIAN JEWS AFLAME AS PATRIOTS

Ardent as Most Orthodox of Greek Church in "Holy War," ex-Minister Sherrill Declares.

SEES NEW ERA IN CZARLAND

Aspects of Democracy in Which the Jews, Greatest Sufferers from Absolutism, Will Profit Most.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—The patriotism of Russian Jews in rallying to the Russian flag in the present war has been the subject of study by Charles H. Sherrill, ex-American Minister to the Argentine. Mr. Sherrill's interest in the subject was aroused by the desperate efforts made by a young Russian Jew of his acquaintance, who was in England when the war broke out, to get back to Russia to join the Russian army. In which he was a junior officer. Mr. Sherrill said tonight: "When the war broke out, a young Russian Jew, the youngest of three brothers, found himself in London, cut off from all chance of returning home by the shortest route, which was, of course, through Germany. The only way to join the Russian Hussar Regiment, of which he was a junior officer, was the long, round-about route via Bergen. He set off at once, but by the time he got to Petrograd his regiment was already at the front, and he was told he must content himself with serving in its reserve battalion near the capital. He was greatly distressed by the order, and at first it seemed impossible to get it changed, even though his eldest brother had served with distinction in the Russian Diplomatic Service.

"Thanks, however, to his family's friendship with a certain important Russian General, plus the patriotic persistence of the young Jewish officer, he was presently allowed to go to the front, and just before I left London there came a jubilant telegram stating that he was at last with his own corps again. Although he was not permitted to say so in his telegram, it subsequently proved that he had caught up with his regiment in time to participate in the taking of Lemberg, something to remember all the rest of his life.

"I became so much interested in the red-blooded patriotism of this gallant young Jew that I was moved to make further inquiries into what stand other young Russian Jews were taking in regard to the present war, as well as what their active compatriots and compatriots were doing. The result of this inquiry was to me very surprising. I use the word surprising advisedly, for at first blush a foreigner would wonder what possible interest a Jew could take in a war so emphatically and unanimously approved by the Greek Church, a church which, rightly or wrongly, the Jews have blamed for their failure to enjoy ampler political rights in Russia. And, remember, this war is for Russian peasant and noble alike, a holy war.

Brothers in Patriotism.

"However that may be, the surprising fact remains that even the most orthodox member of the Russian Church is no more enthusiastic about this war than are his Jewish compatriots. At last these two religious antipodes have found something in common to both—a bond of sympathy—and there is kindled in both of them the same fire of patriotism, lighted though it be by brands from different altars. War is working out among them the same phenomenon as came about during our Spanish war, when once and for all time there was healed the breach between our North and South—a bias of patriotism melting stiff prejudices of long standing and welding together edges long separated. One has to know and to talk with but few Russians to realize what a change has already come over Russian public opinion as a result of this war—change which makes for a new and greater cohesion in their body politic—a change which evidences itself in many ways, not only in this appreciation of Jewish loyalty to nationality, but also in the even more unexpected support lent to the Government by such irreconcilables as certain of the aristocrats and by sundry revolutionary leaders who have hitherto lived in exile and carried on from foreign parts their active campaign against this very Government they are now supporting.

"And what will be the political effect of this great change? Its effects are beginning to be seen. Already in Russia

this war has provided an inspiring testimony to the patriotism of all classes and types of the nation—something so new in that country as to set a new benchmark for the side surging on to general participation in Government. The next Duma to be elected, thanks to this change, inevitably will be more representative of all the people, and therefore cannot help taking decisive steps for further recognition of the rights of the masses, who thus give evidence of their loyalty.

"Already, as the result of this war, there exists a new and a broader Russian public opinion and a Russian Governmental action approved by the governed. And when a great forward movement like this one comes, as come it must in the history of every country, who shall benefit the most by it, if it be not that class of its citizens which will then have suffered the most from restrictions of their rights of citizenship?

"In Russia, which class is that if it be not the Jews? And they have borne the most that they will gain the most. Opportunity has knocked at their door in the guise of an appeal to patriotism, and they have responded with a splendid gesture of devotion to country. And the door thus bravely opened to the street of war time will never be shut to them in peace, certainly not by the grandson of the great Czar, who toward the end of the war Jews themselves are working out their own political salvation as Russians among Russian further recognition of the rights of the masses, who thus give evidence of their loyalty.

Effect Upon United States.

"The new era for the Jew in Russia, the era of the unselfish spirit of patriotism—a spirit that finds an echo in every land—will surely have a wide repercussion abroad. Nothing could be more effective than it in clearing away the unfortunate impression hitherto given foreigners by Russia's treatment of her Jewish population, a class of citizens peculiarly rich in counts under every one of the powerful flags of the world. Especially will this be true in the United States, a country, by the way, whose legitimate national aspirations at no point conflict with those of Russia. The Monroe Doctrine and the expansion of our merchant marine find no menace in the folds of the Russian flag.

"If our people avail themselves of this chance to reach Russian markets America will find here today the best opportunities of investment there which our entrance into these markets will disclose to our merchants, and thus will Russia gain as much from us as we from her. If these successive steps be taken, as seems possible because of the advantage to all concerned, then will both Russia and the United States owe a great debt to the splendid patriotism of the Russian Jews in this great crisis of our nation—a patriotism which indirectly have effected a better understanding between two great nations having so many reasons for a warm friendship."

RELIES ON OUR SYMPATHY.

Lord Bryce Says It Gives Confidence to Great Britain.

ABERDEEN, Oct. 31.—At the unveiling of a monument here today to the late King Edward, Lord Bryce, the former Ambassador to the United States, said that the present crisis was the most solemn one since the days of Napoleon. The thing that inspired confidence, he said, was the conviction that Great Britain's cause of righteousness, and that she had the moral aid of the self-governing dominions and the moral support of many neutrals, especially the United States. Viscount Bryce declared that the charge that King Edward had sought to isolate Germany was baseless.

AMERICANS GIVE \$20,000.

Two \$10,000 Subscriptions to the Prince of Wales Relief Fund.

LONDON, Oct. 31.—Among the latest subscriptions to the Prince of Wales Relief Fund are two donations of \$10,000 each, one from Walter H. Langshaw of New Bedford, Mass., and the other from Miss Harriet Fletcher of Boston.

GERMANS CLAIM VERDUN GAIN.

Say They Have Taken Main French Position to the South.

BERLIN, Oct. 31. (By Wire.)—To Sayville, L. I.—Information, given out for the press in official quarters today, is as follows:

Military experts of the Berlin newspapers consider that yesterday's developments around Verdun were of the greatest importance, and say there is promise of their resumption with renewed strength.

In the fighting south of Verdun the French are straining every effort to crush and drive out the army which at the end of September penetrated as far as St. Mihiel, and which for a month past has been fighting hard to hold the ground gained.

The Germans have now captured the main position, and their forces are operating from the direction of Toul. The French attack from Font-a-Mousson also was without results.

Attention can now again be directed to the original object of this campaign.

TELLS OF HUNGER IN THE TRENCHES

Diary of a German Soldier Found Dead After Days of Longing for Food.

"DEVILISH FRENCH GUNS"

Kept Supply Trains from Reaching the Men in the Front Lines, This Soldier Wrote.

PARIS, France, Oct. 16. (Correspondence of The Associated Press.)—Here is the story of a German private who was found dead in a trench—not from wounds, but, it is said, from starvation. His story, in the form of a diary, was found apparently up to the last day, was found on him. It begins with the advance of the Crown Prince's army upon the Marne after the battle of Chateau-Thierry and the fall of Longwy. It covers the battle of the Marne and the greater part of the campaign on the Aisne. It reads: "Yesterday was a day of rejoicing. Our first army has pushed back the French, defeated a division of English cavalry, and is before the gates of Paris. In Russia our troops have taken 150,000 prisoners. The joy would have been greater if we had had something to eat. Our division leaves for Marston St. Amand and Bousset, where we are to bivouac before crossing the Marne tomorrow. We hope to get ration there."

"We finally stopped long enough to take a bite. It didn't take long because what they gave us was just enough to put a sharper edge on our appetites. Then we went toward the Marne, pushing back detachments of the French. They let us come to the very edge of the stream; our advance guard was even partly across the bridge, when their artillery opened fire; it seemed to us that it opened the gates of hell at the same time. We could not advance and we had no orders to retire. We could only stand and watch the carnage around the bridge, where our losses were terrible. We succeeded in saving the flag and our commander and then were ordered to retire. It was not exactly a defeat the officers say—only a retirement. The battle resumed a little later and lasted nearly all night. We went forward again but were obliged to dig ourselves in to escape the terrible artillery fire. Our own guns seemed to be weak."

TO DECORATE GRAVES.

France Will Observe All Saints' Day with Special Ceremony.

SPECIAL CABLE TO THE NEW YORK TIMES. PARIS, Oct. 31.—As tomorrow is All Saints' Day, Parisians are making preparation to celebrate it with special ceremony.

All worthy French people regard it as a point of honor to visit the graves of relatives and adorn them with flowers.

In the country districts, and especially in Brittany, it is supposed to be the one day in the year when the dead are allowed to return to look at those left behind.

This year numerous patriotic or public bodies are arranging processions to put flowers on the tombs of dead soldiers.

Gen. Gallieni himself will visit the graves of the soldiers of the Paris Army.

TOOK VILLAGE WITH LANCES.

Detachment of French Dragons Performed a Notable Feat.

PARIS, Oct. 31.—This semi-official announcement was made this afternoon: "In one of our attacks, delivered the day before yesterday, a village, strongly held by the enemy's infantry supported by artillery, was taken by a detachment of French unmounted cavalry, belonging to two Dragoon regiments. The men charged with their lances in their hands more than 200 dead and abandoned 200 of their wounded."

"At 2 o'clock today (Sept. 11) we were ordered to leave the trenches. We thought it would be to attack the enemy, but it seems we are to go back. Two French army corps have pierced our lines. Away we went, without taking

time to eat, through destroyed villages where there was nothing to pick up. We had nothing to eat until 10 o'clock, just before dawn, and then we went on until 5 o'clock in the morning.

"Today (Sept. 12) we had a little break with coffee. We were suffering terribly from privation and exhaustion. They tell us we are executing a turning movement, not a retreat. To us it looks like flight. Finally we arrived at Souain, where we hoped to eat, but instead we found a drop of water and a hot iron with which to dig trenches in the pouring rain. While we were at it French sharpshooters came back with the trenches uncompleted. The entire force was obliged to retire.

"Today (Sept. 13) we have dug ourselves in again and remain, stuck man against man, all day in our trenches. We have eaten nothing all day; we suffer atrociously from hunger and thirst; the rain comes down in torrents, but we can't save the trenches because of the shower of shrapnel from the enemy's guns. Finally this afternoon we had our first repast for several days, consisting of rice with a little meat and bread and a morsel of bacon. It was like a drop of water on a hot iron.

"The French have occupied the trenches we left at Souain three miles back. Behind us is Souain, in ruins, occupied by our troops. Today the French artillery gave us a little respite, but toward half past six it resumed the hellish fire, which continued very late in the night at the rate of a shot every ten minutes, just sufficient to leave us no repose. It is a dog's life we are leading and we shall soon be we are leading and we shall soon be

"Today (Sept. 23) we were ordered into the first line of trenches before us a battalion of the 161st which has suffered great losses. Toward 11 the artillery opened a more generous and the shells simply rained upon our lines. We were obliged to keep closely to our trench, and the cold north winds have followed the rain and added to our suffering. Many of the men are so obliged to lift them out of the trenches.

"Today (Oct. 4) we have eaten again and are not so hungry, but it seems impossible for us to satisfy our hunger.

"Today (Oct. 8) happily it does not rain, but the tempest blows from the north and makes us feel our lack of provisions in the rear; the question is to get them to the front. The cold north winds have followed the rain and added to our suffering. Many of the men are so obliged to lift them out of the trenches.

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PRISONER IN TEARS AT ESPIONAGE TRIAL

Lody Admits a Commission to
Furnish English Informa-
tion to Germany.

AN EX-NAVAL LIEUTENANT

Says He Had Orders to Send News
of the Fleet, but Not to
Do Any Spying.

LONDON, Oct. 31.—Karl Hans Lody, alias Charles Inglis, charged with espionage and on trial for his life before a court-martial under the Presidency of Lord Chylesmore, entered the witness box in the Middlesex Guildhall this afternoon as soon as the prosecution had closed its case.

Lody this afternoon gave an outline of his mission to England. He said that formerly he was a senior Lieutenant in the German Navy, but that later he was transferred to the reserve. He obtained an appointment as tourist agent for the Hamburg-American Line. Incidentally, he said, he was well known in New York society. When in Berlin last July, Lody said, he received instructions from a superior naval officer whose name he was pledged not to reveal. His instructions were to select a route to New York. He was not to start for America, but was to remain in England until the first naval encounter was fought between Germany and England, and give information regarding the actual losses to the British fleet. He was then to proceed to New York.

Lody said also that he had been instructed to keep track of the movements of the British fleet, but that he had been warned not to do any spying. Replying to counsel, he admitted that such instructions caused him uneasiness, but he was assured that he was sufficiently American in appearance to disarm suspicion.

Lody remained in the course of his recital that he had married two years ago an American woman of German descent. This matrimonial venture, however, was a failure, and the marriage was dissolved, his father-in-law paying him £1,000 to compensate him for his financial losses.

The prisoner explained that he told the man who gave him his instructions in Berlin that he could not travel without the necessary documents. This official had replied that he must travel as an American; and, Lody added, in consequence of that I received an American passport.

Lody, who went once or twice while testifying, said that it was his intention when he married to become an American citizen. He claimed membership in several New York societies, such as the Japan, France, and Philippe Societies. Last Summer he served on Emperor William's yacht, the Meteor, and was in Berlin at the time of the evidence given this afternoon, the public was excluded from the courtroom. The trial was adjourned until tomorrow.

There was a sensational incident in the course of Lody's examination. A man who throughout the trial had occupied a seat on one of the War Office benches, and who was supposed to be connected with this branch of the Government, was suddenly pounced upon by detectives and removed from the building under a military escort.

LODY WELL KNOWN HERE.

Once Engaged in Hamburg-American Tourist Business.

Karl Hans Lody, who is undergoing trial by court-martial in London on a charge of espionage, is known in New York as an employee of the Hamburg-American steamship line. Persons who traveled around the world with him on Hamburg-American liners told a TIMES reporter yesterday of his career.

The information given by these persons also confirmed the dispatch from Omaha that Lody was the same man who married a daughter of Gottlieb Stora, a wealthy brewer of that city.

"Lody is a German," said one of the men who was a member of a party which made a world tour in the Hamburg-American steamship Cleveland in 1916. "He was employed as a guide by a prominent tourist agency in this city. He was versatile, quick-witted, and had many pleasing ways. He was especially attractive to the young women on the liner. His strong German tendencies were noticeable in his habit of pointing out things of special interest to Germans."

One of those who knew him said that Lody had been an officer on one of the Hamburg-American steamers before coming to the tourist agency. He made two tours around the world for this agency, and in that time he learned every detail of the business which the touring agency had worked up in ten years of hard work. He appropriated all this knowledge, and the next year he was back in the employ of the Hamburg-American Line.

It was pointed out as significant that the Hamburg-American Line after taking Lody back had sent the steamship Cleveland around the world on its own tours. And Lody, it was said, became the booking agent and guide for future around-the-world trips of the Cleveland under the steamship company's management.

"He relied on us for a year," said an officer of the tourist agency yesterday. "He made no pretense of never having been with the Hamburg-American Line. He brought letters telling of his connection with that company. We were very glad to get him."

None of the tourists who were guided by Lody could recall that he had ever pointed out any details concerning England's armaments. He was most observant, they said, and his keen eyes to advantage. They knew him only as Mr. Lody, the tourists said, and not as Charles A. Inglis, the name he gave when arrested in London.

SAY GERMANS WON IN AFRICA.

Report of Belgian Defeat Reaches Berlin—Other Information.

BERLIN, Oct. 31. (By Wireless Telegraphy to Star.) L. 13.—The following was contained in the information given out for the press today in official quarters:

German military authorities deny as fables almost all the statements regarding the German 16-inch howitzers which are being circulated in Germany and abroad. The tests of these guns began six years ago, and German artillerymen have been trained in the use of these guns for several years. The secret of these guns was preserved with remarkable success.

The Italian newspaper, Stampa, reports that German troops in East Africa have inflicted complete defeat on troops from the Belgian Congo at a point near Kiamul.

A special correspondent of the Frankfurt Gazette in East Prussia reports that there is now a total of 40,000 civilians of East Prussia who are missing as a result of the Russian atrocities in that district.

In consequence of the ill-treatment of German civilians in England the General in command of the German Army Corps stationed at Altona has declared that if Great Britain does not liberate these German Englishmen in Germany within 30 days military service will be arrested.

The Matton, published in Rome, declares that the revolt in the Union of South Africa is increasing and that the

insurgents are well armed, well equipped, and well led. The Daily News of London warns against under-rating this revolt.

The Italians are much incensed at the seizure and detention at Gibraltar of four Italian steamers from the United States. The idea Nazionale declares that these seizures are illegal and that the cargoes on board the vessels are destined for Italian firms. Two thousand seven hundred Italian passengers are being detained at Gibraltar.

The British official statements concerning the weakness of the economic and financial situations in Germany and Austria are wild chimeras of their authors, and the allegation that Swiss contractors are being paid with the German war loan is a statement that long ago was refuted. The Austrian crown has never been more than 25 per cent under par and it is today only 4 1/2 per cent under par.

The morning papers of Berlin give much space to Turkey's "effective start" in the campaign, but they refrain from commenting on the probable effect of her action on the outcome of the war or on the possibilities of developments in the Balkans.

The Ottoman Government declares that when the Russian Navy laid mines in the waters of the Bosphorus the Turkish Navy opened fire.

The temperature at Archangel now registers five degrees. As a result of this cold the White Sea soon will be frozen.

The correspondent at Dunkirk of The Tribune of Rome reports that the French soldiers have completely broken down. France's colonial troops, especially those from Africa, are demoralized by the cold.

Several official English statements have endeavored to suppress the success of the German war loan by saying that the subscription of one-quarter of the proceeds in the United States is purely illusory. This is proved to be a stupid lie by the fact that the deposits in all German savings banks amount to 2,000,000,000 marks (\$5,000,000,000), while the savings banks subscribed only 884,000,000 marks to the loan.

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COMPLAIN OF SWISS.
Germany and France Say They
Don't Observe Neutrality.

BERNE, via Paris, Oct. 31.—Although the Swiss Government is endeavoring to maintain strict neutrality in the European conflict, it has received protests from both Germany and France. The German complaint is that coal is being shipped into France from Switzerland, while France charges that cattle, especially calves, are being exported to Germany.

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TELL HOW THE KAISER ACTS AT THE FRONT

Mayor of Weimar and German
Painter Impressed by His
Great Confidence.

Two personal views of the German
Kaiser at his war headquarters are given
in passages from German newspapers
quoted in The London Times of Oct. 19
just received here. One, from a letter
written by the Burgomaster of Weimar,
who is a Reserve Officer, read:

"The Emperor was with us yesterday. What he said had such a cheerful ring, and made us so happy, that I should like the impression to reach Weimar too. He ended with the words: 'Well, boys, before the leaves fall from the trees here, we shall all be back in the dear Fatherland.' The words are a symptom of the absolute confidence of the Emperor in the victory of German arms."

This afternoon the Imperial Chancellor was also in our village to visit his son, who is serving with the Breitenau Body Cavalry. I saw the Chancellor standing for a long time in the road. He was extremely cheerful, and the hints he gave about the future shaping of Europe were based upon the assumption, as a matter of course, that Germany's victory would be complete."

The other was from a letter written by the well-known Colonial painter, Vollbehr, who is one of the official painters of battles with the German Army in the field. He wrote:

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Provides for 60 or 90 Day Extension of Credit by British to This Country.

WHILE OUR EXPORTS MOUNT

Expected Largely to Obligate Gold Shipments—Sir George Paish Cables Plan to London.

Special to The New York Times. WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—The foreign exchange conference was continued at the Treasury Department today, with the result that a definite plan of action was agreed upon, and the details submitted by Sir George Paish to the British Government. The session was attended by Sir George and his colleagues, Shell Blackett, by Gov. Hamilton and Paul M. Warburg, representing the Federal Reserve Board, and by Anthony H. Wiggin and Benjamin Strong, Jr., the New York bankers appointed by the bankers' conference ten days ago to represent the foreign exchange banks in the preparation of a plan to restore normal exchange conditions between the United States and Europe. It is understood that one result of the deliberations is that there will not be an immediate demand by Great Britain for payment of current and accruing obligations of American business firms, and that it is the disposition of British creditors to provide for acceptances for sixty or ninety days, in which interval the balance of trade may turn in favor of the United States, and our commodities furnish a basis of payment that will largely obviate the shipment of gold abroad. It is estimated that with the present increasing volume of exports it will be only a matter of a few weeks until the pressing necessity to consider the export of gold is removed. In addition to what is shown by the reports of export business in the last fortnight, it is urged that there will soon set in a demand with a rising market

QUEEN MARY THANKS AMERICAN RED CROSS

Appreciates Sending of Relief Ship—Nurse Appeals for More Supplies.

Special to The New York Times. WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—Through her private secretary, E. W. Wallington, Queen Mary of England has communicated to Mrs. Lewis Harcourt, one of the Honorary Secretaries of the American Women's War Relief Fund in London, her appreciation of the sending of the American Red Cross relief ship, the American Red Cross ship, with American surgeons and trained nurses and quantities of hospital supplies. The letter was forwarded to Mrs. Harcourt, Chairman of the National Relief Board of the American Red Cross, by Mrs. Harcourt, and is as follows:

My Dear Mrs. Harcourt: The Queen commands me to write and ask you to be so good as to convey to Miss Hay and the other ladies, nurses, and doctors, connected with the American ship Red Cross, an expression of her Majesty's sincere appreciation of the kindly and generous assistance they are rendering to our wounded soldiers and sailors. The Queen is interested to hear that the despatch of this ship has been mainly the work of women, and her Majesty feels sure that this friendly action on the part of the American ladies will receive the deep gratitude of the people of this country. Believe me, yours very sincerely, E. W. WALLINGTON. In a letter to Miss Boardman Mrs. Harcourt said: "We feel it a very great privilege that one of the units sent by you should be sent to work at our American Women's Hospital." "We have 42,000 wounded in this little corner of Brittany alone," writes a personal friend of Miss Boardman, from Dinard. The letter is a pathetic appeal for more hospital supplies and pictures the distressing conditions in some of the improvised hospitals. "Even if we had money," she says, "it would be impossible to buy the things we most need over here. Wool is very scarce and anti-tetanus serum is very difficult to get. Cotton is disappearing. We have now within the radius of five miles over 5,000 wounded. In Dinard we have turned all of the large hotels and casinos into hospitals—ten in all, with about 3,000 beds. At St. Luniar, a suburb, there are four hospitals with 800 beds. At St. Malo and Paramé are five other hospitals, with between 1,200 and 1,500 beds. Our only means of procuring supplies for our little neighborhood is through the sea. We are exhausted. We have to try to get them from London by boat and from Paris by rail, and these are very uncertain. All the able-bodied women are nurses, no matter how ignorant. "One morning last week, before 6 o'clock, 380 wounded men were brought

28 BRITISH OFFICERS IN NEW DEATH LIST

32 Wounded and 8 Missing—Lord Lansdowne's Son Among Those Killed.

LONDON, Oct. 31.—The Official Press Bureau issued tonight the names of twenty officers killed, eight who died of wounds, thirty-two wounded and eight missing, received from headquarters under date of Oct. 28.

Among the killed was Capt. Sir Francis Ernest Waller, Royal Fusiliers, while among those who died of wounds were Lieut. Col. D. E. Ward, Middlesex Regiment, and Lieut. Col. W. L. Loring, Royal Warwickshire.

Among the wounded are Major the Hon. Clement B. O. Freeman-Mitford, Tenth Hussars, heir of Lord Redesdale, and Lieut. Sir Richard Vincent Sutton, Lord Nairne, the second son of the Marquis of Lansdowne, Conservative leader in the House of Lords, has been killed in action. He was a Major in the First Dragoons and served in the South Africa war.

Lord Nairne was born in 1874. In 1909 he married Lady Violet Mary Elliott, daughter of the fourth Earl of Minto, who was a former Governor General of Canada. Since 1910 Lord Nairne had been an Equerry-in-Waiting to King George.

Capt. Sir Francis Ernest Waller was 34 years old. He succeeded his father

OLYMPIC STILL HELD UP.

Liner May Proceed to Belfast to Land Her Passengers.

LONDON, Oct. 31.—The White Star Line steamer Olympic is still lying at Lough Swilly and has not yet landed any of her passengers. No communication has been received between the ship and the shore.

It is expected that the Olympic, which sailed from New York on Oct. 21, will proceed to Belfast within a day or two. She is said to have put into Lough Swilly because of a warning received against mines in the North Channel.

The following cable message concerning the Olympic was received at the White Star office here last night from Liverpool: "Olympic all well with passengers aboard. Lough Swilly authorities refuse permission to land there. When safe passage is assured, steamer proceeds to Belfast to land passengers, probably tomorrow or Monday."

REFUGEE SHIP TORPEDOED. Amiral Ganteaume Said to Have Been Sunk by Submarine.

LONDON, Oct. 31.—It is officially announced that the refugee ship Amiral Ganteaume, a Boreaux dispatch to Reuters, a Boreaux dispatch, was torpedoed by a German submarine, and did not strike a mine, as was at first thought.

TO FINE GERMAN SHIP. Cuba Expected to Punish Bavaria for Using Wireless.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. HAVANA, Oct. 31.—A fine of \$1,000 will probably be assessed on the German liner Bavaria for using her wireless after being especially forbidden by a Presidential decree in an effort to preserve Cuba's neutrality. The port regulations required the wireless room to be sealed while ships are in port. The Government learned that the Bavaria was sending and receiving messages and sent out police in the bay who ascended the masts and found the Bavaria had been here since the outbreak of the war. She is heavily stocked with coal and provisions and is expected to supply a German cruiser.

SAYS GERMANY FEARS AN ATROCITIES INQUIRY

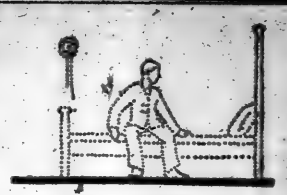
British Report That Her Ambassadors Are Instructed to Prevent It.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. LONDON, Oct. 31.—A correspondent of The Standard in Berlin says that the German Government has instructed its representatives abroad to exert all their influence to discourage the movement for the holding of an international gathering of neutrals in Switzerland to inquire into the charges of inhumanity and violation of the laws of war alleged against Germany by other belligerents. It is said that special instructions on this subject have been sent Count von Bernstorff, and that Germany is particularly desirous of preventing the United States from inquiring too minutely into her conduct of the war.

SUBMARINES AT ANTWERP. Six Which Arrived by Rail Are Being Tested in Dock.

LONDON, Oct. 31.—A dispatch from Rotterdam to The Evening News says: "Brachan (north of Antwerp) has been occupied by German soldiers and marines, who are preparing winter quarters there."

The Germans are strengthening and mining the roads around Brussels, Grammont, Antwerp, Lokeren, and Ghent. Six submarines, which arrived at Antwerp by rail, are now being fitted and tried in dock.



Can't Sleep Kept awake by "jumpy" nerves and poor digestion, worrying over the day's perplexing problems, this man doesn't know what it is to sleep a long, refreshing sleep. There is nothing in the world that would do him more good than

Johann Hoff's MALT EXTRACT

the greatest body builder the world has ever known. Used for general debility, convalescence, and for mothers while nursing. Makes flesh and blood. At all druggists, 25c a bottle.

The New York Times Malt-Extract Editorial War Extra contains, besides the magnificent war pictures by Rotemann process, the double-page reproduction of "The Dream" by Edouard Detaille, the most poetic and popular work of a great master, which has attracted the minds of art lovers to the Luxembourg in Paris. By mail, 10 cents; \$1.25 for three months; \$2.50 for six months; \$5.00 a year postpaid. The New York Times, Times Square, New York—Adv.

Belgian Relief Fund Belgian Relief Fund Millions of Belgians Face Starvation

An Appeal to You--and Yours

A plain duty confronts the American people today. It is vastly more than a charitable duty—it is a duty of humanity. Thousands of our fellow-beings, mostly women and children, are facing actual starvation and death. They have no food, no shelter from the severe winter which is approaching, and in most cases very scanty clothing. Practically all of Belgium is today a vast desert of ruins. There is no food, there is no work, there is no money. But there are hundreds of thousands of refugees wandering aimlessly about, and sleeping in the fields or woods or in shattered buildings—for their homes have been destroyed. Here is a plain question for the American people to answer:—Shall we allow these poor Belgian people to starve—to freeze? We sometimes say, "Oh, they'll get along somehow"; but they will NOT get along unless we help them. The plain fact is that thousands of them will die. The American people have been blessed with peace and comparative plenty. We are far removed from this most terrible of wars, and our children are not crying for food. Shall we turn our backs on this appalling destitution in Belgium? Shall we turn a deaf ear to the cries of these poor women and children for food and shelter from the cold? Americans have never disregarded the cry of sufferers. It is a duty we owe to help these poor people. They are looking and appealing to us—no one else can help them.

Sufficient food supplies no longer can be bought in London. Ambassador Page has returned to the Belgian Relief Committee \$50,000 cabled him for foodstuffs to be forwarded for distribution in Belgium. His cable stated:—"Need in Belgium cannot be exaggerated. Owing to shortage of food here and in Holland, it is imperative that a supply be started from the United States immediately." The London American Relief Committee yesterday cabled \$150,000 to the Belgian Relief Committee in New York, with which it is co-operating, to be turned into food, commenting:—"Situation is daily becoming more critical and it is most essential to arrange for shipping supplies from New York at once." The Belgian Relief Committee added \$150,000. A steamer is being chartered. The immediate demands and previous remittances to Antwerp, Holland and The Hague practically deplete the Belgian Relief Fund here, to which about \$260,000 has been contributed to date. One steamer-load of provisions is but a beginning. Numbers of steamers full of provisions and clothing should go forward at once. The Committee appeals to all to help. Send \$1,000 if you can. If not, send \$100, or \$10, or \$5, or \$1, or even 10 cents. Your contribution will help to rescue from starvation or death some fellow human being—some poor mother or child. Don't delay—send in your contribution at once—today. It will be acknowledged promptly, and you will know the satisfaction which comes from having joined in this great work of charity and humanity.

BELGIAN RELIEF FUND

"He gives twice who gives quickly." Yesterday's Contributions, \$9,610.65. To Date, \$264,936.72 Smallest Contribution, ONE CENT. Largest Contribution, \$10,000.

FOR CONVENIENCE PLEASE USE THIS COUPON J. P. Morgan & Co., 23 Wall St., New York. GENTLEMEN: Herewith I inclose my contribution \$ for the Belgian sufferers. Your acknowledgment is requested. Make checks payable to J. P. Morgan & Co. for "Belgian Relief Fund."

BELGIAN RELIEF COMMITTEE 10 Bridge St., New York. REV. J. F. STILLEMAN, President. ROBERT W. DE FOREST, Chairman of Executive Committee. EMANUEL HAVENITH, Belgian Minister to the U. S. PIERRE MALL, Consul General. Luman Abbott, Otto T. Barnard, James M. Beck, Robert E. Ellis, Robert E. Swenson, Henry W. De Forest, Cleveland R. Dodge, Thomas E. Hubbard, Rev. O. A. Joy, W. Barclay Parsons, Bernard Baep, John E. Bial, Francis Lynde Stetson, John Thayer, Frank A. Vanderbilt, Alfred T. White.

A Sale of Suits Trimmed with Hudson Seal

for Women and Misses—2nd Floor 35.00 45.00 Entirely new, distinctive models of fine broadcloth with Hudson seal collars; warmly interlined.

Women's Crepe de Chine Blouses

5.75 A Very Unusual Value Very smart, new semi-tailored models of superior white crepe de chine.

A Sale of 25 Fur Trimmed Hats

for Women and Misses—2nd Floor 14.50 Original, exclusive models from our own work-rooms; no duplicates.

A Sale of Women's Neckwear

Actual Values 95c to 1.35 65c Soft rolling collars of sheer hemstitched linen, hand-embroidered and trimmed with lace.

A Sale of Women's Sweaters

The Actual Value is 8.75 6.50 Coat sweaters of artificial silk with Vshaped neck, in rose, copenhagen or white.

Very Important Sales Monday for Girls and Misses

Again demonstrating our superior values at Popular Prices.

A Sale of Fur Trimmed Suits

Sizes 14 to 17 years—4th Floor 25.00 Of fine broadcloth, wool velour or cheviot, in very smart, new dressy models.

A Sale of Fur Trimmed Dresses

for Misses, 14 to 17 years—4th Floor 22.50 Of excellent quality velveteen combined with satin, in an entirely new, smart model.

Misses' Special Winter Coats

Sizes 14 to 17 years 12.75 Of Scotch mixtures, zibelines or chevots.

A Sale of Girls' Guimpes

85c The Regular Price of which is 1.25 High neck, long sleeves and tucked yoke with embroidery insertion. 4 to 12 years.

Imported Austrian Velour Hats

for Girls and Misses—4th Floor 5.75 to 12.00 Presenting a choice selection of Austrian Velours in black and colors.

Children's Night Drawers

95c The Former Prices were up to 1.45 Of outing flannel, striped blue and white or pink and white, with or without feet. 1 to 12 yrs.

LILIPUTIAN BAZAAR Trade Mark—Copyrighted A Sale of Children's Sweaters Much Below the Regular Prices 2.75 3.50 4.50 Sizes 1 to 3 years—3rd Floor Of fine Angora cashmere or imported Shetland wool; in colors or white. Prices according to style and size. FIFTH AVENUE At 35th Street Best's Toy Shop Features Popular Prices Many customers have begun to select for Christmas, and our "ALL-THE-YEAR TOY SHOP" can help you, for we have received 95% of our orders placed abroad, and are showing larger stocks of domestic toys than ever. A Big Stock of Juvenile Christmas Books

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BEHOLD SECRETLY WED LONGS FOR FREEDOM

Alma Müller, Who Married Frank
Wupperman Last March,
Now Estranged.

LEFT HIM TO STUDY ART

Bridgroom to Seek Reconciliation
with Young Wife Who Re-
turned on the Red Cross.

WUPPERMAN—MÜLLER.—Miss Alma Müller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wupperman, of 111 West 11th St., on March 11, 1914.

Friends of Miss Alma Rose Müller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wupperman, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wupperman, of 111 West 11th St., on March 11, 1914.

Mr. Wupperman, who is now playing the part of Basil in "Mr. Wu" at the Metropolitan Opera House, and Mrs. Wupperman, who is now playing the part of Mrs. Wupperman in "The Girl Who Came to Supper" at the Metropolitan Opera House, are now playing the part of Mrs. Wupperman in "The Girl Who Came to Supper" at the Metropolitan Opera House.

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According to the elder Mrs. Wupperman, the two young people had known each other a year and a half or two years, and there were no objections to their marriage.

Their secret courtship began a year ago, when Miss Alma Müller, who was then a student at the Metropolitan Opera House, and Mr. Wupperman, who was then a student at the Metropolitan Opera House, were introduced.

The parents of neither of the young people learned of their marriage until after it had been celebrated at the Metropolitan Opera House, where the ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. W. Wupperman.

There, according to his mother, he met his wife that same evening, and was told that she had been married to him. She was unable, according to the elder Mrs. Wupperman, to give any explanation for her change of heart, insisting that she knew nothing about the marriage.

HELD AS BLACK HAND CHIEF

Police Catch Santo Stabile in Williamsburg After a Fight.

Santo Stabile of 170 Scholtes Street, Williamsburg, who is said by the police to be the leader of the Black Hand gang, was arrested last night at Humboldt and Scholtes Streets by Detectives Flanagan, Catoe, and Lioan of the Seventh Detective Division.

The arrest was the result of a confession which the police say they have obtained in the last week from John Lioan of 111 Moore Street, and James Seim of 139 Johnson Avenue, both of whom are under arrest for leaving bombs on doorsteps. Their confessions, it is said, indicated that Stabile was the head of the Black Hand gang in Williamsburg and author of all the threatening letters which have been written in the district.

Stabile disappeared about a week ago, suspecting that the police were after him. He was caught on a street fight against the three detectives, but was soon overpowered. At the station the police obtained a specimen of his handwriting, which they say bears out the evidence.

The detective said that Stabile has a cousin of the same name who is now serving a ten-year sentence in Sing Sing for putting a bomb in a hallway in Manhattan.

Doctor's Wife in Odd Accident.

Mrs. Linda Hansell, after returning last night from an automobile drive with her husband, Dr. M. C. Hansell, of 815 Elmore Place, the Bronx, started to get out of the front of their home. The door apparently was unlocked, and it gave way and precipitated her into the street. She was taken to Fordham Hospital with her skull fractured.

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CAPTAIN ROBBED ON BOAT.

Throws One of Three Thugs Overboard—Beaten Till Insensible.

Capt. Keran Flannery of the tugboat Thomas Flannery was alone on his boat about 10 o'clock last night, at Pier 2, off Fort-sixth Street, Brooklyn, when three men came aboard and descended into the cabin where he was sitting. One pointed a pistol at his head and demanded money.

Flannery, instead of yielding, jumped at the group and engaged all three. The pistol, apparently, was not loaded, for, though they strove to keep him covered, nobody fired. In the struggle the party surged forward and Flannery picked up one man and threw him overboard.

The other two pounded him with blackjacks until he sank to the deck unconscious; whereupon they took \$125 from his pockets and got away. What became of the man thrown overboard is not known.

Flannery's cries had aroused special policemen on the dock, who arrived after the fight was over. They called Dr. McLachlan of the Norwegian Hospital, who treated Flannery's bruised head and sent him to his home at 450 Fort-sixth Street.

NEW HAVEN LINE BLOCKED.

Blazing Electric Engine Ties Up Traffic at 125th Street.

Traffic on the New Haven Railroad south of 125th Street was stopped for half an hour yesterday afternoon, when an electric locomotive caught fire from a short circuit under the motorman's cab as it was standing in the 125th Street Station. The motor was attached to a train of eleven cars, most of which were full of passengers.

When the fire was discovered the employees of the railroad ordered all passengers out of the train, and then a fire was burning actively when the train was stopped. The fire was extinguished by hand extinguishers. They could make no headway, and the fire was burning actively when the train was stopped.

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PREPARES TO MEET CRISIS IN MEXICO

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his representatives on the border that he will consider only one proposal for his retirement and that must be written in the form of a resignation. That he said, would automatically retire him from public life, as it is the only thing that is keeping him in it. Villa says he is only trying to get justice and equality for his people, and he is the only one who can keep Carranza from becoming a second dictator like Huerta.

In handcuffs and shackles Joaquín Torres and Emilio Navarro, who are said to have confessed a part in the alleged attempted assassination of Villa at Villa de Guadalupe, just north of Aguascalientes, will appear before the convention tomorrow. These men, like Murguía, who confessed, are said to have made statements implicating prominent Carranzistas. General Huerta, the statement says, will make before the convention an expected to create a sensation.

EL PASO, TEXAS, Oct. 31.—Leaders of the rival Carranza and Villa factions of the Constitutional Party in Mexico today looked for an early settlement of differences between the two chiefs, following the action of the Aguascalientes conference last yesterday in adopting a declaration of neutrality between Carranza and Villa from official positions. The protocol was passed by a vote of 12 to 7.

The plan which would retire the two opposing leaders was drafted and adopted by the assembled joint Committee on Civil and Military Matters, the members of which were the leaders of both factions. It was arranged that the Provisional President, to be named later, should take oath of office before the assembled convention. The document thanked Gen. Carranza and Gen. Villa for their revolutionary activity.

The proposition for the retirement of both leaders was made to the convention by Carranza himself, who insisted that unless Villa also retired he would refuse to step down from office.

The plan of Aguascalientes places full power in the provisional President, and the present body of chiefs, which will act in the capacity of a Congress. The plan does not call for elections until after the arrangement of civil reforms by this body. No time is set for the general elections. The plan in this regard says:

"Said President will take oath before the assembled convention and will arrange the programme of government which will emanate from this arrangement along the best lines to realize in reform."

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And It Occurred Before the Boston
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of Prejudice.

Too long has New York City been deprived of its share of honor in the events which led to the Declaration of Independence and the birth of the nation. This is to be changed, for the Lower Wall Street Business Men's Association and delegates of various New York historical societies met yesterday in the Coffee Exchange and resolved that their history shall be rewritten so that all the world may know that New York, and not Massachusetts, was the real cradle of liberty.

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ports of Russia to secure access to
unfrozen waters; in the efforts of
France to found an empire in Africa,
Madagascar, and China; in the efforts
of Japan to control Korea; in Italy's
enterprise in Tripoli, and in the
steady struggle of Germany to attain
an outlet for her teeming population
that would strengthen her political
and commercial power. If England,
the greatest of the expanding Powers
of Europe, has seemed, in the last
half century, to pursue a different
policy, it is because her immense ac-
quisitions were already made under
the guidance of the more selfish and
less enlightened system still generally
adopted.

Here, as we see it, is a vitally im-
portant element in any process of
federation that may be evolved after
the close of the present war. To the
extent that the federation can be
made to carry with it freedom of ex-
change its chances of keeping the
peace will be increased, for one of the
most active, deep-seated, and per-
sistent motives for war will be, in that
ratio, eliminated. The strength of some
of the most powerful and prosperous
of modern nations originates in the
scope of free exchange within their
wide borders. The essential founda-
tion of the unity of our own country
was the provision for untrammelled
trade between the States embodied in
our Constitution a century and a
quarter ago. The beginning of unity
in Germany was the Zollverein, which
formed the framework that Bismarck
built upon. Though, as we have
pointed out, the vast Empire of Great
Britain was acquired under the old
Colonial system, its immense strength
has been maintained and developed by
adherence to the freedom of all British
markets. Barter, trade, industry,
commerce, finance, in their present
incalculable scope, are but the suc-
cessive developments of the primal
instinct, the primal need for exchange.
Federation, international adjudica-
tion, peace and progress will advance
only as freedom of exchange is fos-
tered and extended.

PICK CANDIDATES NOW.

Before entering the election booth
next Tuesday, and even before start-
ing for the polls, each voter who
would make an intelligent choice
should provide himself with a list of
the men he wishes to see elected.
He can no longer vote a straight
ticket with one cross-mark under the
party emblem. Right through the
Massachusetts ballot it is necessary to
pick the names, both for candidates
in the State and in the voter's district,
except for the delegates at large to the
Constitutional Convention.

The voter may cast a ballot for
fifteen delegates at large and three
district delegates. He should, there-
fore, ascertain the number of his Sen-
atorial district, if he does not know it.
In choosing candidates for the con-
vention that is to change the organic
law of the State some little care would
be well rewarded. Certainly names
of men so conspicuous for their abili-
ties and experience as ELMER ROOR
and EDGAR M. CULLEN will arrest the
voter's attention. We give the coun-
sel to every voter, whatever be his
party, to vote to send Senator Roor
and Judge Cullen to the convention.
But be sure to cast a ballot for con-
vention delegates. Don't cast the sepa-
rate ballot aside, or hand it in un-
marked. The matter is too impor-
tant.

THE SUBWAY AND THE CITY'S FUTURE.

The record of the Interborough's
first ten years is marvelous, looking
backward, and even more interesting
and important looking forward. There
seems no reason to doubt that a re-
cord of city traffic without parallel in
the world will be repeated, and in
that case the city will be made over.
In its last year the Subway carried
340,000,000 passengers, or about ninety
millions more than its average. Its
elevated subsidiaries carried together
311,500,000. Together they averaged
just a little short of two million pas-
sengers daily throughout the year,
counting Sundays as half days. This
is the Manhattan portion of the dual
subway, whose future business is to
be reckoned only in billions. In 1900
the figures of the experts, using past
experience, which always hitherto has
been surpassed, call for a rapid transit
traffic of 21,000,000,000. The figures
transcend comprehension, but their
meaning may be translated into terms
of daily convenience and economy to
every man, woman, and child in the
city, which then will be the world's
greatest and grandest, as its traffic
system is already.

THE BROAD SIGNIFICANCE OF THE FIGURES.

The broad significance of the
figures is that New York has ceased
to be a city without suburbs. In this
respect other American and foreign
cities have surpassed this incom-
parable town. Most of them have
had garden quarters, where family
life could be enjoyed economically.
The new city railway system will
end the reproach that this is a city
for the very rich or the very poor,
for those who lived in palaces or ten-
ements. In Brooklyn, where there are
four rapid transit stations, there are
to be 140, against the 143 which
Manhattan enjoys, and will have in-
creased to 202. Queens, which now
has none, is to have 41, compared
with the Bronx's 29, to be increased
to 75. This does not exhaust the total
of new stations along the new lines,
and there are to be increased facili-
ties in the way of larger cars, longer
trains, and so on. The accessibility
of Brooklyn is to be increased thirty-
four times, and in some respects the

advantages of Queens will surpass
those of Brooklyn. Work upon the
dual subway is in its last stages, and
when completed the most incredible
thing of all will be accomplished.
There will be provided a capacity an-
nually of a billion seats above the
estimated need. Yet looking ahead
it may be supposed that those plan-
ning this monumental work will be
reproached for their inadequate con-
ception of the necessities of the case.
Bringing these figures down to the
case of the individual who pays the
fares it is to be remarked that these
are all dime rides marked down to a
nickel. The dual subway abolishes
the two-fare system which has levied
a daily toll upon those who could not
afford it. It gives them access to
cheaper and better homes, where
children can play in the sunlight with
safety, and where their parents will
not have to sleep in closets or pay
half tribute to the landlords. Sixty
million dime rides are to be con-
verted into the nickel sort, a matter
of \$3,000,000 to the farepayers. For
the city there has been reckoned an
addition to values returning annually
\$10,000,000 in taxes. It seems too
good to be true, and yet it is actually
occurring, now, not hereafter. The
cheap acres, empty according to a
city standard, which have been fertil-
ized by the promise of the subway,
present an aspect of activity of con-
struction and improvement of values
which are a cheering exception to the
generally depressed real estate mar-
ket. In Manhattan there has been a
decrease in building projects
from \$50,000,000 last year to \$41,426,
000 this year. In Brooklyn there
has been an increase from \$24,263,
500 to \$38,797,535. In Queens the
increase has been from \$12,656,021
to \$16,063,267. The travel statistics
are wonderful, but their interpreta-
tion into terms of daily life shows
something better yet—that New York
at last is doing its duty by its citi-
zens, and that they are appreciating
what is being done for them.

TWO CHAMPIONS OF GERMANY.

We print today two articles written
to show that Germany did not begin
the war, that Germany was not to
blame for the war, that she was
justified in going to war. Each places
the blame elsewhere.

SING SING'S NEXT WARDEN.

May we suggest to Superintendent
of Prisons RILEY that his next ap-
pointee as Warden of Sing Sing be
a man trained to be a Warden?
Warden McCormick was not qualified
in any sense to have charge of that
great prison, in which the problems
of discipline have been made more
difficult by years of favoritism and
ignorant and improper oversight. Mr.
McCormick's predecessor resigned be-
cause, he said, he had not the train-
ing that would fit him to guard and
care for the inmates.

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Evening Dresses are of Chiffon, Tulle, Net, Crepe Meteor, Charmeuse, and Crepe de Chine—trimmed with iridescent sequins, jet, silver lace and the other new adornments endorsed by Paris.

The Afternoon and Tailleur Frocks are of Satin combined with Velvet, Serge-and-Satin; also some of Charmeuse.

Women's \$45 to \$145 Evening Wraps at \$32.50 to \$85

Imported Wraps of Chiffon Velvet, in the model which is illustrated, at \$50 instead of \$75. Also copies of foreign models in Chiffon Velvet, rich Satins and Plush Raye—quite a few are trimmed with fur, and all of them have beautiful linings.

Plush Coats Trimmed with Skunk-Opossum, \$25 to \$35

Third Floor

A New Evening Hat of Silver Lace—\$12.75

It is harmonious with dinner gowns, and it is very picturesque when worn with any of the new dancing frocks.

The brim of this chapeau is quite unique—as you will see by the illustration—and its binding of black velvet is continued in long streamers which give it added chic.

The newest Afternoon Hats are canotiers of silver lace trimmed with furs and flowers, \$12.75.

Spanish Caps of Sequins—\$5 to \$15—For Dancing

It seems scarcely fair to say that those of striped sequins, in the true Spanish colors, are most artistic, for those of jet or iridescent sequins are very effective.

Paris-Made Hats of Breitschwanz—\$6.75—Untrimmed

As the Breitschwanz is one of the best qualities, it requires a keen eye to detect that it is not broadtail fur. The hats are in the new tricorne, turbans and sailors, which have been especially designed for wear with fur coats.

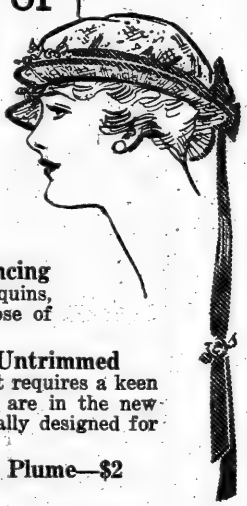
Lyre Bands of Ostrich—Each with a 7-inch Plume—\$2

In white, sand color, black, new blue and pink.

Hats Trimmed Without Additional Charge

Third Floor

\$12.75



Warp Print Ribbons, 25c Yd.

5-in. wide. In pretty floral designs; pink, blue, white and mals. Others from 1 to 8 in. wide, 15c to \$1.25 yard.

Satin Brocade Sash and Hair Bow Ribbons, in pink and blue; 5/8-in., 35c yard; 7-in., 50c yard. Main Floor

Pretty Laces—Inexpensive

One need not go to much expense to be in harmony with Fashion, for these trimmings, good to grace any apparel, are decidedly fashionable.

Double-width Chiffon in street and evening shades, regularly 85c, at 60c yard.

Gold-embossed Chiffon and Net on white ground, for dancing frocks, regularly \$1 and \$1.25, at 65c and 75c yard.

Shadow Laces for theatre blouses and evening gowns, 10 to 27 inches wide, regularly 45c to \$2.25, at 25c to \$1.

Linen and Fancy White Cotton Laces for fancy work, lingerie and bodice caps, 2 to 6 inches wide, regularly 20c to 40c, at 15c to 25c yard.

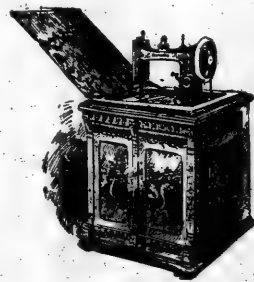
Fashionable Tunics, \$6 to \$11.50

Of soft satin, crepe de chine, chiffon, Tosses and Brussels net, in black, navy blue and evening shades; side pleated, box pleated, accordion pleated or full gathered.

\$4 and \$4.50 Belgian Lace Blouses, \$2.50

Lined with flesh-colored chiffon in dainty patterns. Main Floor

\$55 "Domestic" Cabinet Sewing Machines, \$45



Because of a discontinued design in the woodwork, this concession in price is made. When closed, the Cabinet makes a handsome piece of furniture fit for any living room. In Mahogany, Circassian Walnut or Early English to match your furniture.

This model has all the latest improvements, including the famous looper, which sews either lock or chain stitch at will; is ball-bearing, has the self-threading needle bar, automatic bobbin winder and automatic lift.

\$2 Cash and \$1 Each Week

will make you owner of this beautiful machine, which carries a complete set of attachments and a FIVE-YEAR GUARANTEE, without any other charges. A competent instructor will teach you at your home, if in Greater New York, without charge. Fifth Floor

More Remarkable News of Fine Rugs

Made in United States

In the great amount of merchandise involved, in the way the public responded to our first announcement of last Sunday, and also in the very lowness of the prices themselves, this Sale, to which our \$400,000 stocks of Floor Coverings contribute, is extraordinary.

One week's selling cannot greatly affect the assortments of a sale of this size. We have just as promising offerings ready for tomorrow in Oriental and Domestic Rugs, Carpets and Linoleums.

For instance, in large size rugs, we will offer:

\$37	Whittall's Teprac Royal Wiltons, 8 ft. 3 in. x 10 ft. 6 in.	\$30
\$28.50	Whittall's Peerless Body Brussels, 8 ft. 3 in. x 10 ft. 6 in.	\$20.50
\$41.50	Royal Wilton Rugs, 9x12ft.	\$32.50
\$31	Body Brussels Rugs, 9x12 ft.	\$21.50
\$42.50	Royal Wilton Rugs, 9x12 ft.	\$25
\$30	Seamless Axminster Rugs, 9x12 ft.	\$25
\$22.50	& \$25 Axminster Rugs, 9x12 ft.	\$15 & \$20
\$42.50	Body Brussels, 9x15 ft.	\$36
\$57	Royal Wilton Rugs, 9x15ft.	\$48.50
\$57	Royal Wilton Rugs, 11 ft. 3 in. x 12 ft.	\$48.50
\$42	Body Brussels, 11 ft. 3 in. x 12 ft.	\$36
\$37.50	Body Brussels, 10 ft. 6 in. x 10 ft. 6 in.	\$32.50
\$63.50	Royal Wilton Rugs, 10 ft. 6 in. x 13 ft. 6 in.	\$55
\$48.50	Body Brussels Rugs, 10 ft. 6 in. x 13 ft. 6 in.	\$40
\$71.50	Royal Wilton Rugs, 11 ft. 3 in. x 15 ft.	\$60
\$53.50	Body Brussels Rugs, 11 ft. 3 in. x 15 ft.	\$45

Sixth Floor

Great Advantage in Attending This Exceptional Sale of Bedcoverings

Europe's increasing demand for cotton goods is causing the wholesale market to rise. But our large stocks, bought at advantage long ago, enable us to offer these remarkable savings. In view of market tendencies, these low prices may not be repeated.

GIMBELS "Hudson" Brand Sheets and Pillow Cases

Excellent wearing and laundering qualities. Sizes before hemming.

Bleached Seamless Sheets		Bleached Pillow Cases	
54x90-in.	60c; reg. 80c	72x99-in.	80c; reg. \$1
68x90-in.	65c; reg. 85c	81x99-in.	75c; reg. 95c
83x99-in.	75c; reg. 95c	81x99-in.	85c; reg. \$1.05
72x90-in.	70c; reg. 90c	90x99-in.	95c; reg. \$1.15
		90x108-in.	\$1; reg. \$1.25

New Bedspreads, Blankets, and Comfortables

\$3.25	Satin-Finish Bedspreads, \$2.25 Full size; hemmed. The same, scalloped, and with cut-out corners, regularly \$3.50, at \$2.50.	\$12.50	Extra Good White Woolen Blankets, \$10 Pair 80x90-in.; cut singly and bound with wide silk binding; in pink or blue border.
\$5.50	White Satin Bedspreads, \$4.25 Made specially for GIMBELS. Full size; hemmed; in new Fall Marseilles patterns. The same, scalloped and with cut-out corners, regularly \$6, at \$4.75.	\$4.50	Sateen-Covered Comfortables, \$3.50 72x78-in.; pure white cotton filling; pretty floral designs; all colors.
\$6.50	White Woolen Blankets, \$5 Pair Part cotton filling; pink and blue borders. 72x82-in. reg. \$7.50, at \$6 Pair	\$6.50	Wool-Filled Comfortables, \$5 72x78-in. Sateen covering; winter weight; floral designs.
	Extra Large-Size Blankets. 72x90-in. reg. \$6.50, at \$5 Pair 72x90-in. reg. \$7.50, at \$6.50 Pair 76x90-in. reg. \$9, at \$7.50 Pair	\$7.50	Heavy Weight Down-Filled Comfortables, \$6.50 72x72-in.; pure new down filling; floral and Persian designs; wide border to match.

Second Floor

Women's Milanese Silk Vests, \$1.15

Made with reinforced arm shield. White and pink. Exceptional value.

Women's "Sterling" 1/4 Wool Union Suits, \$2.50 to \$3.50.

Low neck or no sleeves; high neck and half sleeves; low neck and short sleeves; knee and ankle lengths.

Women's American Hosiery Make Union Suits, \$2.85 to \$7.95.

Heavy list, mercerized and pure silk garments. Flesh and white colors.

Children's Fleece Lined Vests and Drawers.

Sizes 8 to 10 years, 35c; 12 to 15 years, 45c. Union Suits for children, 8 to 10 years, 60c; 12 to 15 years, 70c.

Children's Fine Ribbed 2-3 Wool and 1-3 Cotton Vests and Drawers.

Vests high neck and long sleeves; Dutch neck three-quarter sleeves; Drawers, knee and ankle lengths, 55c. for 3 year size; rise of 5c. on each size. Main Floor

Women's Heavy Weight Silk Stockings, 65c Pair

Exceptional values. Made with deep heel tops and lisle soles. Black only. Also broken lines of pure Silk Stockings, 65c. pair. These are in white and colors.

Women's Imported Cotton Stockings, 35c, 3 pairs \$1

Various weights. Extra sizes included. All black or with unbleached split soles. Main Floor

Most Important November Sale of FASHIONABLE DRESS GOODS The GIMBEL Store Has Ever Announced

Thousands of yards in a very remarkable gathering of the season's greatest favorites at emphatic price reductions, notwithstanding the scarcity of imported fabrics.

Blacks and popular colors in extraordinary profusion. A magnificent stock, embracing in large quantities such extremely favored fabrics as Broadcloths, Gabardines, and Serges, and in such constantly demanded colors as browns, greens, plums, navy, blue, and black. For instance:—

BROADCLOTHS, in complete color assortments, at \$1 to \$3 yd.

GABARDINES, in complete color assortments, at \$1 to \$3 yd.

FRENCH SERGES, in a splendid color range, at \$1 to \$2.75 yd.

FRENCH VELOURS and **RICH ZIBELINE COATINGS** are also shown in extensive variety.

For Monday the Dress Goods Salon has also arranged:

\$1.35 Yd.	\$2 Broadcloths Sponged and shrunk; rich, lustrous finish. Browns, greens, navy blue, and other shades.	\$1.65 Yd.	54-Inch Gabardines All wool; regular \$2.50 quality. Brown, green, cadet, plum, and navy blue. Firmly woven.
\$1.50 Yd.	French Serges and Chain Weave Gabardines 50 inches wide. All wool, in a firm weave and favorite colorings. Brown, green, taupe, cadet, navy, and other Autumn shades.	68c Yd.	All-Wool Granite Poppins A very popular weave; firmly woven and richly finished. A complete assortment of colors, including navy, green and brown.

And These SPECIALS IN BLACK GOODS

\$2 54-inch Black Broadcloth, \$1.35 Yard Sponged and shrunk.	\$2.50 50-inch Black Serges, \$1.50 Yard All wool; fine, even twill.
\$1.65 54-inch Black Gabardine, \$1.65 Yard A \$2.50 quality.	\$2.50 54-inch Black Broadcloth, \$1.35 Yard Sponged and shrunk. Finely finished.

Second Floor

Elegant Coats of Selected Furs, \$95 to \$225

The Caracul in the coats with Sitka Fox collars at \$195, and those in the Russian style, edged with Skunk, at \$275, is so fine that it looks very much like broadtail.

The Hudson Seal (dyed muskrat) in the Bernard model, at \$145, illustrated, is such a rich quality that it reminds one of genuine Alaska sealskin. And it has the virtue of being exceedingly light in weight.

Hudson Seal (dyed muskrat) Coats with Kolinsky collars, \$225.

The best Arctic Seal (dyed coney) is in a \$95 model, with Ermine collar.

Coats of Very Good Ponyskin, \$27.50

And all of our other prices, up to \$500 for broadtail coats, are the minimum.

Skunk—Lynx—Ermine, Ultra In Scarfs and Muffs

The Parisians have never changed their minds about the desirability of skunk—it is, and always has been, their favorite fur for utility wear.

"Le Brun" Muffs of Skunk, \$42.50 and \$52.50

Pillow Muffs of Skunk, \$37.50 to \$105. Skunk Scarfs, \$14.50, \$22.50 to \$125.

Lynx

Muffs, the "Le Brun" style, \$45; Pillow Muffs, \$29.50 to \$85.

Scarfs & Stoies, \$19.50, \$32.50 to \$75.

Ermine

Pillow Muffs, \$32.50, \$70 to \$95.

Scarfs, \$15, \$35 to \$150.

Special—"Le Brun" Muffs of Skunk Raccoon, \$35

Blocked Scarfs to Match, \$10.

Furriers Since 1842

Third Floor

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 1914.

R. H. Macy & Co.'s Attractions Are Their Low Prices
Macy's
Herald Square Broadway, 34th to 35th St.

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ANNIVERSARY

The First Department Store in America 1858
The First New York Department Store Uptown 1902



Women's Chiffon Velvet DRESSES

Special Price, **\$24.74**
A charming Afternoon Dress with an all-velvet blouse. The transparent sleeves are of Georgette crepe of self-color; high standing Norman collar of white satin, ornamented with a rose. The velvet skirt has a tunic of Georgette crepe edged with a broad fold of charmeuse; satin girdle. Colors—Navy, Taupe, Brown, Bengais Blue and Black.

Gabardine Dresses, \$14.74
This practical Street Dress is made coat effect and features the long, straight line. The underskirt, sleeves and vestee are of black satin; novelty buttons make an effective trimming. The collar and cuffs are of white silk. Colors—Navy, Brown, Green and Black. **THIRD FLOOR, CENTRE.**

Fur Coats and Fur Sets

Don't wait until the snow is falling to buy your Furs. Now is the time while our variety is as alluring as our prices.

Caracul Coats, \$98.75
Macy's Usual Price, \$119.00.
New 42-inch model with full flare and beautifully lined.
Black Fox Sets, \$29.75
Macy's Usual Price, \$39.75.
The Set comprises an animal scarf and half barrel muff. Both are lined with black satin. **THIRD FLOOR, 34TH ST.**

Long Winter COATS

These specially priced Coats are to signalize Macy's 56th Anniversary

Fine Zibeline Coats, \$19.74
In shades of black, navy, green or brown. This smart model has deep set-in sleeves, inverted pleat at back and wide belt at waist line.
The front fastens with fancy buttons and coat is satin lined throughout. The collar is of either Australian opossum or skunk opossum.

Smart Plush Coats, \$18.74
This kimono sleeve model has a collar of skunk dyed opossum fur. The front fastens with fancy ornaments; satin lined throughout.

Long Coats of Dark Tweeds, \$16.74
Very full, mannish models, with raglan sleeves, button trimmed cuffs, roll collar of Australian opossum or skunk dyed opossum fur. Body and sleeves are satin lined. Colors: gray-and-black or brown-and-black check effect. This is an "ever ready" coat for all out-door occasions. **THIRD FLOOR, CENTRE.**

Boucle Cloth Coats, \$13.74
Full belted model; button trimmed cuffs, plush button fastening, deep collar of mole, coney fur and satin lined throughout. Colors: black or navy blue.

Women's SMART Street SHOES, (pr) \$2.97
Standard Price, \$4.00.
Made of excellent quality Patent Leather or Gun Metal Calfskin. Backs and tops of fine Black Cloth. Welled soles, plain toes and Cuban heels. Serviceable and dressy. **SECOND FLOOR, REAR.**

Organdie Soft Roll Collars, each 18c
Macy's Usual Price, 24c.
The most popular Collar this season. Shown in several shapes, finished with dainty ruffle, picot edge or hemstitched hem—and at this price one can afford to purchase half a dozen.

Fine Dress Trimmings
An elaborate collection representing the newest features of the season. Many exclusive designs in gold and silver, jet and colored bead effects, from which you can choose at prices one-third to one-half less than asked elsewhere.

Macy's Was Established 56 Years Ago

In celebration of the event we have arranged a Carnival of Economies for the week beginning tomorrow.
As every Department of the Store participates in the celebration, it is manifest that no one newspaper advertisement can do more than hint at the money-saving opportunities the Carnival affords.
In fact a page each in the World, American, and Herald is inadequate to accommodate all of the advertised special offerings; and the same item does not appear in any two of them.
As fast as one lot of merchandise is exhausted, we expect to replace it with a lot equally attractive.
We believe that in point of Quality and Price, no New York store ever approached these Offerings.
Of course the advertised lots are in a minority. Therefore, customers will do well to look for the "Not Advertised" signs throughout the Store.

10,000 Yards Satin Charmeuse 99c

Heavy Quality—40 Inches Wide, (yd.)
Macy's Usual Price (yd.), \$1.49—Elsewhere (yd.), \$1.75.
A heavy satin face of exceptional brilliancy. Absolutely perfect goods. Owing to the desirability of the fabric this offering is most unusual. The price cannot be duplicated in any other store.

All the Up-to-Date Evening and Street Shades
Plenty of Black and the following colors: White— Ivory—Flash—Pink—Ciel—Lavender—Mauve—Turquoise—Apricot—Nile—Russian Green—Taupe—Austrian Blue—Wistaria—Navy—Burgundy—Myrtle—Tete de Negre
SECOND FLOOR, 34TH STREET.

2,000 yds. 50 in. Chiffon Broadcloth (yd.) \$1.24

Sponged and shrunk, ready for the needle. There is nothing more desirable today than Broadcloth for tailor made suits. In this sale you will find the fashionable shades of Seal, Midnight-blue, Taupe, Russian Green, Myrtle, Wistaria, Copenhagen, Navy, Plum, also plenty of Black.
3,500 Yards of 54 in. All-Wool Crepe Granite Cloth (yd.) 86c
Usually (yd.), \$1.00.
Most popular weaves in dress goods shown in Marine, Tango, Copenhagen, Seal, Medium Brown, Plum, Alice Blue, Olive, Delft, Taupe and Black.
2,000 Yards of 56 in. Navy Blue Costume Serge (yd.) 79c
Usually (yd.), 98c.
This Serge comes in MIDNIGHT BLUE ONLY, which is today among the most fashionable shades worn.
SECOND FLOOR, BROADWAY.

Damask TABLECLOTHS

With Napkins to Match
IMPORTED DIRECT FROM BELFAST, IRELAND.
These TABLECLOTHS, with matching napkins, are in five elegant circular designs, the Cloths woven from full bleached, long, clean flax yarns. **SECOND FLOOR, 34TH ST.**

TABLECLOTHS
Size 72-72 (ea.) **\$2.69**
Size 72-90 (ea.) **\$3.29**
Size 72-108 (ea.) **\$4.29**
NAPKINS TO MATCH
Size 22-22 (doz.) **\$2.97**
Size 24-24 (doz.) **\$3.79**
275 Damask Tablecloths (each) \$1.19
Macy's own importation from Belfast, Ireland; full bleached, all Linen Damask, suitable for very hard wear; already hemmed.
Size 66-66 (ea.) **\$1.19**
Size 66-82 (ea.) **\$1.69**
700 Doz. All-Linen Hemstitched Huck Towels (Doz.) \$1.80
Macy's Usual Price, \$2.49.
These Towels come in colored borders or in plain white, and are suitable for hard wear. Size 18-36.

All-Linen Crash Roller towels, 2 1/2 yards (ea.) 29c
All-Linen Check Glass towels, 17x35, Hemmed (ea.) 13c
All-Linen Crash Dish towels, 17x35, Hemmed (ea.) 12c
Desirable RIBBONS at Savings (yd.) 19c
Elsewhere (yd.) 29c to 49c.
A choice collection of this season's Ribbons in Satins, Moires and fancy effects. 4 1/2 to 7 inches wide, appropriate for many purposes. **MAIN FLOOR, CENTRE.**

Shadow Lace and Net Pleatings, (yd.) 15c
Macy's Usual Price 23c and 29c.
Choice assortment of pleatings, ranging in width from 1 1/4 to 2 1/2 inches, in white or cream shadow lace or net, also white organdie, embroidered in delicate colorings. **MAIN FLOOR, 34TH ST.**

Untrimmed HATS of Style At Unusual Savings

\$3 Black Hatters' PLUSH Hats, \$1.49
(one illustrated)
Very becoming Hats, made of lustrous Hatters' Plush with Black Velvet facing, in many new, smart shapes; majority are large and medium Sailors.

High Grade Black VELVET Hats, \$1.79

Made to sell for \$3.50.
A large assortment of very fine Black Silk Velvet Hats, in a great variety of new shapes; large and medium Sailors, Tricornes, Turbans, etc.
We will trim your Hat without charge if Hat and Trimmings are purchased in our Store. SECOND FLOOR, 34TH STREET.

Men's BLANKET ROBES, \$1.74

Sold in Specialty Shops for \$3.
Every Robe is cut out of one blanket. Made full and cut correct as to shape and fit. In regular robe style with worsted girdles at neck and waist.
MAIN FLOOR, 34TH ST.

Men's SHOES, Rubber Heeled, Special at \$3.19

Standard Price \$4.00.
Black and tan calfskin on new, nobby lasts; also black vici kid; broad toes and low heels.
MAIN FL., BALCONY, 34TH ST.

Silk Mull Comfortables, (ea.) \$2.19

Macy's Usual Price, \$2.75.
Made with plain 9 inch mull borders to match. For full size beds.
100 Jap Silk COMFORTABLES, (each), \$6.74
Elsewhere \$10.50.
In plain colors, filled with extra heavy layer of Lamb's Wool.
COLORS—Pink, Blue, Old Rose, Green. **BASEMENT, REAR.**

A Very Special Offering in Iran Persian Rugs, \$37.50

Specialty Shops Charge \$50 and \$75 Each.
The average size of these beautiful Rugs is 5 ft. 1 in. x 6 ft. 3 in. They come from the weaving districts of Persia and were selected by experts. **FOURTH FLOOR.**

FINE LAMPS (AS PICTURED) \$8.89

Standard Price, \$14.89.
The handsomest and best lamps ever sold at the price. As illustrated, they are of attractive shape, with metal overlay on beautiful cathedral glass; the standards are heavy and in harmony with the shades. The height is 32 inches, and the shade has 17 inch spread. This Lamp is fitted with two pull chain sockets, bulbs, silk cord and plug.
This is only one example of the finest collection of Lamps in the City. BASEMENT.

Artists' Materials AT TYPICAL 'MACY' SAVINGS

Van Dyck Easel, \$2.94
Especially adapted to academic work; 72 inches high and can be folded to meet the requirements of students working in limited space; will hold a good size canvas.
Box of Oil Paints, \$2.19
Containing 12 tube colors, mahogany palette, palette knife, turpentine, drying oil, tracing and transfer paper, sable and bristle brushes, palette cup, academy board and colored studies.
The Art Student's Water Color OUTFIT, \$1.34
Japaned tin box, fitted with twelve tubes of moist colors and three brushes. **FIFTH FLOOR, CENTRE.**

Wool Velvet Carpet (yd.) 84c

Novel colors, novel designs, excellent for service. **FOURTH FLOOR.**

GOV. GLYNN TO WIN IF CITY ROLLS UP USUAL PLURALITY

Final Forecasts, in Face of Complicated Situation, Show He Is in the Lead.

EXPECTS MARGIN OF 68,900

Progressive Slump Up the State Will Send Many Republicans to Congress.

G. O. P. TO GET LEGISLATURE

Strong Probability That It Will Control Both Branches at Albany.

BENSEL AND SOHMER TRAIL

Glynn Likely to Run Far Ahead of Nominees Assailed by Whitman and Hennessy.

ISSUES PUZZLING LEADERS

Roosevelt and Sulzer Campaigns, Anti-Catholic Fight, and New Ballot Strong Factors.

A close election, with the outlook favoring Gov. Martin H. Glynn and a majority of the candidates on the Democratic State ticket, providing New York City lives up to traditions and returns a substantial Democratic plurality.
That forecast on the eve of the voting is based on statements from the leaders of the three principal parties and observations made by correspondents of THE NEW YORK TIMES in every section of the State.
The outlook for the Congress elections is less encouraging from a Democratic point of view. While New York City will return a majority of Democratic members of the House, the slump in the Progressive vote up-State will result in many upsets through which Republican Representatives will be sent to take the places of Democrats.

Control of Legislature.
There is a probability that the next Legislature in both branches will be Republican. The Legislature outlook distinctly favors a Republican Assembly, even though in many localities fusion between the Democrats and the Progressives on candidates of strength may make the Republican majority at Albany next year less than it would have been with three candidates in the field everywhere.
Control of the Constitutional Convention which will be held next year is in the balance because the delegates will be voted for on a separate ballot arranged by the Republican plan and very different from the form of Massachusetts ballot which will be used for the first time in this State next Tuesday.

In the circumstances there is every probability that there will be more "straight" party voting for delegates than in the past. The Republican plan, and no guarantee whatever that the vote for district delegates who are voted for with the Senate district as a basis will follow the trend set by the election of State Senators in the various districts.
Complexity of the Situation.
Puzzling problems confront the leaders, such as the new form of ballot, the prospective size of the reconstructed Republican vote, built on the foundation laid by the Hedges vote two years ago and topped off by Progressives returning from the Bull Moose wilds to the Republican ranks; the result of Sulzer's harangues to crowded meetings throughout the State, and the effect of C. H. Roosevelt's truculent campaign with the Progressive in the district Attorney Whitman, the Republican candidate for Governor.
The anti-Catholic movement directed against Gov. Glynn and other Roman Catholic nominees has been working covertly in this State for months, but since it was dragged into the open recently it has caused fierce resentments which may make of it a two-edged sword cutting into the Glynn strength on one hand, and on the other, into the support of Mr. Whitman, whom the sectarian agitators have endorsed.
There has been less prediction by political leaders backed up by figures on the eve of the present election than in any other recent campaign. The Republican leaders, however, admit that a victory for them can come only as a result of these two conditions:
That the Republicans poll fully 80 per cent. of the Progressive vote of two years ago in U-State counties.
That William Sulzer cuts into the Democratic vote in a much larger proportion than he cuts into the Republican.

Breaking Up of Progressives.
In many localities up-State, a correspondent of THE NEW YORK TIMES observed, a gradual breaking up of the Progressive Party, and in some localities it seemed to have entered upon a stage of decay. In all such localities the Republican leaders expressed the opinion that the bulk of the Progressive defection would come as a legacy to them. A close investigation, however, in nearly every instance, indicated that this presumption was far-fetched. Of the Progressive defection William Sulzer, according to all indications, will be the chief beneficiary.

Gov. Glynn has been received with enthusiasm wherever he has appeared.

Lost and Found

Lost and Found

Thirty-five Cents per ounce New.
Count six words to a line.
Telephone 1000 Wednesday night.

Silver—Available reward paid to finder a three-store diamond ring, 1000 Wednesday night, 1800 28th and 181st St., on Amsterdam. Reward for pawn ticket; no new information is asked. Reward if returned to 1810 28th St.

On Queens Boulevard, near cemetery—black band watch, containing toilet soap and a ring apiece; liberal reward for return. J. G. FARGENTHAL, 1402 Broadway.

Silver—Late Thursday afternoon, between 18th and 26th St., on 5th or 6th Ave.; a small diamond ring, 1810 28th St. Reward if returned to 1810 28th St.

Gold—Red enameled watch set with diamonds, Riverside, between 72d and 96th St. Return to Netherlands, West 66th St., 8th floor, centre, and receive liberal reward.

Diamond, pearl, amethyst necklace—and lady's gold watch, (English) liberal reward. Joe Klein, 90 Nassau St., New York.

ST-72day night, amber necklace, between 7th and 86th St., 5th and Lexington St.; reward, Lippman, 175 East 79th St.

ST-8Heart-shaped pin set with pearls, on subway or Flatbush A.V. car. Address: 121 Times Downtown, R.V. car.

ST-9Antique necklace set with Amazonite stone and pearls; suitable reward. A. F. e, 330 West 85th St., city.

ST-10Diamond horsehoe; liberal reward. M. Mrs. J. Strauss, 1,301 President St.,oklyn.

ST-11Box colored slides European war pictures; reward, F. Tenayson Neely, Hotel Mikko.

ST—Three-stone diamond ring; suitable reward. Address 420 West 116th St.

ST—Reward: Hudson seal muf, string attached inside; missing from 319 West 57th.

ST—Friday evening, diamond and colored watch brooch; reward. Stern, 44 W. 89th.

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ARMY OVERWHELMS VILLA NOVA WILLIAMSTES PRINCETON--SCHOOLS' FOOTBALL

VILLA NOVA BRUISED BY ARMY ATTACK

Soldiers Bury Their Opponents Under the Rush of Six Touchdowns—Score, 41 to 0.

Special to The New York Times.
WEST POINT, Oct. 31.—The Army eleven went on a scoring rampage this afternoon and battered the big Villa Nova team into submission under the onslaught of six touchdowns. The score was 41 to 0. The cadets scored at will, and showed an encouraging display of open football, which had Villa Nova bewildered from the start.

The soldiers raised havoc with the forward pass, and once, in the third period, carried the ball over a hundred yards, in four cleverly executed passes, one of which netted more than 30 yards. Prichard, the Army quarter, was behind the long tosses and handled the leather oval with skill and accuracy. From the 25-yard line, in the third period, he heaved a pass to Tully, who stood waiting for it behind the line.

The sensation of the day was furnished just before the end of the game by Benedict, who intercepted a Villa Nova forward pass on his own 10-yard line and galloped ninety yards to a touchdown. The whole Villa Nova team gave chase, but the flat-footed soldier outraced them all with a margin to spare.

Villa Nova had a powerful set of forwards, but they had to take a terrific hammering from the Army backs. The Army's tactics called for both old and new football, and they ripped great openings in the visitors' line with old-fashioned line plunges. Hodgson and Place were jammed through the Villa Nova line repeatedly for big gains. Both reached the end zone and the team well at quarters. Coach Daly used substitutes by the dozen and after another, all the players got a chance to make Villa Nova miserable.

Villa Nova suffered disastrously from the bruising Army attack and the game was held up repeatedly with Villa Nova players laid out on the grass. McGuckin, the quarter back, was helped off the field with a badly injured knee, while Hamilton's collarbone was fractured. Villa Nova had only a limited number of "subs" on hand and it was a pretty badly smashed up band of players that limped across the plains at the end of the game.

The Cadet Corps were enthusiastic over their eleven's speed. Although overhauled they did not come up to expectations in their resistance. The Army showed more football and of a greater variety than at any other time this season. The cadets are more anxious than ever to defeat the Navy this season after the long squabble over the annual contest.

Every game was sung today and the roar of the soldiers' cheers rumbled over the reservation every time the Army tore the Villa Nova line asunder. The teams hadn't been playing five minutes before the soldiers had rushed the ball over.

Benedict's great play came in the last period. He intercepted a Villa Nova pass, trying to make a successful pass. Standing on his own half, he intercepted the ball and caught the ball as it had been tossed from Prendergast's hands. He broke through the Villa Nova line and carried the ball to the end zone. The Villa Nova players tried to catch him, but he was too quick for them. He was the Army's excellent interference.

Villa Nova in the last period managed to work three forward passes, which gave them their only first downs of the game. Line-up: Villa Nova. Army. Left end, J. Reap. Left tackle, J. Reap. Left guard, J. Reap. Center, J. Reap. Right guard, J. Reap. Right tackle, J. Reap. Right end, J. Reap. Quarter back, J. Reap. Full back, J. Reap. Half back, J. Reap. Line-up: Villa Nova. Army. Left end, J. Reap. Left tackle, J. Reap. Left guard, J. Reap. Center, J. Reap. Right guard, J. Reap. Right tackle, J. Reap. Right end, J. Reap. Quarter back, J. Reap. Full back, J. Reap. Half back, J. Reap.

Score by quarters: Villa Nova, 0; Army, 41. Final score, 41 to 0. Villa Nova's only first downs of the game. Line-up: Villa Nova. Army. Left end, J. Reap. Left tackle, J. Reap. Left guard, J. Reap. Center, J. Reap. Right guard, J. Reap. Right tackle, J. Reap. Right end, J. Reap. Quarter back, J. Reap. Full back, J. Reap. Half back, J. Reap.

Navy Wins Well Played Game. Special to The New York Times.
ANNAPOLIS, Md., Oct. 31.—No finer football game on the local field can be remembered the today's contest in which the Naval Academy won from the College of William and Mary by a score of 16 to 0. In the game, the Naval Academy showed a more powerful back field, and the total number of yards gained by each was a record for the local field. The Naval Academy's back field was the most powerful in the country, and the College of William and Mary's back field was the most powerful in the country.

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BENEDICT, PLANK AND COOMBS TO GO

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three of which the Athletics won, in 1905, 1910, 1911, 1912, and 1914. Plank was always a steady pitcher, but not as brilliant as the great Indian, who was his fellow boxer. In the last world's series, the Boston Braves found it harder to beat Plank than any of the Athletics' pitching staff.

Charles Albert Bender, the second of the great Athletics trio, was released, was for years the acknowledged star of the Athletics' pitching staff. He was the man upon whom Mack relied in the pinches. It was he who was called upon to beat the brunt of the world's series and in 1914 he never once failed. In 1905 he won the only game which the Athletics won from the great old Giant team. Bender, popularly known as Chief, is a Chippewa Indian. He was born in Brainerd, Minn., May 5, 1888. When 18 years old he began to play first base for the Carlisle Indian team, and in 1900 he was pitching for Dickinson College. He was signed by the Athletics that year and has been with the team ever since. Despite his long baseball career, he is only 31 years old.

John W. Coombs might still be among the great pitchers in the major leagues had his strength not been undermined by a violent attack of typhoid several years ago. He first attracted attention as a pitcher for Colby College, and was secured by the Athletics in 1906 after four years with the college team. He immediately became a star, and he was on in the pitching box for the Athletics in their famous twenty-four inning game that year with Boston, the longest game on record in the major leagues. He didn't live up to his early promise, however, and for one whole year Mack tried to make him into an outfielder. In 1910 he "came back" as a pitcher and he, Plank, and Bender made a wonderful combination for the Athletics, which enabled them to win the American League pennant and the world's championship. He continued to do excellent work until his illness, but he has never done very well since then. This year he only pitched one game for the Athletics and lost, although in the box only a couple of innings. Mack used him in the outfield for a time toward the end of the season.

Bender and Plank were still doing steady work this year, and Plank did well in the world's series. Bender's fate, when he was knocked out of the box in the first game of the world's series, probably decided Mack to let the Athletics go. Their records this year were as follows:

W. L. S. BB. H. AV. Bender..... 13 103 64 139 52.0 Plank..... 12 100 42 101 42.0 Coombs..... 0 1 0 1 3 200.0 Bender was among the leading pitchers of the American League, and Plank was not far down in the list.

Union Smothers Forward Passes. Special to The New York Times.
TROY, N. Y., Oct. 31.—Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute lost to Union this afternoon in a hard fought game by a score of 24 to 0. The game was a struggle between the two teams, with Rensselaer's forward pass being the main feature. Union's defense was excellent, and they kept Rensselaer's forward pass from being successful.

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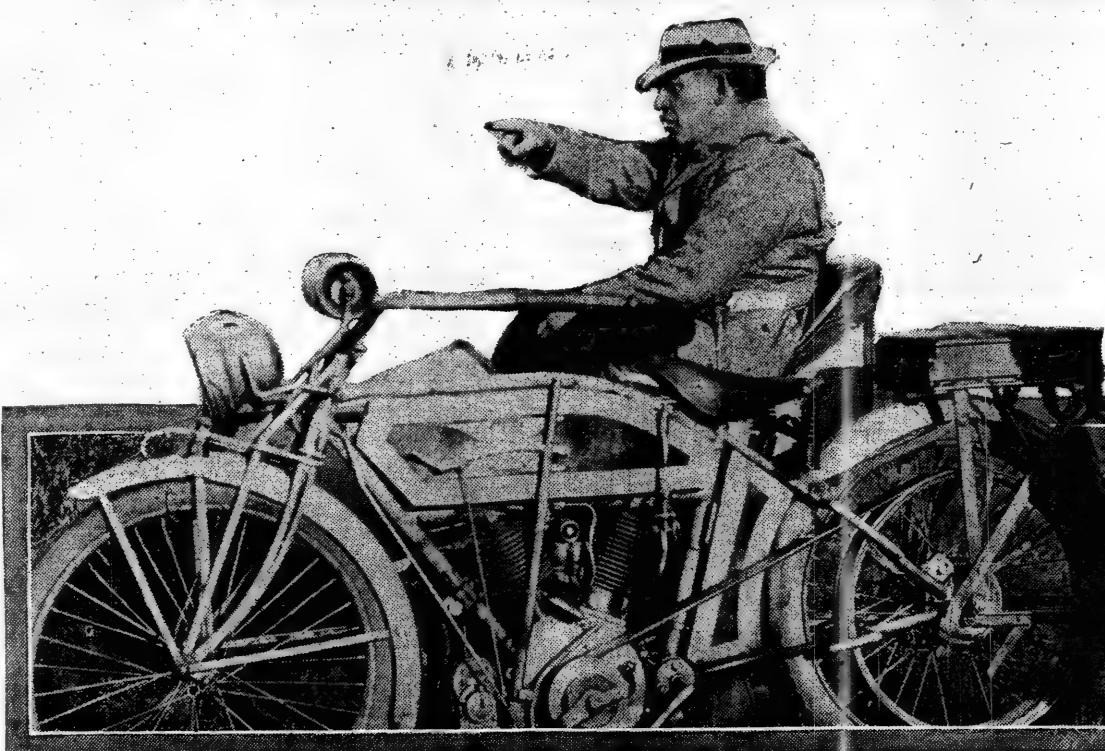
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A NOVEL METHOD OF COACHING A FOOTBALL TEAM



Coach Alonzo A. Stagg of the University of Chicago football team has been badly crippled by rheumatism since the start of the football season, but determined that this should not interfere with his work he has employed a motor-cycle side car in which he is driven by the cycle driver up and down the field behind his charges during the practice.

WILLIAMS COLLEGE TIES PRINCETON

Tigers' Ends Fail to Check Fast Backfield of Massachusetts Team.

Special to The New York Times.
PRINCETON, N. J., Oct. 31.—Williams College's fast backfield surprised the Tigers this afternoon and held the Tigers to a 7 to 7 tie. Toolan proved the hero for the visitors and left Princeton with a reputation greater than that which he had when he came. It was his sensational running that baffled the Tigers repeatedly and forced them to be satisfied with a tie score.

The showing made by Princeton indicates a busy week ahead for them. The most disappointing feature of their playing was the work of the ends. Brown and Lambertson started, and played far below their usual standard. In running down they allowed the Williams backs to get a start that proved disastrous. In covering forward passes, too, they failed. This was due in large part, however, to the poor throwing of the ball. Once again Princeton's open game failed to materialize. Out of ten attempted passes only one proved successful, and that was of the horsehoe variety.

The generalship of the Princeton team was poor. The fact that Princeton rushed the ball over 200 yards, twice as far as did their opponents, and that Driggs outplayed Eels of Williams by ten yards, would indicate that Princeton should not have been held to a tie. The failure of forward passes which crossed the goal line and went out of bounds lost the ball for the Tigers in critical moments. Ames threw away an opportunity to win for his team at the close of the fourth period, when, with the score tied and the ball on Williams' 20-yard line, he elected to punt. Williams put up a plucky game against their heavier adversaries. Not only did the backfield do brilliant work, but the line displayed unexpected strength repeatedly. The purple forwards broke up the Tiger offense on the two-yard line in the second quarter and took the ball on downs. Glick was the only man they couldn't stop. His playing was the one redeeming feature for Princeton.

The ball shot from one end of the field to the other with lightning rapidity at the outset of the game. Williams kicked off to Lambertson, who ran back to the 35-yard line. A 90-yard punt by Driggs put Williams on their one-yard line, from which position Eels kicked out 35 yards. After one first down on the 35-yard line, Toolan then surprised the Tigers with a 55-yard run, Moore catching him from the rear. Before the Princeton players recovered from this setback, Toolan shot a perfect forward pass to Overton for a touchdown. Eels kicked the goal.

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KINGSLEY ADDS ANOTHER VICTIM

Takes Horace Mann Into Camp and Keeps Its Record of No Defeats Since 1912.

Horace Mann's football eleven went down to defeat at the hands of the Kingsley School eleven yesterday afternoon by a score of 10 to 0. The game was played on the Horace Mann field. The Kingsley School has not lost a football contest since 1912. Both teams played on even terms, and the Kingsley victory came after the hardest sort of line bucking and quick handwork.

Kingsley outplayed its rivals in the first and second quarter, but met stiff opposition at critical moments, failing to score in either period. In the third quarter Kingsley drove the New York lands down the field, and Tremaine dropped a field goal over the bars from the 30-yard line. In the final period Kingsley's full back, ran 10 yards to a touchdown. The line-up follows:

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COLUMBIA TENNIS.

Wainwright and Miller in Final Match Win the Doubles.

S. Wainwright, '15, L., and S. Miller, '15, L., have won the doubles in the tennis tournament at Columbia University. The latter was the winner of the singles, which were completed Friday. Some remarkable playing featured this tournament, which extended over two weeks. In the final the winning team was forced to defeat two freshmen, C. Hollander and B. Van Rensselaer, winning three straight sets, 6-4, 6-3, 6-3.

First Round—C. Hollander, '18, and B. Van Rensselaer, '18, defeated S. Wainwright, '15, L., and S. Miller, '15, L., 6-4, 6-3, 6-3. Second Round—C. Hollander, '18, and B. Van Rensselaer, '18, defeated S. Wainwright, '15, L., and S. Miller, '15, L., 6-4, 6-3, 6-3. Third Round—C. Hollander, '18, and B. Van Rensselaer, '18, defeated S. Wainwright, '15, L., and S. Miller, '15, L., 6-4, 6-3, 6-3. Fourth Round—C. Hollander, '18, and B. Van Rensselaer, '18, defeated S. Wainwright, '15, L., and S. Miller, '15, L., 6-4, 6-3, 6-3. Fifth Round—C. Hollander, '18, and B. Van Rensselaer, '18, defeated S. Wainwright, '15, L., and S. Miller, '15, L., 6-4, 6-3, 6-3. Sixth Round—C. Hollander, '18, and B. Van Rensselaer, '18, defeated S. Wainwright, '15, L., and S. Miller, '15, L., 6-4, 6-3, 6-3. Seventh Round—C. Hollander, '18, and B. Van Rensselaer, '18, defeated S. Wainwright, '15, L., and S. Miller, '15, L., 6-4, 6-3, 6-3. Eighth Round—C. Hollander, '18, and B. Van Rensselaer, '18, defeated S. Wainwright, '15, L., and S. Miller, '15, L., 6-4, 6-3, 6-3. Ninth Round—C. Hollander, '18, and B. Van Rensselaer, '18, defeated S. Wainwright, '15, L., and S. Miller, '15, L., 6-4, 6-3, 6-3. Tenth Round—C. Hollander, '18, and B. Van Rensselaer, '18, defeated S. Wainwright, '15, L., and S. Miller, '15, L., 6-4, 6-3, 6-3. Eleventh Round—C. Hollander, '18, and B. Van Rensselaer, '18, defeated S. Wainwright, '15, L., and S. Miller, '15, L., 6-4, 6-3, 6-3. Twelfth Round—C. Hollander, '18, and B. Van Rensselaer, '18, defeated S. Wainwright, '15, L., and S. Miller, '15, L., 6-4, 6-3, 6-3. Thirteenth Round—C. Hollander, '18, and B. Van Rensselaer, '18, defeated S. Wainwright, '15, L., and S. Miller, '15, L., 6-4, 6-3, 6-3. Fourteenth Round—C. Hollander, '18, and B. Van Rensselaer, '18, defeated S. Wainwright, '15, L., and S. Miller, '15, L., 6-4, 6-3, 6-3. Fifteenth Round—C. Hollander, '18, and B. Van Rensselaer, '18, defeated S. Wainwright, '15, L., and S. Miller, '15, L., 6-4, 6-3, 6-3. 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THE PEACE OF RIGHTEOUSNESS

Fifth of a Series of Articles on What America Should Learn from the War

by

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Come, Peace! not like a mourner bowed
For honor lost and dear ones wasted,
But proud, to meet a people proud,
With eyes that tell of triumph tasted!
Come, with hand gripping on the hilt,
An' step that proves ye Victory's
daughter!

Longin' for you, our spirits will
Like shipwrecked men on raft's for
water.

Come, while our country feels the lift
Of a great instinct shouting "Forward!"
An' knows that freedom ain't a gift.
Thet carries long in han' of cowards!
Come, sech ez mothers prayed for, when
They kissed their cross with lips that
quivered.

An' bring fair wages for brave men,
A nation saved, a race delivered!

THESE are the noble lines
of a noble poet, written in
the sternest days of the
great civil war, when the writ-
er, Lowell, was one among the
millions of men who mourned
the death in battle of kinsfolk
dear to him.

No man ever lived who hated
an unjust war more than Lowell
or who loved with more pas-
sionate fervor the peace of
righteousness. Yet, like the
other great poets of his day
and country, like Holmes, who
sent his own son to the war,
like gentle Longfellow and the
Quaker Whittier, he abhorred
unrighteousness and ignoble
peace more than war.

These men had lofty souls.
They possessed the fighting
edge, without which no man is
really great; for in the really
great man there must be both
the heart of gold and the tem-
per of steel.

In 1864 there were in the
North some hundreds of thou-
sands of men who praised
Peace as the supreme end, as
a good more important than all
other goods, and who de-
nounced war as the worst of all
evils. These men one and all
assailed and denounced Abra-
ham Lincoln, and all voted
against him for President.

Lincoln's Stand
Against Mediation

MOREOVER, at that time
there were many individ-
uals in England and France
who said it was the duty
of those two nations to med-
iate between the North and
the South so as to stop the
terrible loss of life and de-
struction of property which
attended our civil war; and
they asserted that any Amer-
icans who in such event refused
to accept their mediation and to
stop the war would thereby
show themselves the enemies
of Peace.

Nevertheless, Abraham Lin-
coln and the men back of him
by their attitude prevented all
such effort at mediation, de-
claring that they would regard
it as an unfriendly act to the
United States.

Looking back from a distance
of fifty years, we can now see
clearly that Abraham Lincoln
and his supporters were right.
Such mediation would have
been a hostile act, not only to
the United States, but to hu-
manity. The men who clam-
ored for unrighteous peace
fifty years ago this Fall were
the enemies of mankind.

These facts should be pon-
dered by the well-meaning men
who always clamor for peace
without regard to whether
peace brings justice or injus-
tice.

Very many of the men and

women who are at times misled
into demanding peace as if it
were itself an end instead of
being a means of righteousness,
are men of good intelligence
and sound heart who only need
seriously to consider the facts,
and who can then be trusted to
think aright and act aright.

There is, however, an ele-
ment of a certain numerical im-
portance among our people, in-
cluding the members of the
ultra-pacifist group, who by
their teachings do some real, al-
though limited, mischief. They
are a feeble folk, these ultra-
pacifists, morally and physi-
cally; but in a country where
voice and vote are alike free,
they may, if their teachings
are not disregarded, create a
condition of things where the
crop they have sowed in folly
and weakness will be reaped
with blood and bitter tears by
the brave men and high-heart-
ed women of the nation.

Facts of
History Must Be Told

THE folly preached by some
of these individuals is some-
what startling, and if it were
translated from words into
deeds it would constitute a
crime against the nation.

One professed teacher of
morality makes the plea in so
many words that we ought to
follow the example of China
and deprive ourselves of all
power to repel foreign attack.
Surely this writer must possess
the exceedingly small amount
of information necessary in
order to know that nearly half
of China is at present under
foreign dominion, and that at
this moment the Germans and
Japanese are battling on Chi-
nese territory and domineering
as conquerors over the Chinese
in that territory. Think of the
abject soul of a man capable of
holding up to the admiration
of free-born American citizens
such a condition of serfage un-
der alien rule!

Nor is the folly confined only
to the male sex. A number of
women teachers in Chicago are
credited with having proposed,
in view of the war, hereafter
to prohibit in the teaching of
history any reference to war
and battles.

Intellectually, of course, such
persons show themselves unfit
to be retained as teachers a
single day, and, indeed, unfit to
be pupils in any school more
advanced than a kindergarten.

But it is not their intellec-
tual, it is also their moral short-
comings which are striking.
The suppression of the truth is,
of course, as grave an offense
against morals as is the sug-
gestion of the false or even the
lie direct; and these teachers
actually propose to teach un-
truths to their pupils.

True teachers of history
must tell the facts of history;
and if they do not tell the facts
both about the wars that are
righteous and the wars that are
unrighteous, and about the
causes that led to these wars
and to success or defeat in
them, they show themselves
morally unfit to train the
minds of boys and girls.

If in addition to telling the

facts they draw the lessons
that should be drawn from the
facts, they will give their pu-
pils a horror of all wars that
are entered into wantonly or
with levity or in a spirit of
mere brutal aggression or save
under dire necessity. But they
will also teach that among the
noblest deeds of mankind are
those that have been done in
great wars for liberty; in wars
of self-defense, in wars for the
relief of oppressed peoples, in
wars for putting an end to
wrongdoing in the dark places
of the globe.

Any teachers, in school or
college, who occupied the posi-
tion that these foolish, foolish
teachers have sought to take,
would be forever estopped from
mentioning the names of
Washington and Lincoln; be-
cause their names are forever
associated with great wars for
righteousness. These teachers
would be forever estopped from
so much as mentioning the
shining names of Marathon and
Salamis. They would seek to
blind their pupils' eyes to the
glory held in the deeds and
deaths of Joan of Arc, of An-
dreas Hofer, of Arnold von
Winkelried, of Kosciuszko, and
Rakotski. They would be
obliged to warn their pupils
against ever reading Schiller's
"Wilhelm Tell" or the poetry
of Koerner. Such men are deaf
to the lament running, "Oh,
why, Patrick Sarsfield, did we
let your ships sail, Across the
dark waters from green Innis-
fail?" To them Holmes's ballad
of Bunker Hill and Whittier's
"Laus Deo," MacMaster's ode
to the Old Continentals, and
O'Hara's "Bivouac of the Dead"
are meaningless. On them les-
sons of careers like those of
Timoleon and John Hampden
are lost; in their eyes the lofty
self-abnegation of Robert Lee
and Stonewall Jackson was folly;
their dull senses do not thrill
to the deathless deaths of the
men who died at Thermopylae
and the Alamo—the fight of
those grim Texans of which it
was truthfully said that Ther-
mopylae had its messengers of
death but the Alamo had none.

Like Taking
Club from Policeman

IT has actually been proposed
by some of these shivering
apostles of the gospel of na-
tional abjectness that, in view
of the destruction that has
fallen on certain peaceful pow-
ers of Europe, we should aban-
don all efforts at self-defense,
should stop building up battle-
ships and cease to take any
measures to defend ourselves if
attacked.

It is difficult seriously to
consider such a proposition. It
is precisely and exactly as if
the inhabitants of a village in
whose neighborhood highway
robberies had occurred should
propose to meet the crisis by
depriving the local policeman
of his revolver and club.

There are, however, many
high-minded people who do not

agree with these extremists,
but who nevertheless need to
be enlightened as to the actual
facts. These good people, who
are busy people and not able to
devote much time to thoughts
about international affairs, are
often confused by men whose
business it is to know better.

Peace Treaties
Will Be Valueless

FOR example, a few weeks
ago these good people were
stirred to a moment's belief
that something had been ac-
complished by the enactment
at Washington of a score or
two of all-inclusive arbitration
treaties; being not unnaturally
misled by the fact that those
responsible for the passage of
the treaties indulged in some
not wholly harmless bleating as
to the good effects they would
produce. As a matter of fact,
they probably will not produce
the smallest effect of any kind
or sort. Yet it is possible they
may have a mischievous effect,
inasmuch as under certain cir-
cumstances to fulfill them
would cause frightful disaster
to the United States, while to
break them, even although un-
der compulsion and because it
was absolutely necessary,
would be fruitful of keen hu-
miliation to every right-think-
ing man who was jealous of our
international good name.

If, for example, whatever the
outcome of the present war, a
great triumphant military des-
potism declared that it would
not recognize the Monroe Doc-
trine or seized Magdalena Bay,
or one of the Dutch West In-
dies, or the Island of St.
Thomas, and fortified it; or if
—as would be quite possible—
it announced that we had no
right to fortify the Isthmus of
Panama, and itself landed on
adjacent territory to erect sim-
ilar fortifications; then, under
these absurd treaties, we would
be obliged, if we happened to
have made one of them with
one of the countries involved,
to go into an interminable dis-
cussion of the subject before a
joint commission, while the
hostile nation proceeded to
make its position impregnable.

It seems incredible that the
United States Government
could have made such treaties;
but it has just done so, with the
warm approval of the profes-
sional pacifists.

These treaties were entered
into when the Administration
had before its eyes at that very
moment the examples of Bel-
gium and Luxemburg, which
showed beyond possibility of
doubt, especially when taken
in connection with other sim-
ilar incidents that have oc-
curred during the last couple of
decades, that there are various
great military empires in the
old world who will pay not one
moment's heed to the most sol-
emn and binding treaty if it is
to their interest to break it.

If any one of these empires,
as the result of the present con-
test, obtains something ap-

proaching to a position of com-
plete predominance in the Old
World, it is absolutely cer-
tain that it would pay no
heed whatever to these treaties,
if it desired to better its
position in the New World
by taking possession of the
Dutch or Danish West Indies or
of the territory of some weak
American State on the main-
land of the continent. In such
event we would be obliged either
—instantly ourselves to re-
pudiate the scandalous treaties
by which the Government at
Washington has just sought to
tie our hands—and thereby ex-
pose ourselves in our turn to the
charge of bad faith—or else
we should have to abdicate
our position as a great power
and submit to abject humilia-
tion.

Since these articles of mine
were written and published, I
am glad to see that James
Bryce, a lifelong advocate of
peace and the staunchest possi-
ble friend of the United States,
has taken precisely the position
I have taken. Bryce dwells, as
I have dwelt, upon the absolute
need of protecting small States
that behave themselves from
absorption in great military
empires. He insists, as I have
insisted, upon the need of the
reduction of armaments, the
quenching of the baleful spirit
of militarism, and the admis-
sion of the peoples everywhere
to a fuller share in the control
of foreign policy—all to be ac-
complished by some kind of
International League of Peace.
He adds, however, as the cul-
minating and most important
portion of his article:

But no scheme for prevent-
ing future wars will have any
chance of success unless it rests
upon the assurance that the
States which enter it will loy-
ally and steadfastly abide by it
and that each and all of them
will join in coercing by their
overwhelming united strength
any State which may disregard
the obligations it has under-
taken.

This is almost exactly what
I have said. Indeed, it is al-
most word for word what I
have said—an agreement which
is all the more striking be-
cause when he wrote it Lord
Bryce could not have known
what I had written.

Righteousness
Before All Else

WE must insist on right-
eousness first and fore-
most. We must strive for
peace always; but we must
never hesitate to put right-
eousness above peace. In
order to do this, we must put
force back of righteousness,
for, as the world now is, na-
tional righteousness without
force back of it speedily be-
comes a matter of derision. To
the doctrine that Might makes
Right, it is utterly useless to
oppose the doctrine of Right
unbacked by Might.

It is not even true that what
the pacifists desire is Right.
The leaders of the pacifists of
this country who for three
months now have been crying
"Peace, Peace," have been too
timid even to say that they

want the Peace to be a right-
eous one. We needlessly dig-
nify such outcries when we
speak of them as well-meaning.
The weaklings who raise their
shrill piping for a peace that
shall consecrate successful
wrong occupy a position quite
as immoral as and infinitely
more contemptible than the po-
sition of the wrongdoers them-
selves.

The ruthless strength of the
great absolutist leaders—Eliza-
beth of England, Catherine of
Russia, Peter the Great, Fred-
erick the Great, Napoleon, Bis-
marck—is certainly infinitely
better for their own nations
and is probably better for man-
kind at large than the loqua-
cious impotence, ultimately
trouble-breeding, which has re-
cently marked our own inter-
national policy. Strength at
least commands respect; where-
as the prattling feebleness that
dares not rebuke any concrete
wrong, and whose proposals
for right are marked by sheer
fatuity, is fit only to excite
weeping among angels, and
among men the bitter laughter
of scorn.

At this moment any peace
which leaves unredressed the
wrongs of Belgium, and which
does not effectively guarantee
Belgium and all other small
nations that behave themselves
against the repetition of such
wrongs, would be a well-nigh
unmixed evil.

As far as we personally are
concerned, such a peace would
inevitably mean that we would
at once and in haste have to be-
gin to arm ourselves or be ex-
posed in our turn to the most
frightful risk of disaster.

The Lesson
of Belgium

LET our people take thought
for the future. Belgium was
absolutely innocent of offense.
Her cities have been laid waste,
or held to ransom for gigantic
sums of money; her fruitful
fields have been trampled into
mire; her sons have died on the
field of battle; her daughters
are brokenhearted fugitives; a
million of her people have fled
to foreign lands.

Entirely disregarding all ac-
cusations as to outrages on in-
dividuals, it yet remains true
that disaster terrible beyond
belief has befallen this peace-
ful nation of six million people,
who themselves had been guilty
of not even the smallest wrong-
doing. Brussels has been held
to enormous ransom, although
it did not even strive to defend
itself. Antwerp did strive to
defend itself. Because soldiers
in the forts attempted to re-
pulse the enemy, hundreds of
houses in the undefended city
were wrecked with bombs from
airships and throngs of peace-
ful men, women, and children
were driven from their homes
by the sharp terror of death.
Be it remembered always that
not one man in Brussels, not
one man in Antwerp, had even
the smallest responsibility for
the disaster inflicted upon
them. Innocence has proved
not even the smallest safeguard
against such woe and suffering
as we in this land can at pres-
ent hardly imagine.

What befell Antwerp and
Brussels will surely some day
befall New York or San Fran-
cisco and may happen to many
an inland city also if we do not
shake off our supine folly, if we
trust for safety to peace trea-
ties unbacked by force.

At the beginning of last
month, by the appointment of
the President, peace services
were held in the churches of
this land. As far as these ser-
vices consisted of sermons and

prayers of good and wise peo-
ple who wished peace only if
it represented righteousness,
who did not desire that peace
should come unless it came to
consecrate justice and not
wrongdoing, good and not evil,
the movement represented
good.

In so far, however, as the
movement was understood to
be one for immediate peace
without any regard to right-
eousness or justice, without any
regard for righting the wrongs
of those who have been crushed
by unmerited disaster, then the
movement represented mis-
chief, precisely as fifty years
ago in 1864 in our own country
a similar movement for peace,
to be obtained by acknowl-
edgment of disunion and by the
perpetuation of slavery, would
have represented mischief.

In the present case, however,
the mischief was confined pure-
ly to those taking part in the
movement in an unworthy
spirit; for (like the peace pa-
rades and newspaper peace pe-
titions) it was a purely subjec-
tive phenomenon; it had not the
slightest effect of any kind, sort
or description upon any of the
combatants abroad and could
not possibly have any effect
upon them.

It is well for our own sakes
that we should pray sincerely
and humbly for the peace of
righteousness; but we must
guard ourselves from any il-
lusion as to the news of our
having thus prayed producing
the least effect upon those en-
gaged in the war.

There is just one way in
which to meet the upholders
of the doctrine that Might
makes Right. To do so we must
prove that Right will make
Might, by backing right with
might.

In his second inaugural ad-
dress Andrew Jackson laid
down the rule by which every
National American Administra-
tion must guide itself, saying:

The foreign policy adopted
by our Government is to do jus-
tice to all, and to submit to
wrong by none.

The statement of the daunt-
less old fighter of New Orleans
is as true now as when he wrote
it. We must stand absolutely
for righteousness. But to do
so is utterly without avail un-
less we possess the strength
and the loftiness of spirit
which will back righteousness
with deeds and not with words.

We must clear the rubbish
from off our souls and admit
that everything that has been
done in passing peace treaties,
arbitration treaties, neutrality
treaties, Hague treaties, and
the like, with no sanction of
force behind them, amounts to
literally and absolutely zero, to
literally and absolutely noth-
ing, in any time of serious
crisis.

International
Agreement Needed

WE must recognize that to
enter into foolish treaties
which cannot be kept is as
wicked as to break treaties
which can and ought to be kept.

We must labor for an inter-
national agreement among the
great civilized nations which
shall put the full force of all
of them back of any one of
them, and of any well-behaved
weak nation which is wronged
by any other power.

Until we have completed this
purpose, we must keep our-
selves ready, high of heart and
undaunted of soul, to back our
rights with our strength.

Theodore Roosevelt

TO RECONSTRUCT OUR PORT

An Elaborate Plan
Suggested by T. P. Shonts

Former Chairman of the Panama Canal Commission,
Now President of the Interborough Metropolitan Com-
pany, Writes of the Harbor Needs of New York.

By Theodore P. Shonts.

NEW YORK is, and always has been, the great commercial metropolis of this continent. She is losing many large lines of trade by reason of the development of other parts of the country, and because other cities are offering better and cheaper facilities for the transaction of business.

New York was once the great grain-shipping port of the United States; she ships practically none at all today. Baltimore has taken the grain trade of the Atlantic Coast; that of the Mississippi Valley goes out through ports on the Gulf of Mexico, and for that of the Northwest Montreal has become, at New York's expense, a great point of export. The bulk of the cotton formerly handled in New York now goes through Gulf ports, and an enormous coal traffic that once was shipped by way of New York goes out through Norfolk and Newport News.

When the Panama Canal is opened New York will be confronted with additional competition due to the greater proximity of other ports to the short cut across the Isthmus; and, while she has extraordinary natural advantages as a harbor, she must augment these artificially in such manner as to make the facilities at her marine gateway the most convenient and the most economical of any on our seaboard for the handling of the vast volume of trade she will secure if these conditions are complied with. At the same time she must contrive a plan whereby her own industrial activities may be developed in order that she may retain her paramount position among the great manufacturing centres of the country.

Benefit to the railroads, to the city itself, and to the shippers must be comprehended in an ideal solution of this problem. The railroads must be so placed that, at a minimum of time, cost, and equipment, they can exchange traffic with each other, with the water carriers, and with the shippers.

Harbor Congestion Growing.

There are daily standing on the railroad tracks about New York from 4,000 to 8,000 cars, awaiting the opportunity to discharge their contents and return to normal trade channels. This means that an investment in cars alone of from \$4,000,000 to \$8,000,000 is lying idle, because the facilities of the Port of New York are inadequate even with the business at present being done, and the situation will not be relieved until ferries, car floats, and lighters shall be superseded by a continuous freight movement through river tunnels. The natural location for great railroad yards to handle, assemble, and classify all this traffic is the Hackensack Meadows in New Jersey.

The matter of exchange of traffic between the railroads and the water carriers brings up the question of a great import and export depot at Bayonne, N. J. It has been estimated that the terminal cost of handling a ton of "all rail" or "water and rail" freight at the Port of New York is as much as to move the same ton 300 miles on any of our trunk lines of railway.

The waters of New York Harbor, which are continuously becoming more and more congested, divide the port into five grand divisions—Manhattan, the Bronx, Long Island, Staten Island, and New Jersey. The water front of Bayonne is the economic and geographic location for an import and export harbor. Piers 4,000 feet long could be extended into New York Bay without interfering with navigation, into which cargoes could be unloaded from ships into storage and then to cars, and vice versa, with the minimum of handling.

With Bayonne as the exclusive import and export harbor of the Port of New York, there would be saved on 80 per cent. of her import and export tonnage the cost of floatage, and the congestion of her water-borne traffic would be relieved to just that extent.

Much of the freight coming from the interior of the country into Jersey City is lightered across New York Bay and stored in Brooklyn, is afterwards lightered to Manhattan, and then lightered back to the different New Jersey railroads. By the construction of storage facilities in the Hackensack Meadows in New Jersey, as elsewhere explained, the cost of floatage of this business could also be saved and the congestion of water-borne traffic further relieved.

The question of the traffic between the railroads and the shippers is one that involved the streets of New York as well as the wharves. The matter that is the most vitally pressing at present, so far as the interest of the shippers is concerned, is the acquisition of more deep-water frontage for big ocean-going ships, which may best be accomplished by releasing this class of frontage from the less important use to which it is now put.

This may in turn be effected by a plan of exchanging traffic between the railroads and the city's industries that will relieve a great many of the piers now occupied by the railroads for lighterage and local passenger business, but the system must be so worked out as to produce the maximum amount of vehicular traf-

the handling of freight in the streets.

In New York City the centre of traffic density is south of Twenty-third Street, Manhattan, whence access may be had to the wholesale distributing centres and the steamship piers, and connection may be had with existing lines of communication over the East River bridges to the manufacturing, commercial, and distributing centres of Brooklyn. On the New Jersey side of the Hudson the centre of traffic density is south of a point opposite Thirty-third Street. The origin and destination of a greater part of this traffic is in the lower sections of Jersey City and Hoboken; in the Cities of Bayonne, Newark, Elizabeth, and Passaic and in the surrounding territory contributory to and accommodated by the ferries of the New Jersey Central, the Pennsylvania, the Erie, the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western, and the West Shore Railroads.

Economy in movement—street and rail haul—of course requires that existing centres of traffic in communities on both sides of the river be linked up in the most direct manner possible, and convenience in the handling of the commerce of the port requires that this link shall connect up, also in the most direct manner possible, with the through traffic lines extending over the East River.

These circumstances naturally bring the location of a physical link between Jersey City and New York to a point considerably south of Thirty-third Street in Manhattan, which disposes of the question of making that connection by a bridge over the Hudson, since topographical conditions are adverse to bridge construction anywhere below Fifty-seventh Street.

A bridge located at Fifty-seventh Street would involve "lost motion" in long street and rail hauls on both the New York and New Jersey sides of the river, which is opposed to the fundamental principle which any plan for improving general freight distribution on Manhattan Island must aim for, that is, to bring about the greatest possible diffusion of receipt and delivery with the shortest possible street and rail haul in and across the Borough of Manhattan to Long Island, and on the New Jersey side.

Moreover, a bridge over the Hudson would in any event afford distributing facilities for the west side of Manhattan only, and could never be made to fit in with any comprehensive plan looking toward the future requirements of the other side of the island, whereas, unless something be done to improve terminal conditions on the east side, a large proportion of business there that now goes to antiquated piers on the East River is bound to be attracted to the west side, necessitating a longer street haul and tending toward greater congestion of traffic across the borough.

During the past decade business in New York City has been rapidly extending northward. Notwithstanding this fact, with the improvement of terminal facilities and the substitution of more modern buildings for the present one, two, and three story structures of obsolete design now found in great numbers in lower Manhattan, it is certain that the density of business south of Thirty-third Street will also become greater. The late Mayor Gaynor more than once publicly stated his belief that commercial enterprises that had moved

further uptown would eventually come back to the district below Thirty-third Street, which he held to be the natural business centre of the city.

On the New Jersey side of the Hudson there has been a marked movement southward to Bayonne and Greenville, and Staten Island is showing healthy growth. On Long Island there has been an appreciable movement to South Brooklyn, especially of manufacturing industries, and any plan for freight distribution throughout New York must contemplate the most direct line of through traffic between Long Island and New Jersey.

The tunnel is the solution of New York's freight distribution problem. Tunnels may be built one after another, as needed. They may be located between points as and where changing future requirements may demand. Besides creating the shortest and most economical route between New Jersey and New York, the desirability of minimizing the number and length of necessary rail movements in the freight subway in Manhattan must be kept in mind.

With a bridge, traffic would have to come across the river concentrated through one fixed channel, which would mean that for all time freight, after reaching Manhattan, would have to be handled either in the subway or by an elevated structure for the full distance from Fifty-seventh Street to a southern terminus—any Cortlandt Street.

"Battery" of Tunnels.

The tunnel is an entirely different proposition, however. Should the future density of traffic coming into Manhattan warrant it, communication between the shores of the Hudson could be carried on through a "battery" of tunnels. The volume of business could be split up by having one tube connecting up on the Manhattan side, say at Canal Street, to serve the tonnage zone between Canal and Cortlandt Streets; another at Fourteenth Street, to serve the zone between that and Canal; another at Twenty-third Street, to serve the zone between that and Fourteenth Street; another at Thirty-third Street, to serve the zone between that and Twenty-third Street, and so on as the requirements of commerce demanded.

With a freight subway on the west side of Manhattan, served by tubes under the Hudson River, logical extensions could be carried across Manhattan Island to another freight subway on the east side of the city, to be constructed, link by link, as occasion required.

The next logical extension would be under the East River into the great manufacturing and commercial centres of Brooklyn and South Brooklyn, thereby, incidentally, making the shortest possible direct connection between the railroads of New Jersey and New England (by means of a comparatively short line to the Connecting Railroad, now in process of construction) and linking up the distributing terminal facilities of the Port of New York into a homogeneous unit.

In conjunction with this general traffic evolution would come the construction of a belt line on the New Jersey side of the Hudson, with receiving and clearing yards in the Hackensack Meadows adequate for

the economic handling of the business of the New Jersey railroads; the establishment there of warehouses with capacity for the accommodation of all storage business from the interior, and the development of Bayonne along the most scientific lines as an exclusive import and export harbor—as hitherto mentioned.

Upon the completion of the tunnels under the Hudson and across Manhattan into Long Island, the waters of the harbor would be relieved of the floating service now operated by the New Jersey railroads, and the water front given over almost entirely to modern piers for the exclusive accommodation of passenger steamers and the freight and express business they carry.

This solution of New York's traffic problem would mean economy of time, cost, and equipment to the shipper as well as to the railroad—to the dealer in raw material, the manufacturer, the wholesaler, and the retail merchant.

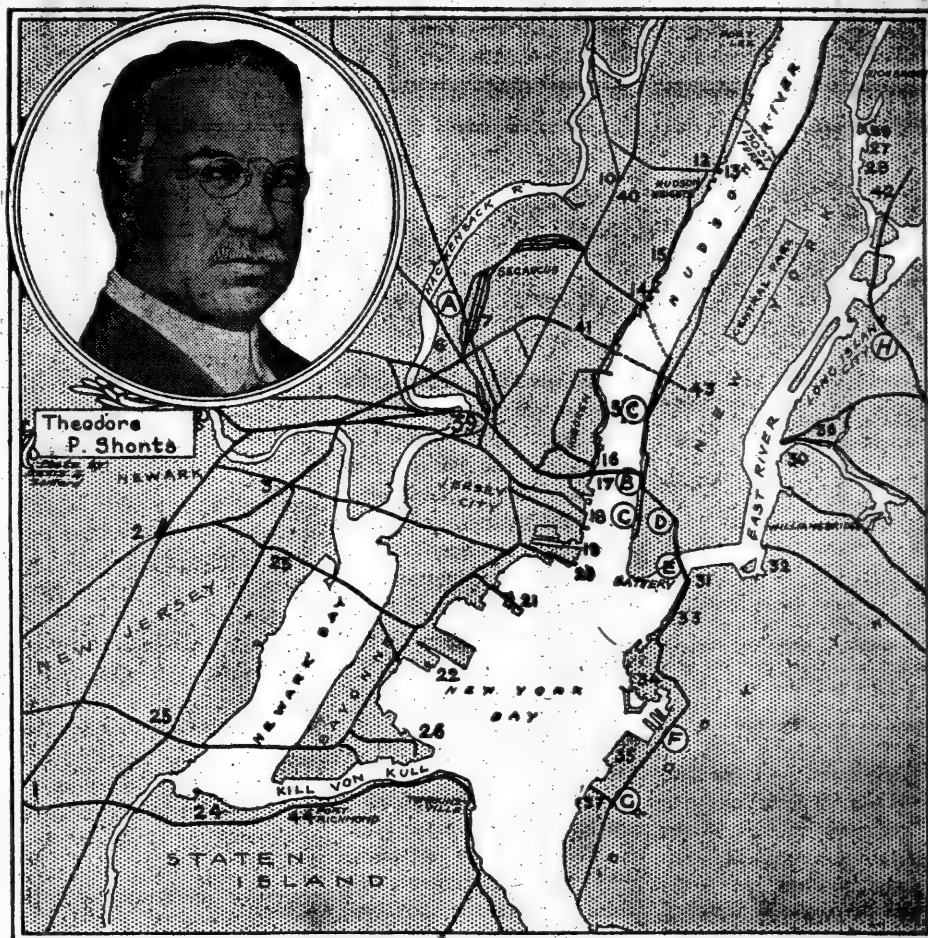
With the completion of what might be called the "subway belt line" in Manhattan, receiving and delivery stations would be erected to accommodate the different freight zones, reducing the street haul to a minimum and relieving street congestion.

Thus, in Manhattan, the Bronx, or Brooklyn, a merchant or manufacturer, instead of being compelled to send his wagon to each one of the railroads having freight depots in New York for receipt or delivery of goods, as is the present routine, will load or unload at the nearest station. On obtaining a receipt at any one of the delivery stations, the shipper will have effected delivery to any one of the railroads, and every one of the railroads will unload freight consigned to a merchant or manufacturer at the zone receiving station nearest his place of business. This system also gives the shipper, practically at his door, the choice of any one of the railroads under equal conditions and on equal terms, for the forwarding of goods to any destination.

The fact that the proposed tunnel or tunnels under the Hudson will bring the rails of the State roads that now terminate on the New Jersey side of the river into New York, connects a union passenger station in Manhattan, which would probably be located somewhere near Forty-second Street. While the tunnel solves New York's freight-distribution problem, a bridge of suspension type over the Hudson is structurally feasible, and it is not improbable that at some future time both tunnels and a bridge will be necessary to meet the commercial requirements of New York—the bridge to form the connection with the great highways of vehicular and pedestrian travel of New Jersey, Manhattan Island, and Long Island, and the tunnels to accommodate the railway, freight, and passenger business, as well as heavy trucking traffic.

As has been stated, topographical conditions are adverse to bridge construction over the Hudson anywhere below Fifty-seventh Street. Geological conditions are also unfavorable below the same point, as soundings made from 180th Street to the Battery show. Opposite Fifty-seventh Street bedrock has been found at a depth which would enable men to work in caissons with comparative safety.

North of Fifty-seventh Street there are several locations where the con-



KEY TO DIAGRAM.

- "A"—General clearing and classification yards, including cold storage and general warehouse facilities.
- "B"—Tunnels or tunnels to connection with subway, railroad warehouse and loft facilities along marginal way.
- "C"—Development of warehouse and loft facilities along marginal way.
- "D"—Tunnel extension across Manhattan to subway, railroad warehouse and loft development along South or Front Street on East River.
- "E"—Tunnel under East River.
- "F"—New municipal railroad along Brooklyn waterfront.
- "G"—Connection with belt line connecting railroad.
- "H"—Belt line connecting railroad.

- 1—Connection Baltimore & Ohio R. R.
- 2—Connection Lehigh Valley.
- 3—Pennsylvania Freight Transfer.
- 4—Connection C. R. R. of N. J.
- 5—Hoboken Shore R. R.
- 6—Connection D. L. & W., Secaucus yard and transfer of package freight.
- 7—Connection E. R. R., Bergen yard.
- 8—Connection N. R. R. of N. J.
- 9—Connection N. Y. S. & W. R. R.
- 10—Connection N. Y. O. & W. R. R.
- 11—N. Y. S. & W. terminal, Hudson River.
- 12—N. Y. S. & W. terminal, Hudson River.
- 13—West Shore R. R., Weehawken.
- 14—Shore Line from Fort Lee to Bergen Point, owned jointly by E. R. R., W. S. R. R., and connects all railroads and freight transfers.
- 15—D. L. & W. passenger and freight terminal, Hoboken.
- 16—E. R. R. passenger and freight terminal, Jersey City.

- 17—Pennsylvania passenger and freight terminal, Jersey City.
- 18—Lehigh Valley passenger and freight terminal, Jersey City.
- 19—C. R. R. of N. J. passenger and freight terminal, Jersey City.
- 20—Lehigh Valley (Black Tom) warehouse.
- 21—L. V. R. R. transfer platform.
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figuration of the land is favorable to bridge construction, but these locations are out of the question so far as serving the economic needs of commerce are concerned. At any point below Fifty-seventh Street the land on both sides of the Hudson is low, which, with the consequent land damages, would be expensive.

In the event of a freight bridge over the Hudson, a question to be considered is what type of construction would be necessary for general distribution purposes of railroad traffic after reaching Manhattan. The most logical would be an elevated structure, which would be unsightly, practically constituting an open-air terminal freight yard up and down the west side of Manhattan Island, with the attendant nuisances of sight and sound; it would no doubt be considered a civic crime.

Further, as has been previously noted, while such a structure might afford distributing facilities on the west side, it could not be made to fit

in with any plan to improve terminal conditions on the east side of the city.

The greater expense of a bridge over that of a tunnel is a matter to be considered. The original estimate of the North River Bridge Company, which had a charter for a bridge opposite Twenty-third Street, but was compelled for reasons already mentioned to change its site to the neighborhood of Fifty-ninth Street, as to the cost of a structure of sufficient capacity to answer all purposes, including approaches, connections, and stations, complete, was between \$90,000,000 and \$100,000,000. More recent estimates made for a suspension bridge to meet all requirements including eight lanes of rapid transit, two thirty-six-foot-wide driveways, and two eight-foot-wide sidewalks, place the cost at \$42,000,000, as compared with an estimated cost of approximately \$7,000,000 for a tunnel. That is, the cost of a bridge would be approximately equivalent to the cost of six tunnels.

It is evident that the long span of a bridge makes imperative the use of the lightest track and road construction possible, which would therefore be the least durable, whereas in tunnel construction the heaviest and most durable track and road construction could be used with economy. I feel safe in making the statement, therefore, that the cost of maintenance of a bridge would considerably exceed similar cost for the upkeep of the number of tunnels sufficient to equal the capacity of that bridge.

To connect operations over a bridge with a freight subway down the west side of Manhattan would seem impracticable; at least it would tend to increase operating grades, already long and heavy, considering the height to which a suspension bridge over the Hudson would have to be carried.

It so happens that the urgent necessity that at present exists for the complete reorganization of the freight-handling system of the Port of New York comes at a time when the city is practically without funds, and any solution of our problem is therefore incomplete that does not comprehend the financial question involved. Fortunately for New York, the railroads having terminal stations within her borders have credit, and if the city is willing to treat them fairly they can without doubt be influenced to provide the amount essential to the carrying out of such a project as I have outlined.

Not So Difficult, After All.

Keeping in mind the fundamental thought that the railroads may be induced to pool their present properties, one is surprised, on studying a map of the port, to note how readily and at what relatively small expense existing railroad properties may be connected up; how short stretches of rail will unite the terminal lines in New Jersey with the great clearance yards to be established in the Hackensack Meadows; how another short stretch to Bayonne will link them up with the great import and export depot to be built there; how a tunnel or tunnels under the Hudson will connect with a subway up and down, say, Eleventh Avenue, and switches run to such piers as the traffic necessities of the city indicate ought to be reserved for each particular freight zone; how an extension of the subway across Manhattan to one alongside the East River, with switches to piers on that water frontage, will link up with a tunnel under the river to tap the nucleus of a series of belt lines to be extended indefinitely through Brooklyn and Queens—which two boroughs are the natural field for an unlimited development of the city's manufacturing industries for generations to come.

NEW DANCES THAT HAVE SMOOTHNESS AS A KEYNOTE

HERE is a new kind of a dance and here is a new rule in dancing. There has come another step in the evolution of the modern "dance craze."

It has all been changed again, made new with the coming of a new season. Under the patronage of Mrs. Reginald Vanderbilt, Mrs. Berry Wall, Mrs. Oliver Harriman, and other members of the American Dance Club of Paris, a new idea in ballroom dancing has come overseas to New York. The new idea is what dancers call "evenness," and with it an extreme simplicity; the new rule is a stern one, and succinctly stated: we must dance as if we were carrying pails of water on our heads!

Vouched for by prominent New York women and introduced for the first time at Delmonico's, two new dances have made their way to America for the coming Winter season. These, it is promised, will revolutionize the tango, do away with the dance of the acrobat, and bring about a marked change in the ballroom dancing of the coming year.

The new dances are the opera tango and the opera waltz. They will be danced at Delmonico's, the Roland House, the Astor, and the Majestic. They are exceedingly simple and exceedingly smooth, and are entirely new to America.

The opera tango and the opera waltz owe their names in the first place to the similarity in membership between the list of opera boxholders of the Metropolitan Opera House in New York and the American Dance Club of the Hotel Majestic in Paris. Not all the boxholders for the opera belong to the Paris club, but many members of the Paris club are habitués of the box circle at the opera here, and the name seemed in the beginning quite suitable.



And there is also interest for the names of the dances in the fact that their sponsors suggest the use of various pieces of well-known opera music as excellent to "tango" and waltz by. One of the airs from "Lucia di Lammermoor" has already been adapted for the opera waltz.

For it is one of the most astonishingly "new" features of these slow-moving and stately new dances that many of the older melodies are more suitable for them than the dance music that is now.

actual introduction of the dances is by Miss Lorraine Mishler and George E. Rule, who are assisted by Miss Asta O'Connor and William Ormond. Mr. Rule explained the steps of the new dances.

The whole idea is the simplicity and evenness of it," he said. "The effect is of floating along on the music, without any irregularities or sharp breaks. The dances are both modified versions of one or more of the older dances and steps, with no open position, and with the progress figures and motions all left out. The

smooth movements are brought together.

THE CASE AGAINST WILSON, BY COL. GEORGE HARVEY

The Editor of The North American Review Analyses the Arguments of the Opposition in Seeking the Suffrage of Citizens in the Coming Elections.

By special arrangement The New York Times is enabled to present here the article by Col. George Harvey which will appear in the forthcoming North American Review for November.

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By George Harvey.
SINCE enumerating in the October number of this Review the reasons why a Democratic Congress should be returned we have awaited without prejudice and with open mind the appearance of arguments designed to impel a contrary conclusion. So it is that now, but a few days prior to the election, the question arises:

Upon what grounds does the opposition, upon which the burden of proof clearly rests, seek the suffrages of American citizens?

For answer we can look only to the declarations of recognized leaders. Of these the most notable, of course, is our Colonel, who is not merely the chief, but is rapidly becoming the rank and file, of the Recessive Party. Since, however, for obvious reasons, it seems fitting to leave him for passing consideration after the event, let us advert to the outgivings of Republicans who are supposed to speak with authority.

First upon the list appears the name of William Howard Taft; that is to say, as the name of a former Republican President it should appear there, but it does not. Why, we can only surmise. Perhaps Mr. Taft has definitely determined to rest upon his well-earned laurels as the worst-liked, the least-sore, and the best-liked of all our Presidents. If so, we would not ruffle his repose.

Enter Elihu Root.

Then comes Elihu Root, lawyer, statesman, diplomat, the best-equipped all-around mind in American public life, whatever may be thought of his predilections or his partisan proclivities. As in duty if not in pleasure bound, this most distinguished of Senators attends and presides over the party convention of his State and strikes—what shall we say? The keynote? The tinkling cymbal? Or the flautist bassoon? Let us see. The Senator declared:

The Democratic Party took possession of the National Government a year and a half ago with a programme of policy by which they proposed to set free every American from the incubus of too great success by others, to reduce the cost of living, and to give new life and prosperity to American production and commerce and more ample and certain returns to American industry.

What he meant to say, of course, and what he would have said if he had been defining an intent before an unprejudiced court instead of before a biased convention, was that the Democratic Party had proposed to free every American, not from "the incubus of too great success"—a quite ridiculous and wholly unwarranted assertion—but from unfair competition "by others"; that it had declared a belief "that no substantial relief from the high cost of living can be secured until import duties on the necessities of life are materially reduced and criminal conspiracies are broken up"; and that it had expressed an aspiration to "expand the boundaries of American commerce. Complaint need hardly be made of the Senator's interpretation of the Democratic purpose. Though abridely inexact, it was in a broad sense substantially correct, and full compensation for its unpreciseness is to be found in the seemingly unconscious implication of grave need of such reforms after sixteen years of Republican rule. The Senator continued:

The tariff was to be for revenue only, and by removing protection it was to set free American industry and reduce the cost of living. . . . Have the rewards of American industry been increased? We all know that they have not; but that, on the contrary, production has been decreased. Many mills and factories have closed or are running but a part of the time. Great numbers of American employes have been thrown out of work.

This statement is, we believe, correct as of the date of making, although there has since been a marked revival in some lines of manufacturing. The circumstance was probably inevitable: in any case, the fact is quite evident that sufficient time has not yet elapsed for full readjustment of industrial conditions to the new requirements; and the party in power must necessarily accept the consequences. The Senator continued:

Although eight months have passed since the Banking and Currency act became a law, it has not yet been put into operation, while the proposed legislation against trusts and corporations has not yet been completed. These measures, however, have not been without their effect upon the welfare of the country. The various forms in which they have been cast, the discussion upon them, the avowed objects, the unavowed but ill-concealed objects, the most of the dominant party in dealing

with them, all have combined to impress the enterprise of the country with a sense that the Government is hostile. Assurances to the contrary do not avail against the general weight of evidence derived from conduct.

Whether the Senator meant to chide the Administration for not hastening the operation of the Currency act and the passage of the anti-trust laws is not apparent. If so, not only as a captious critic, but as a conservative citizen, he stands alone. The remainder of his utterance is cryptic to a degree. When a statesman skilled in the expression of ideas begins to make mysterious discrimination between "trusts" and "enterprise" as "avowed" or "unavowed" objects of Government hostility, we can but conclude that he finds himself upon ice so thin that rapid movement is essential to his own preservation.

"And yet," the Senator concluded, reproachfully, "the cost of living has not been reduced; we all know that it has not."

Indeed, yes; but would it have been lessened by perpetuating the excessive tariff taxation and monopolistic con-

ditioned in the banks as it might become necessary, as it would almost immediately return to circulation, than to impose additional taxes. It would be better to issue temporary certificates of indebtedness than to impose taxes with the present condition of the country and with the enormous increase in taxation already imposed upon the people.

The President set forth his views upon these proposals in his message to Congress in these words:

The Treasury itself could get along for a considerable period, no doubt, without immediate resort to new sources of taxation. But at what cost to the business of the country? Approximately \$10,000,000, a large part of the present Treasury balance is now on deposit with national banks distributed throughout the country. It is deposited, of course, on call.

I need not point out to you what the probable consequences of inconvenience and distress and confusion would be if the diminishing income of the Treasury should make it necessary rapidly to withdraw these deposits. And yet without additional revenue that plainly might become necessary, and the time when it became necessary could not be controlled or determined by the con-

tic hope, and has imbibed more freely from his environment the moving spirit of the times. A strong partisan, as one may well and properly be, yet not a bigot, firm in conviction but ever amenable to argument, resolute but tolerant, the power of his mentality, his earnestness, and his sincerity is enhanced immeasurably by his breadth and fairness. It is with a sense of relief and gratification that we advert to presentation of the case of the opposition by such a one.

Speaking in the Senate on the pending emergency tax measure, not wholly as a partisan, although he had "no objection to being considered one," Mr. Borah first recounted the many Democratic iterations in favor of economical government, and then said:

If our friends had no more than approached the amount of expenditures which had preceded their inauguration into power, if they had no more than equalled the amount which had been expended during the immediate previous Congresses, what would be their position with reference to this subject of extravagance? It would seem that

Controller of the Currency from \$5,000, at which sum it had remained for fifty years to \$12,000. The new Trade Commission act creates five Commissioners at \$10,000 each, and a secretary at \$5,000 and that is only an intimation of what that will be.

The Interstate Commerce Commission deals with about 2,300 corporations. The cost of running the Interstate Commerce Commission last year was \$1,833,209. We have in the United States about 305,000 corporations. Out of this 305,000 about 103,000 will come under the Trade Commission's jurisdiction if it see fit to exercise the jurisdiction.

So, Mr. President, if we should provide for making an allowance such as is based upon the expenditure of the Interstate Commerce Commission the operation of the Trade Commission alone would amount to \$1,837,000,000 a year. But suppose it only amounts to one-half that, and if it ever amounts to anything at all in the way of effective service it will have to amount to at least one-half of that.

Senator Borah declared with admirable candor:

Those things the people may desire and will approve of, but there should be no longer any complaint about ex-

travagance in the way of the operation of the Government, because if the people of the United States want their entire business done at Washington they will have to pay for it. If they want these matters to be overseen and controlled and regulated 1,000 miles or 2,000 miles from their homes they will have to pay for it.

of taxation is economy. Any tax, however and wherever laid, whether upon the necessities or luxuries, upon the virtues or vices of men, beyond that necessary for the economical administration of the Government is nothing less than the exploitation of the people through the arbitrary and brutal power of the Government.

It is true the people can pay this tax, and would do so were it many times heavier. But that is not the question. Economy in public expenditures makes for good citizenship; it builds up the moral fibre of the people; it strengthens their faith in their Government and augments and arouses their patriotism. It teaches economy and frugality in private affairs. It breeds confidence, and lights up the whole field of private endeavor with optimism and hope. It makes for a happy, contented, sturdy, hopeful people.

Instead, therefore, of laying more taxes, or putting heavier burdens upon the business world and upon wages, why not commence with this economy to which we have all time and time again most faithfully pledged ourselves? Extravagance has gone far enough to justify the alarm of the most conservative and patriotic men. The cancer spot

of the present Democratic Administration, and welcome your conclusion that the country can fairly be urged to make the coming elections an emphatic testimonial of its approbation and confidence.

Personally I have been immensely impressed with what has been done in so short a space. In the ordinary course and history of a nation eighteen months is an almost negligible fraction of time. If the Wilson Administration had occupied itself since March, 1913, in settling itself in the saddle and in planning for great things to be done in the future, it would have pursued the customary course and could not easily have been censured. But the fact is that during that period the National Government has devoted itself to its duties with an assiduity quite unparalleled, has undertaken and brought to conclusion much important work—work largely constructive in its nature and bound to permanently influence for good the fortunes of the country.

A high protective antiquated tariff, for example, full of absurdities and abuses, has been subjected to a reasonable downward revision, has been supplemented by an income tax which puts upon wealth a larger and fairer share of the burdens of taxation, and signals the passing—never to return—of such legislative crudities and extravagances as the Dingley bill and the Payne-Aldrich bill.

The Federal Reserve bill inaugurates a new era in the financial history of the country, and, in the judgment of bankers, business men, and experts generally, will gradually, but surely, de away with the confusion and chaos which have heretofore disgraced American finance.

The trust legislation and the Alaska Railroad bill also embody legislation which may truly be described as essentially constructive. It is not claimed, it is not to be claimed, that these measures, or any of them, are the last words on the subjects they relate to. At this very writing the Federal Reserve act, studied by statesmen and experts of all parties with the utmost diligence and enacted with as much deliberation and care as any statute ever had, is before Congress for amendments believed to be necessary and proper.

It is to be remembered that these measures represent a new order of things. They have been brought about in the face of fierce opposition by the lovers of the old order and, no doubt, embody more or less unavoidable, even if undesirable, compromises and concessions. Yet, when all is said, they at least make good beginnings are steps in the right direction, and are faulty, if at all, rather in matter of detail than in point of sound principle.

Democratic Sagacity.

If the Democratic Party showed great sagacity in picking Woodrow Wilson for the Presidency, it has shown no less in trusting itself to his leadership. It was that trust which brought about the repeal of the Panama Canal tolls exemption through the votes of many Congressmen who honestly doubted the justice and wisdom of the repeal. They now unquestionably plume themselves upon their action. They now unquestionably realize that, because of that repeal and of the President's Mexican policy, and because of the good faith, sincerity, disinterestedness, and law-abidleness which mark the President's course in both these cases, the United States today occupies a position of supreme importance in the world. It is the one great power not party to the awful carnage which is now desolating Europe and making modern civilization seem a sham and a reproach. It acts in foreign relations through its President, and is the one agency through which ending the war can be urged upon the belligerents with the best chance of a hearing.

To weaken the President's prestige at this crisis, to make it appear that he and his Administration are not trusted and supported by the American people, would be a calamity. At this juncture, and until discredited by some overt act of the American people, the President of the United States is not a Democratic asset merely, nor even an American asset, but an asset of the civilized world. It is due to ourselves, to the unhappy warring nations, and to humanity generally, that we do nothing to impair its value. I am, Sir, very truly yours, RICHARD OLNEY.

Here speaks with characteristic vigor the Elder Statesman, the leading Elder Statesman, we should say, of the Democratic Party, if not of the country. Having covered the same ground affirmatively in the October number of this Review, and having now demonstrated, to our own satisfaction at least, that the Republicans have no case worth heeding, we have only this to add:

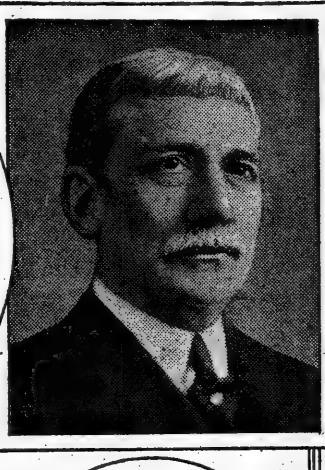
The President may, indeed, in his own words "look forward with confidence to the elections." There need be no apprehension of defeat when, anomalously, it is the opposition, not the party in power, that is on the defensive. Moreover, to our amazement and delight, our Colonel, responding magnificently to our appeal, has 240 candidates for Congress in the running—a sufficient number, in all conscience, to turn the flank of the enemy. Serenely, then, we guess—

That the Democrats will have a majority of between 50 and 100 in the next House; that Gov. Glynn will carry New York by more than 50,000; that Mr. Gerard will get even more, regardless of the effect upon the President's perturbed heart; that our Colonel's former ally, Sulzer "the crook," will poll more votes than Mr. Davenport; that Roger Sullivan will win in Illinois; that Senators Smoot, Penrose, Gallinger, and Dillingham will be re-elected; that Mr. Cannon and Mr. Longworth will regain their seats; and that Gov. Walsh will beat Mr. McCall if he has the luck which is the rightful heritage of a descendant of the Kings of Ireland.

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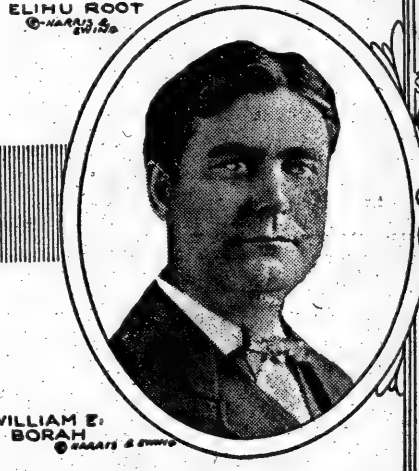
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control which not only caused its rise, but fixed the increase so firmly that years, perhaps, must elapse before material reduction can be achieved? We all—and none better than the Senator himself—know that it would not and could not. Senator Root's attack upon the entrenched Democracy is the merest peck. Let us pass on.

Philander C. Knox, emerging from the dusk of comparative obscurity, rises to remark that "the Democrats prattle about peace, yet they have the distinction of beginning a war upon a famished and distraught neighboring people"—an accusation whose falsity hardly calls for demonstration. That President Wilson erred in refusing to recognize the de facto government of Mexico we were convinced at the time and still believe, but if it be a fact that "all the bloodshed with which Mexico has been cursed during the past eighteen months was due to the failure to recognize Huerta," we would ask, politically, upon whose shoulders rests the primary responsibility. If not upon those of President Taft and Secretary Philander C. Knox, who deliberately withheld such recognition for weeks, and thereby created a precedent which their successors could hardly ignore with propriety? True, an issue—a just cause of criticism—may lie in the present Administration's course toward Mexico, but not for Mr. Knox.

No Real Issue Here.

Senator Smoot, as the successor of Mr. Aldrich in partisan leadership, directs attention justifiably to "extravagant and ever-increasing appropriations," but when he declares that "if the tariff law as it existed before the passage of the Underwood bill had been left alone" there would be no need of a war tax, he must know that he only discredits the intelligence of his hearers. Cessation of imports necessarily involves cessation of revenue; as between tariffs it is wholly a matter of degree, and the President stated a simple fact when he wrote to Mr. Underwood:

The import duties collected under the old tariff constituted a much larger proportion of the whole revenue of the Government than do the duties under the new. A still larger proportion of the revenue would have been cut off by the war had the old taxes stood, and a larger war tax would have been necessary as a consequence.

A school boy, to say nothing of a statesman of Senator Smoot's recognized ability, can understand that. Whether or not the facts warrant the President's further assertion that "no miscalculation, no lack of foresight, has created the necessity for the taxes, but only a great catastrophe, world-wide in its operation and effects," is a matter of opinion. The truth is that nobody can tell whether the Underwood bill would have produced sufficient revenue for the present fiscal year under normal conditions; all that is really known is that it did for the preceding year; all else is conjecture. For ourselves, we have our doubts, but frankly should not have lamented a deficiency which might have made reduction in expenditures essential. There is no real issue here, but Senator Smoot makes one when he says:

The law authorizes the President to borrow money on certificates of indebtedness, so far as may be needed, up to \$100,000,000. It has never been the policy of the Government to raise by way of taxation all funds necessary in such a case as that now presented. It would be much better to use than \$75,000,000

venience of the business of the country. It would have to be determined by the operations and necessities of the Treasury itself. Such risks are not necessary and ought not to be run. We cannot too scrupulously or carefully safeguard a financial situation which is at best, while war continues in Europe, difficult and abnormal. Hesitation and delay are the worst forms of bad policy under such conditions.

And we ought not to borrow. We ought to resort to taxation, however we may regret the necessity of putting additional temporary burdens on our people. To sell bonds would be to make a most untimely and unjustifiable demand on the money market, untimely because this is manifestly not the time to withdraw working capital from other uses to pay the Government's bills; unjustifiable, because unnecessary.

The country is able to pay any just and reasonable taxes without distress. And to every other form of borrowing, whether for long periods or for short, there is the same objection. These are not the circumstances, this is at this particular moment and in this particular emergency, that the market is borrowing large sums of money. What we are seeking is to ease and assist every financial transaction, not to add a single additional embarrassment to the situation.

In a word, the Senator would cripple business or borrow; the President would encourage business and pay as he goes. So according to the record, not for a moment, in our belief, as a fact. Mr. Smoot knows better; here he speaks as a politician, not as a statesman committed to sound finance; hence whatever the President proposes is wrong. Cannot one hear in ready imagination the Senator's ringing denunciation of a Democratic President actually straining the nation's credit or fettering its commerce in a time like this? Compared with what he surely would have said of such a performance, his present declamation is the merest whisper. But if, as a maker and interpreter of Republican policy, he finds the issue which he has raised to his liking, both the President and the Democratic Party may well rejoice. And there, perhaps, we may leave Senator Smoot.

A Welcome Change.

It is refreshing to turn from politics to statesmanship, from prejudice to reason. Senator William E. Borah stands forth, by contrast with the Smoots, the Knoxes, the Penroses, the Manns, the Canners, and the Paynes, the foremost Liberal Republican of the present day. Intellectually the peer of Mr. Root or Mr. Lodge, he surpasses either in comprehension of the public will and pub-

lic would still be clearly within the inhibition and within the anathema which they had assumed upon their predecessor.

But what is the situation? It is not that it has been equalled, and thereby is subject to their own charge of extravagance, but it has far exceeded, during the last eighteen months, that of the previous Congresses or the previous months of the previous Administration. That which they denounced as shameless waste approaches economy in the light of the record of these past eighteen months. With this stern denunciation fresh upon the lips of Democracy we find all about the indisputable evidence of insolvency and want of candor.

The truth of this indictment is indisputable. Nevertheless, unlike his fellow-Republicans, Senator Borah did not place the entire responsibility for excessive expenditures upon the Democratic Party; he recognized the effect of a general and seemingly irresistible trend toward extravagance, which in his judgment had hardly begun. He continued:

Blame Right and Left.

We are inaugurating with marvelous speed and remarkable inconsiderateness a system of government which will devolve upon the people of this country a burden of taxation the like of which the people have never for a moment contemplated. We propose now, Sir, to have an expert, a special agent an investigator to accompany every citizen and to oversee every business and every line of industrial activity. The present thus being presented to the people may be what they want, but I warn them now it will be costly beyond anything they have contemplated. Such a system fattens by what it feeds upon. It creates a governmental class always complaining of too much service and too little pay; it invents jobs and fosters all forms of waste and expenditures.

That this criticism would apply with approximate equality to Democrats, Republicans, and Progressives alike is sufficiently evident to all observers and is, indeed, the plain inference to be deduced from the Senator's utterance. With respect to the immediate situation, he found the Democratic Party culpable in certain specific instances, such as is afforded by an increase of more than 1,000 employees in the Treasury Department alone—surely a just cause for complaint; but he did not hesitate to allot a fair proportion of blame to the common tendency. He continued:

The new currency law created five new offices, with salaries of \$12,000 each, and increased the salary of the

travagance in the way of the operation of the Government, because if the people of the United States want their entire business done at Washington they will have to pay for it. If they want these matters to be overseen and controlled and regulated 1,000 miles or 2,000 miles from their homes they will have to pay for it.

Would Not Criticize President.

But whether it shall prove satisfactory to the people or not, this much is true: The amount of the governmental expenditures heretofore in the operation of the Government at Washington will be comparatively small and modest compared with the amount of expenditure which will be made in all future years if we continue to enlarge upon these bureaus.

Already for this year the actual expense of our departments at this time is \$3,000,000 a month in excess of the salary of the Republican administration. That is not by reason of the fact that there has been any defalcation or anything of that kind, but it is because of constantly enlarging and creating offices, providing salaries, and providing for those people who shall do those things that ought to be imposed upon the individual citizen himself to do under the observance of some law which had been passed for his guidance. That is only a beginning of what we may expect in a very short time if these bureaucratic practices continue.

While holding that the emergency tax would not have been required if economy had been practiced, Mr. Borah emphatically declined to be drawn by his partisan colleagues into criticism of the methods recommended by the President. Replying to Senator Bristow, he said:

I understand that the President thinks it is unwise to withdraw Government money from the banks, because that would be to take it out of the channels of business; and that he is of the opinion that to tax the people and collect the money in that way is not to take it out of the channels of business. I may not interpret the message correctly, and I would not do the President an injustice. There may be another view.

And to Senator Townsend he declared flatly:

I agree with the proposition that in the present condition of business affairs it might be very disastrous to call for money anywhere in large amounts. I think that it would be likely to create a condition of affairs which would be serious.

So far as the present exigency is concerned, therefore, Mr. Borah, while deploring the need, virtually upholds the President. And clearly it was from no partisan spirit that, in conclusion, he spoke these suggestive words:

Mr. President, the first and indispensable principle of any efficient system

may not be large, but it is a cancer just the same. No hour can be too early to cut it out.

And even, Sir, if all the honor and the glory should finally be accredited to the present leader of the Democracy, which his fondest admirers believe will be his, this exclusion would in the long course of the years, if followed up, exceed in glory all the rest. If he should establish the precedent of real economy and bring the Government back to a sane basis in this respect, while men might differ and disagree as to all other acts, the people would pay to him undivided homage for this.

These are words of wisdom which the President may well ponder to advantage. While justifiably criticizable for neglect of this vital problem thus far, it is but fair to assume that he recognized the evils of the system as portrayed by Senator Borah, but found them rooted so deeply that he could not hope to attack them successfully while so many matters of greater imminence pressed for attention.

But the way is now cleared, and we have reason to believe that it is the purpose of Mr. Wilson to undertake a complete reformation of governmental appropriations such as Mr. Taft essayed somewhat tentatively and failed utterly to achieve. That he will succeed if accorded full opportunity is a fair deduction from his past performances, but it is quite certain that no efforts can avail with a Government politically divided. The facts of the situation, therefore, fortified, oddly enough, by the strong indictment and powerful plea of Senator Borah, constitute an unmistakable reason for the election of a House of Representatives whose co-operation with the President will be assured.

So much, then, for the main grounds, both partisan and rational, upon which the Republican Party seeks partial reinstatement. There may be others, but if so they are not in evidence. Indeed, there has appeared nothing more remarkable in our political history than the transparent fear of the opposition to attack the present Administration.

Time was when the Republican Party was aggressive to the verge of recklessness. Today it is more than timorous; it is positively benumbed in the face of a personality so strong as to have become for the time at least irresistible. The name Wilson appears in no Republican platform, is spoken by no Republican orator; the Hon. William Murray Crane, we are credibly informed, does not venture even to whisper it; and, as for our Colonel, all the king's horses and all the king's men cannot draw it from his parched lips.

Richard Olney's Views.

Among public journals, too, barring a few great daily newspapers, this Review seems to be the only one of consequence that recognizes, and, of course, will continue to recognize its obligations to praise only when praise is due, and to condemn unsparringly when just warrant for censure shall appear. But for a painful lack of that undefinable attribute commonly termed a sense of humor we should derive no little amusement from contemplation of a condition which, after two years, finds Woodrow Wilson smiling benignly upon a United Democracy, a paralyzed Republican Party, and a withered Armageddon.

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THE TERCENTENARY OF OUR CHARTERED COMMERCE

By Chauncey M. Depew.

THE first quarter of each century has been distinguished by events which have had a marked influence on the history of the world. In 1314 the union was formed between France and Navarre which created a new and dominant power in Europe.

In 1415, one hundred years later, was fought the battle of Agincourt which gave France to England for a long period of years. In 1610, two hundred years later, Henry IV. was murdered, the tendency toward liberalism was stopped, and France came under the baleful influence of Mary de Medicis. After the brilliant government of Cardinal Richelieu, the Edict of Nantes was repealed, the Huguenots scattered over the world, to the great enrichment of other nations and the paralysis of French industry.

In 1814 the battle of Waterloo ended the career of Napoleon and restored Europe for a time to Bourbon and autocracy.

We turn to Germany and find the same fateful first quarter of the century; 1508 to 1517 saw the rise of Luther and the most significant revolution of the Middle Ages. In 1813 began the thirty years' war, which destroyed cities and wasted the country, and after awful horrors and slaughter left Germany seriously depopulated and impoverished. But in 1818 arose the Order of the Iron Cross, which drove Napoleon from Germany, aroused German patriotism, and regained German independence.

Great Britain in her history singularly illustrates the same rule. In 1215 the Barons at Runnymede wrung from King John Magna Charta, the genesis of our own liberties. In 1314, one hundred years later, the battle of Bannockburn united England and Scotland; 1611 witnessed the completion of our authorized version of the Bible. Its influence has been incalculable upon English and American history, upon literature in the English language and upon the language itself; 1814 was the zenith of the activities of Shakespeare, and the battle of Waterloo in 1814 gave to Great Britain her escape from the peril to her empire and her commerce and a commanding influence on the ocean and in the affairs of Europe, Asia, and Africa. The victory at Blenheim in 1704 was followed by the Treaty of Utrecht in 1713, which conceded the things necessary for the British Empire of the future.

The year 1914 is one of the most fateful, not only to the United States but to the world. The most gigantic war of all the centuries is in progress. Eight hundred millions of people, one-half of the inhabitants of the earth, are in deadly conflict, with engines of destruction never imagined by the soldiers of the past. The destinies of dynasties, the boundaries of empires, the liberties of peoples, the future of civilization, the influence of Christianity are all involved in this titanic conflict.

But at the same time for the United States 1914 is an era of the victories of peace. It witnesses the completion of a century of peace between the United States and Great Britain. It heralds the end of four hundred years of effort in the completion of the Panama Canal. It witnesses the completion of the enlargement of the Erie Canal. It brings us together to celebrate the three hundredth anniversary of that small beginning of the commerce of New York, which has flowered and fruited in the centuries with a speed unknown in the history of more ancient capitals into the leadership of all but London and rivalry with her.

The often tried and often defeated efforts to find a northwest passage to the East are what led to the discovery of America and the event we celebrate. This was the quest of Columbus and which caused other navigators to try for an open door along the Atlantic Coast and the Isthmus of Darien. The failure of their search revealed a continent instead of a strait. It gave to the world the opportunity of ample room for the development of civil and religious liberty, so remote from old despotisms that before its meaning and result could be comprehended a new and mighty nation would become their guardian and protector.

Achievements of the Dutch.

The effort of Philip II. to exterminate this liberty in Holland by persecution so terrible that it carried one hundred thousand men and women to the stake aroused a spirit of defiance and independence which turned a whole people into an organization known to fame and history as the "Beggars of the Sea." These glorious mariners took toll of the ocean. They won their lands from the waves by their dikes and flooded them to drown their invaders and persecutors. They sunk or drove into ports the fleets of King Philip and extended their power over Java and East Indian islands, and others in the West Indies which Holland still owns.

But their spiritual development was greater than their material victories. In an age enveloped in darkness they gave home and welcome to alien races and religions. The Jew was safe, and Catholics and Protestants found equal freedom. The Puritans, fleeing from England, had the unrestricted enjoyment of religion according to their belief, an open field for earning a living by their industries and the incalculable advantage of Dutch schools and Leyden University, at that time the best in Europe. Dutch scholars were leaders of thought and their articles of unequalled genius. Their inventions gave to science the microscope and improved the telescope. Such were the people who founded New York and started it upon its imperial career.

The discovery of North and South America stirred nations and individuals to grasp and utilize their treasure. The only settlement purely for liberty in all the tragic story of those

Senator Chauncey M. Depew Writes Its Story Since the 'Early Days' of the Dutch and Tells of the Lessons That May Be Learned from It for the Future.

centuries upon the Americas was that of the Pilgrims on Plymouth Rock. Cortes and Pizarro were ruthless and savage conquerors. St. Augustine was founded in 1565 as a Spanish military post and developed no commerce. The English settled in Jamestown in 1607, but the colonists had to be supported for years by the mother country, not even raising enough for food. In 1614 they commenced cultivating and exporting tobacco, which after some years made them self-supporting, but they created no commerce.

The Pilgrims from their settlement devoted themselves to domestic affairs, but had no foreign trade. The settlement of New York between the dates of Jamestown and Plymouth was purely a commercial enterprise. It was successful from the start, and the growth and expansion of its commerce have gone on during three centuries until it has reached its present imperial and worldwide proportions.

Henry Hudson's Voyage.

Henry Hudson, an Englishman, was prominent among those early adventurers whose tales could draw cash and ships from Kings and merchant princes. His story captured the imagination of Henry IV. of France, the hero of Navarre, but the merchants of Holland were quicker and more audacious and secured his services. He made both believe that he was the sole possessor of the secret of the coveted northwest passage to India. The solid men of Amsterdam gave him the good ship Half Moon of 100 tons, fully manned and equipped for a long voyage.

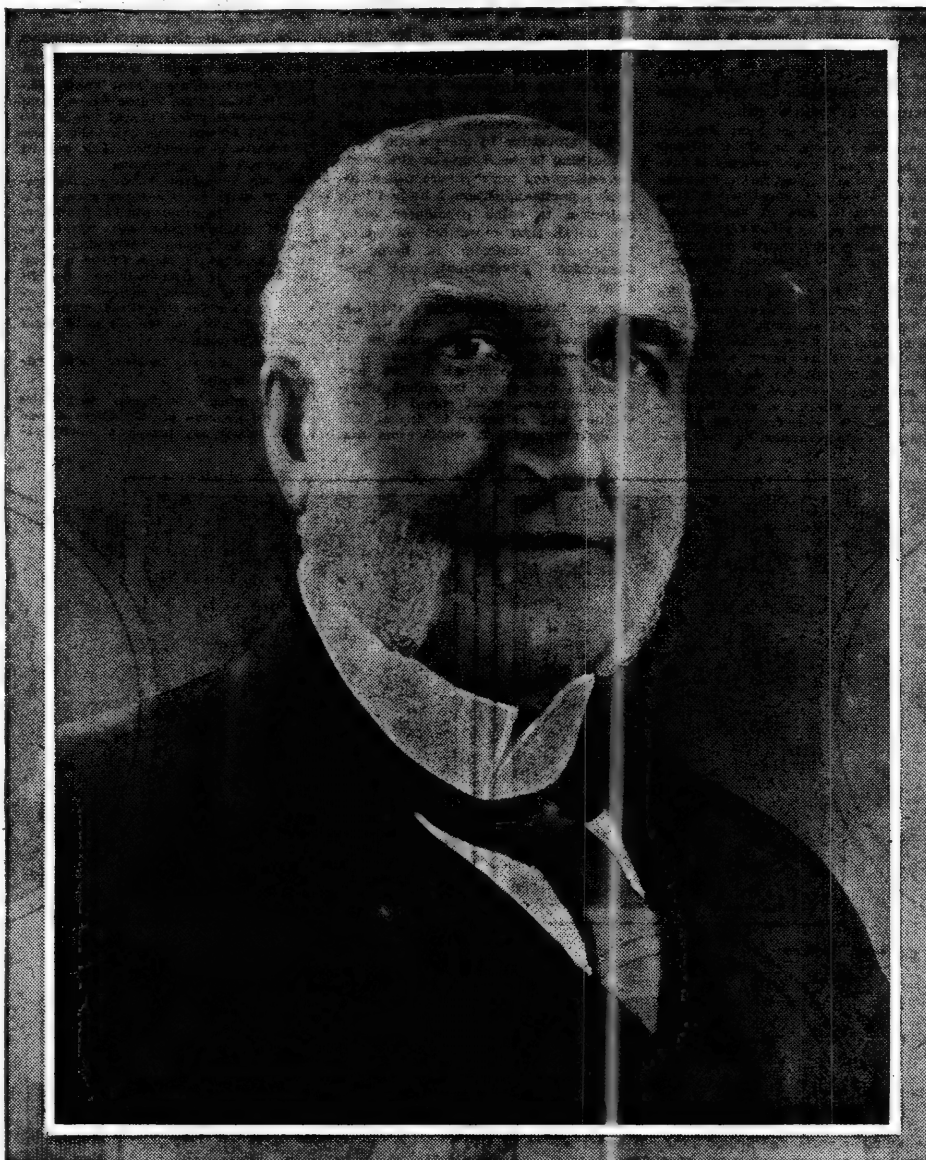
Henry Hudson was never in a hurry. He added to his English stolidity and tenacity a large measure of Dutch phlegm and love of ease. On Wednesday, Sept. 2, 1609, at 5 o'clock in the afternoon, according to the log of the Half Moon, she dropped anchor at Sandy Hook. She remained in the lower bay ten days to give time for the Captain and his Holland staff to reflect on the situation. Sept. 12 she raised anchor, sailed through the Narrows and anchored off the Battery. The next day, Sept. 18, she made eleven and a half miles to Spuyten Duyvil Creek. There Hudson's boats discovered that Manhattan was an island, and old New York owes to him this important information. On the 14th the Half Moon reached Yonkers, and, being satisfied that he had found the strait leading to the goal of his quest, the northwest passage to India, he continued up the Hudson until the shallows near Troy grounded his ship and dispelled his hopes. He reached New York on his returning trip Oct. 4, having in the month demonstrated the navigability of the river and gained immortality for himself by giving his name to this most picturesque of rivers. When he cleared the harbor and pointed his prow for Europe, the Half Moon became the pioneer of the ocean sailing vessels and steamers which for three centuries in large fleets have made New York the chief port of the Western Hemisphere.

Hudson, having failed in his contract to find the northwest passage, stayed in England on his return, but sent the Half Moon and the maps and accounts of his discoveries to the East India Company at Amsterdam. The Half Moon, the pioneer of shipping to and from New York, was lost in 1615 in the Indian Ocean. These far-sighted and enterprising Dutch merchants saw the possibilities in Hudson's report and maps of the new country he had found and explored.

The Dutch had not three hundred years ago advanced to our present distrust of the individual and fear of his success. They encouraged their citizens to undertake adventurous enterprises all over the world by promising them large returns if successful, not from the State but from the results of their discoveries. The explorers took all risks and perils, and if unsuccessful the losses, but were protected in their conquests until amply repaid. The East India Company, operating in the East Indies and eastern coasts of Asia and Africa, had not only gained riches, but added enormously to the wealth and prosperity of their country.

The present colonies of Holland in the East came from the East India Company. In 1612 the enterprising merchants of Amsterdam fitted out two ships to confirm Hudson's discoveries, one under Capt. Christensen, the other under Capt. Block. They built four huts for trading purposes on what is now 89 Broadway, and there the commerce of New York began.

Here we pause to pay tribute to Capt. Block. His ship was burned in our harbor. Nothing daunted, this intrepid navigator turned ship builder. The magnitude of the task would have been appalling to the average man, but Capt. Block was a pioneer of civilization. With no shipyard, no tools but those saved from the wreck, no machinery for cutting down the trees or sawing the logs, the Captain hewed out of the primal forest the materials for a ship forty-four and a half feet from stem to stern and eleven and a half feet wide. He named her the "Onrush," or Restless. Her activities justified her name. She sailed lightly through the perils of Hell Gate, rounded Cape Cod on the north and anchored in Delaware Bay on the south. Her intelligent Captain made maps, whose accuracy was subsequently verified, of Long Island Sound and the coasts of Rhode Island, Massachusetts and Connecticut. This



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modest hero, whose achievements have little mention in our histories, whose only monument is Block Island, whose reward was to be made commander twelve years after, in 1624, of the whole fleet sailing between this port and Holland, was the founder of the mercantile marine of the United States.

Birth of New York's Commerce.

"The States General of the Free United Netherlands Provinces" published in March, 1614, that they would "grant to whoever shall resort to and discover new lands and places" the right that they "shall alone be privileged to make four voyages to such lands and places from these countries exclusive of every other person until the aforesaid voyage shall be concluded." The return of Capt. Block with his report of his discoveries and statement of the possible commercial opportunities of the territories along the Hudson and Long Island Sound aroused the Dutch merchants to renewed efforts. They formed a company called the New Netherlands Company, and this company on the 11th of October, 1614, was granted a charter from the Government of which the following are the main features:

Grant of exclusive trade to New Netherlands. The States General of the United Netherlands to all to whom these presents shall come, greeting: Whereas Garrett Jacob Witsen, ancient Burgo-master of the City of Amsterdam (and certain other persons named) all now represented in one company have respectfully represented to us that they the petitioners after great expense and damages by loss of ships and other dangers have during the present year discovered and found with the above-named ships certain new land situated in America between New France and Virginia, the sea coasts whereof are between forty and forty-five degrees of latitude, and now called "New Netherlands"; and whereas we did in the month of March last, for the promotion and increase of commerce, cause to be published a certain general consent and charter, setting forth that whoever should thereafter discover certain new havens, lands, or passages might frequent or cause to be frequented for four voyages such newly discovered and found places, to the exclusion of all others from visiting or frequenting the same from the United Netherlands until the discoverers or finders shall themselves have completed the said four voyages, or cause them to be completed within the time described for that purpose under the penalties expressed in our said Octroy, etc.; they request that we shall record to them due account of the aforesaid Octroy in due form.

Which being considered, we therefore in our assembly have heard the petition of said petitioners . . . have consented and granted, and by these presents do consent and grant to said petitioners now united into one company, that they shall be privileged exclusively to frequent or cause to be visited the above newly described lands in America, between New France and Virginia . . . for four voyages within the time of three years commencing the 1st of January, 1615, next

ensuing, or sooner, without it being permitted to any other person from the United Netherlands to sail to or frequent the said newly described lands, havens, or places, either directly or indirectly, on pain of confiscation of the vessel and cargo wherewith infraction hereof shall be attempted, and a fine of fifty thousand Netherlands ducats for the benefit of said discoverers or finders; provided nevertheless that by these presents we do not intend to prejudice or diminish any of our former grants or charters, and it is also our intention that if any disputes or differences from these are developed they shall be decided by ourselves.

We therefore expressly command all governors, justices, officers, and inhabitants of the aforesaid United Countries that they allow the said company peaceably and quietly to enjoy the whole benefit of this our grant and consent, ceasing all contradictions and obstacles to the contrary. For such we have found to appertain to the public service.

Given under our seal, pen and the signature of our secretary.

At The Hague, the 11th of October, 1614.

Thus, on Oct. 11, 1614, not by accident, but by able and far-sighted citizens of Holland, recognizing the wonderful situation and limitless future of our unequalled harbor and an enlightened Government encouraging their efforts, was begun in a formal way and under solemn official sanction the commerce of New York.

The first report of the beginning of commerce came two years later from Capt. Cornelius Hendrickson, who reported to the Government that he had, for his masters, the New Netherlands Company, "discovered certain lands in North America and did trade there with the Indians, said trade consisting of sable furs, robes and skins. He hath found the country full of trees and hath seen in said country bucks and does, turkeys and partridges." Trade developed rapidly. Present business was profitable and increasing. So at the end of four years the New Netherlands Company applied for and was granted by special license an extension for three years until June 23, 1621. When the company asked in 1621 that instead of special license the charter should be renewed for a long period, the request was denied. In this connection there develops an interesting and epoch-making chapter in the history both of Holland and of New York.

Holland Bestirs Herself.

The eighty years war for Dutch independence had resulted in 1609 in the impoverishment of Spain, and Holland becoming one of the richest and most enterprising nations in Europe. Spain asked for a truce until 1621 which was agreed upon. This truce was followed immediately by activities in exploration and of commerce by Holland and its first result was the sailing of Hudson and the Half Moon a few days after.

In 1570 the Dutch, having revolted from the tyranny and persecutions of the Spanish, had formed a confederation of the seven provinces and united

them as States in the union of the United Netherlands. This successful federated Government of independent States gave the idea and methods to our forefathers for the creation of the Republic of the United States. When the truce of 1609 to 1621 was ended by Spain renewing the war for the subjugation of the Netherlands, the Dutch Government in denying the extension of the charter of the New Netherlands Company notified the petitioners that they must form a new and more powerful corporation which could not only increase the commerce of the mother country, but be sufficiently strong in armed ships to protect it.

New York Loses a Chance.

Acting upon this suggestion, the members of the company invited a general subscription for a new corporation to take over the business of the old and meet the requirements of the Government. It was capitalized at \$2,800,000, an enormous sum for those days, but the capital was over-subscribed \$48,261.44. Each of the seven provinces or States had a representation in the directory of twenty, proportional to their subscriptions. The company was granted vast powers not only for commerce, but for war and peace.

On Feb. 12, 1620, New York lost one of those opportunities which, if availed of, change the course of history. Pastor Robinson, the minister and leader of the Pilgrim Fathers in Holland, desired to bring his flock of 400 families to New York. The New Netherlands Company was most anxious to secure these settlers, but not having the transportation or warships to convey them, petitioned the States General for both. The States General were exhausting all public and private facilities to prosecute the renewal of the war with Spain and were obliged to decline.

If the Pilgrims could have waited a year until the powerful West India Company had its fleet on the ocean, the settlement of Massachusetts might have been long postponed, and under the mellowing influences of our unsurpassed climate and associations with the genial and hospitable Dutch, the Pilgrim Father might have become a Dutchman. But literature and eloquence would have lost some of their noblest and most inspiring contributions.

The West India Company in the midst of its activities in war systematically and wisely developed its New York possessions. The Dutch, acting with traditional honesty, instead of taking the land by force opened negotiations with the Indians, and the company reported to the States General that it had purchased the Island of Manhattan from the wild men "for the value of sixty guilders; it is eleven thousand, morgens in extent." If that is translated in terms of today, the Island of Manhattan consisting of twenty-four thousand acres of land was bought from the Indians for twenty-four dollars.

Immigration was encouraged, and the price of the passage from Amsterdam to New York, everything included, was only six dollars, though the time was about eight weeks. The land increased rapidly in value. The records show that in 1640, twenty-four years after the purchase of the island, in the settled parts and on the principal streets a lot with a frontage of thirty feet on the best business street could be bought for fourteen dollars, while in the residential part the same sum would secure one hundred feet frontage. In 1666, thirty years after the arrival of the first permanent settlers, a census was taken which enumerated seventeen streets, one hundred and twenty houses and one thousand inhabitants.

Early Export Trade.

Our study naturally turns to the beginning and development of trade from this port. The first account is the arrival at Amsterdam in 1624 of the New Netherlands, which had carried out thirty families and the equipment for their settlement. Her return cargo was 500 otter skins, 1,500 beavers, and other things which sold for 28,000 guilders, or about \$11,000. The first official report to the Government is as follows:

High and Mighty Lords: Yesterday arrived here the ship "Arms of Amsterdam," which sailed from New Netherlands at the River Mauritius (the Hudson) on the twenty-third of September. They report that our people are in good heart and live in peace there; the women have borne some children there.

They have purchased the Island Manhattans from the Indians for the value of sixty guilders; it is eleven thousand, morgens in extent. They had all their grain sowed by the middle of May and reaped by the middle of August. They send some samples of summer grain, such as wheat, rye, barley, etc. The cargo of the aforesaid ship is 7,246 beaver skins, 1,784 otter skins, 675 other skins, 48 minck skins, 86 wild cat skins, 83 mincks, 34 rat skins, and considerable oak timber and hickory.

Herewith, High and Mighty Lords, be commended to the Mercy of the Almighty.

To the High and Mighty Lords: My Lords, The States General at the Hague.

Your High Mightinesses' Obedient. (Signed) P. SCHAGER.

This shows that in two years the trade had about doubled—from \$11,000 in value of exports to \$20,000. Oak and hickory timber had been added to furs. This germ of a commerce which is now the most important in the Western Hemisphere, if not in the world, seems insignificant. That it has grown to its present magnitude in three centuries is an additional wonder of the world. During this period many cities and ports, famous and powerful then and in preceding centuries, have lost their commerce and decayed.

But our city has had a steady and uninterrupted growth. Part has been due to its wonderful natural advantages, but much to the enterprise and public spirit of its citizens. The construction of the Erie Canal opened up to settlement the vast territories around the Great Lakes and made them tributary to New York. The network of railways promoted and built by New York capital have emphasized for our city the ancient legend that all roads lead to Rome.

The West India Company published a table of its trade under the title "A list of returns from the New Netherlands, 1624 to 1635," but includes only beavers and other skins, and gives their values at 27,125 guilders in 1624, 85,825 in 1625, 68,001 in 1630, and 134,925 in 1635. The trade had grown in ten years from eleven thousand to fifty thousand dollars in these articles alone. The import of general merchandise for the colony kept pace with the exports, and were about equal value during these years. The rules of the company were not favorable to general commerce, as they required that all trade, whether European or coastwise, carried by the colonists must be brought to the custom house in New York (then New Amsterdam) and pay a duty of 5 per cent.

While we are the heirs of all the ages, we inherit all the problems which our ancestors failed completely to solve. The currency question vexed our primitive fathers three hundred years ago as acutely as it has and still does ourselves. The people began to be troubled with this obstacle to their commercial interchanges almost immediately. Their principal trade was with the Indians in the purchase of furs and sale to them of merchandise.

The currency of the Indians was known as "sewan," or "wampum," consisting of beads made from shells. As the colonists had no mint, this currency became common not only in dealing with the Indians, but among themselves. Six white or three black beads were equal to one stiver, a Dutch coin worth 2 cents of our money. As the trade of the colony extended to New England, the Yankees in dealing with the Dutch used this "sewan," or "wampum." The mint of the colony was on Long Island, and the issue of money carefully guarded and restricted. But the enterprise of their Connecticut neighbors was soon evident. The colony was flooded with false wampum manufactured and put in circulation by the Yankees. As fiat money and free silver drive out gold, the same inexorable rule in infant New Amsterdam led to the good wampum being

hoarded and disappearing. Stringent laws were passed, penalties imposed, and the Connecticut currency placed on a 50 per cent. basis compared with the Dutch.

Financial chaos was prevented by the English conquest of New Amsterdam in August, 1664. They changed the name from New Amsterdam to New York and introduced the gold standard which happily has prevailed ever since. History constantly repeats itself. When old Governor Petrus Stuyvesant passed the city and colony over to the British in 1664, because he was compelled by overwhelming of the enemy, the city had four hundred houses and a population of about three thousand.

The value of the commerce of New Amsterdam when the British gained control was about \$50,000 annually in exports, mainly furs, and an equal amount of imports. The first official report in 1697 under the English flag gave the exports to the British Isles at \$10,063, showing no growth, or about \$50,000. The Dutch merchants of New York had not adjusted themselves to the breaking off of their relations with Holland and compulsory traffic with Great Britain. The exports of Virginia and Maryland for the same year were \$220,768 in value, or nearly five times New York; New England \$26,282 and South Carolina \$12,874 exceeded New York by \$2,870. New York supplied less than five per cent. of American exports at any time prior to the Revolutionary War. The value of the exports of all the American colonies to Great Britain, almost their only market, was in 1700 \$298,000, of which New York sent \$17,567. In 1760, \$514,000, of which \$35,883 only went from New York, and in 1776, the last year before the troubles began which culminated in 1776, \$1,000,880, of which \$80,000 was contributed by New York.

After the Revolution New York began to forge ahead, and in 1791 took fourth place among the exporting States. Pennsylvania came first with \$3,436,093, Virginia next with \$3,181,835, then Massachusetts with \$2,619,621, and New York with \$2,289,091. But in 1800 New York took the first place in the export trade. In the decade ending with 1800 New York supplied 19 per cent. of the exports from the United States, in the period ending with 1820, 26 per cent. In 1860, 35 per cent., and the decade ending in 1880, 48 per cent.

In recent years new and vigorous competitors against New York have arisen because of the construction of north and south railways in the Mississippi Valley, our great and increasing exports to Mexico and Canada, and the multiplication of ports and their facilities and steamships. But against all these powerful diversions and local efforts New York's share of the export trade of the whole United States is still 40 per cent., and the Erie Canal 99 per cent. The total trade of New York in 1913 was \$2,000,000,000, nearly equally divided between export and import.

The exports to the United States in the Colonial period were mainly furs and timber, and later tobacco from the South. In 1803 our exports began to be varied and to show the expansion of our industry. Agriculture contributed \$30,000,000, the forests \$5,000,000, the fisheries \$2,500,000, and manufactures \$1,000,000. But it is in manufactures where we have made the most progress and rapid growth. Our exports have grown from \$1,000,000 in 1800 to \$1,000,000,000 in 1913.

In 1890 the United States was fairly equipped to enter the competition for the commerce of the world with the old and highly organized industrial countries. In the succeeding half century steam had revolutionized navigation, the Erie Canal had opened the vast and fertile West, railroads were piercing the passes from the Atlantic coast to the interior.

From 1800 to 1913 the commerce of Great Britain has grown from \$335,000,000 to \$5,500,000,000 a year; that of what is now the German Empire from \$108,000,000 to \$4,500,000,000, and that of the United States from \$38,000,000 in 1800 to \$2,000,000,000 in 1913. Stated in percentages, the trade of Great Britain and France is now eighteen times as much as in 1800; Germany twenty-four times as much; and the United States fifty times as much.

Our Great Opportunity.

Three hundred years ago the commerce of New York began in a log hut built on the site of 89 Broadway for the storage of beaver and other skins. Venice was still mistress of the seas; Genoa, with its trading trade, was enjoying the luxuries of her accumulated riches; Great Britain and France were gaining commerce for their cities by their battles and victories on sea and land; Spain was accumulating the wealth which proved her ruin from Mexico and South America. Peking and Moscow were controlling the great cities of the Orient. Three centuries of unparalleled revolutions in the power of peoples, the boundaries of empires, inventions of steam and electricity have so altered the commercial highways of the world that ancient marts are archaeological museums and new centres have grown by leaps and bounds until they have accomplished more in a few generations than older cities in as many centuries.

New York becomes easily the greatest metropolis of the world while all other nations are involved in this strife and disastrous war. It is an opportunity which in the interest of civilization and humanity we profoundly regret. But with opportunity is coupled duty, and in the performance of that duty we help dependent peoples who are cut off from their sources of supply and keep open channels of commerce, needed alike by combatants and non-combatants. We should prepare for these great responsibilities. We should look to the wants of peoples whose commercial connections are paralyzed or suspended, and our manufacturers should expand their productions to meet the requirements of the world. The seas and ports of the earth should once more welcome an American merchant marine, the creation and growth of this intrepid opportunity.

We hope for peace, we pray for peace, and when it once more reigns and blesses we will hail with joy our rivals of all lands to an open door for the revival of their trade and commerce.

Chauncey M. Depew

THE WAR AND BUSINESS

Non-Hysterically and Impartially
Studied by an Export Expert

William M. Benney, Manager of the Foreign Trade Department, National Association of Manufacturers, Says Exact Knowledge of Conditions Favors Optimism.

By Edward Marshall.
THE general European war now has been in progress long enough to enable the American business community to begin to clarify its sight, seeing details of the unprecedented commercial picture which at first seemed but a vision of chaos.

It is now plain to the intelligently broad-eyed that neither the prophets of complete calamity nor those who predicted that out of the misery of others America would easily reap a golden harvest, were entirely right. The commercial situation which has confronted the business men of the United States has been entirely a new one; that they have staggered before the outer waves of the storm which has laid the balance of the world prostrate is not surprising. But they are beginning to adjust themselves to the unprecedented circumstances; the world seems to have been reassured that they will rise to meet the situation as Americans have always risen to meet every situation which has confronted them.

We men in the country is in a better position to estimate the problem as a whole than William M. Benney, Manager of the Foreign Trade Department for the National Association of Manufacturers. He may be called the consulting expert to whom a very large number of America's greatest business houses in all lines turn for advice concerning export markets, and his work has attracted favorable attention in almost every part of the world. Probably he has had a better opportunity to take a bird's-eye view of the export situation during recent years than any individual outside of the Federal service, and, in the minds of some, his special investigations, through his more personal note, have had a certain value impossible for Government reports to duplicate.

Adjustment Necessary.

Naturally he has studied with especial care the commercial situation which has grown out of the European war with relation to American trade, and it is fair to assume that his conclusions, as expressed in the following carefully revised interview, will be found by the American business man to have particular value.

Both pessimists and optimists may easily find backing for their arguments in things as they are. It was the pessimist's side which Mr. Benney first presented, because I asked him to do exactly that, and not because he leans away from optimism.

"Commerce cannot expand," said Mr. Benney, "without an adjustment of the financial situation, for credits must be rehabilitated. Until this is accomplished the United States can do little in the way of trade extension."

"Many plans toward this end have been proposed; little actually has been done. The National City Bank has been making praiseworthy efforts through the establishment of branch banks in South America, but time enough for results has not yet elapsed; transportation is still a problem in all our foreign trade;

American bottoms are insufficient, and on the seas there are cruises hostile to most other shipping.

"A still more serious handicap upon foreign shipping lies in the lack of foreign exchange on London.

"There are those who believe that if the war should last years instead of months the transfer of the world's financial centre from London to New York would occur, but if the seas were kept clear, as probably they would be, London, as a matter of fact, might retain her financial supremacy, unless Great Britain should be completely crippled by the absorption for military purposes of the vast majority of her male industrial workers. Only that, I think, could make New York the exchange centre of the world, or even render it a formidable rival in this regard of London, Paris, and Hamburg.

"So it seems to me that that rosy dream of financial supremacy for New York as a result of the great war is not justified by facts.

"Nor do I believe that there is the slightest likelihood of a realization of the prophecies that the war will result in a great boom in our general trade.

War Bound to Hurt Us.

"I am sure that the best we can look forward to is partial compensation for the loss of European markets through an unusual demand from neutral European and non-European countries for certain supplies which normally they would buy in Europe."

I asked if this might not wholly offset our loss, through immediate profit and the retention of trade after the war.

"Scarcely," Mr. Benney answered. "Europe has been taking three-fifths of our exports, much of her draft consisting of foodstuffs. Our exports of foodstuffs will increase, of course, but ten years of such increase would not be sufficient to offset the inevitable decrease in our European trade in raw materials, such as cotton, oils, and metals.

"Our exports of manufactured products to the belligerent nations will be hampered for many years after the war ends. Europe's governmental financial resources will be absorbed very largely for a long time by the liquidation of war debts, by the rebuilding of cities, railways, and other properties destroyed by military operations, and by the payment of pensions to the maimed and the families of the dead.

"Death, disease, and wounds will enormously decrease, too, the earning ability of her people; emigration is likely to be heavy, helping to impoverish her; a necessarily increased burden of taxation still further will lessen her purchasing power, by enforcing economies among all classes.

"All these things will mean a decreased collective purchasing power for the superior article, which so frequently means the American article. Cheaper substitutes of European manufacture will be favored of necessity.

"Europe, for instance, will offer a decreased market for costly passenger automobiles. Utility and economy

will be considered, for a long time, as against pleasure and luxurious extravagance.

"War's effect will go beyond that. It will mean not only the destruction of factories which it will take years to rebuild and the demoralization of businesses which it will take years to reorganize, but the destruction of the lives of business owners, of clerical forces, of factory workmen, and, above all, of business themselves—many in all these classes being the providing heads of families. The English class which buys luxuries—the rich—is losing its men by thousands.

"So we shall find after the war not only that luxurious commodities have been extensively destroyed, but that their purchasers, or, at least, the fortunes of their purchasers, have been extensively destroyed.

"The incomes of those left will have been considerably decreased by diminished returns from investments at home and abroad.

"South American, South African, and even American dividends have been immensely slowed up by the war. It has wrecked many European enterprises in which European money was invested and has handicapped many foreign enterprises in which European money is invested.

"The burden which will be placed upon industry by the destruction of workmen will directly decrease not only the total of wages, and, therefore, the purchasing power of the working classes, but the total of dividends, and, therefore, the purchasing power of the owner classes.

"So the buying capacity in general of the belligerent nations will be immensely lessened for many years to come; this will adversely affect other nations' exports to these nations, harming the exporting countries, and, in turn, decreasing their purchasing power. Thus we must suffer directly and indirectly, directly through loss of trade with the belligerent nations, indirectly through loss of trade with non-belligerent but affected nations.

"In other words, any reduction of the producing power of any nation will adversely affect all nations normally exporting goods to it, or to any nation which normally would supply it. To put it still differently, the decrease of any nation's purchasing power means a reduction of the world's export trade.

Europe Will Spend at Home.

"The adverse factor represented by the destruction of skilled workers will not only decrease wages earned and thus deplete the purchasing class, but will tend to increase the cost of manufactured goods and thus again hamper our exportations of raw material through lessened ability of purchasing nations to buy.

"Higher interest rates will add an appreciable percentage to the cost of that rebuilding and re-equipping which inevitably must follow destructive warfare.

"For a long time to come money will be tight and high in all parts of the world. For an indefinite time the great financial nations of Europe

will need for their own purposes so large a proportion of their capital that they will have little or none to lend or to invest elsewhere.

"This, too, will be outreaching. If the great borrowing nations outside of Europe find themselves unable to secure financial assistance for their own development, their growth will be retarded thereby and their capacity as markets for manufacturing nations like the United States will be decreased.

"Sentiment is already making itself felt in affording opportunities to American manufacturers, as the business men of Russia, Germany, Austria, France, and the United Kingdom are coming to the United States or writing to our business people stating that they now wish to substitute American goods for those of enemy countries which they have heretofore handled.

"While this matter of sentiment will have some effect, any one who relies on sentiment alone for the increase of his business is sure to be disappointed. Other things being equal, sentiment may turn the scale in favor of the supposed friend, but a greater discount or the chance for larger profit will in the long run, and more and more as years go on, turn the scale in favor of the article on which the most profit can be made."

This, on the whole, made a very gloomy picture. I hastened to ask Mr. Benney to display such optimistic signs as he could find, for he had assured me that there were such signs.

"We should gain," said Mr. Benney, "through the rehabilitation of credits. This will begin definitely when the way once more is free for the movement of food products and certain raw materials, as, for example, the cotton of the United States, the jute of India, the wool of Australia, the grain of Argentina.

"The machinery for the financing of these matters has been located for so long a time in Europe, particularly in London, that it will be a difficult, a complicated matter requiring much time to so readjust things that the United States will fully or even partially benefit; but this must come.

"A prolongation of the war of necessity would force New York into the position of the world's centre for the adjustment of accounts between exporters and importers of all countries. From her possession of this business London has won prestige and a profit, which, though somewhat intangible, has been real. Through handling and rehandling the world's money she has made immense bankers' profits, which have not been at all intangible.

"These affairs attracted to London the financiers of all nations needing money for the development of enterprises, governmental and private, and this gave the British investor, manufacturer, and merchant certain practically exclusive opportunities to take the pick of the world's trade, the largest of the world's profits, with comparatively little accompanying effort on their part. They were sought, not seekers.

"With New York gradually working into a similar position, similar advantages will be available here, and these will inevitably react upon our capable men, stimulating that creative imagination and grasp of great business facts which have been lacking in this American generation.

"There are several wholly logical good reasons why New York should be, if not the world's principal financial centre, at least a much greater financial centre than she ever has been.

"For instance, we are the world's greatest coffee consumers, and Brazil, the coffee producer, needs our manufactured products. Yet we have done business with Brazil almost exclusively through Europe. This would seem to be our opportunity to begin to do business with her through New York.

Chance for Huge Expansion.

"And if this is true in regard to Brazil's coffee it also is true in regard to Japan's silks and China's teas. We have been the largest ultimate consumers of Africa's feathers and diamonds, yet we have done business with Africa through London. Probably we are the largest consumers of India's jute, but we have dealt with India through London.

"If we now exercise proper intelligence and the war is a long one we may take noteworthy steps toward transferring all this vast financial business from London to New York, and this not only will wield a direct profit, but will be a large economy, tending toward expedition and efficiency. Some of our ablest financiers are chary of predicting this, but to me it seems to be a reasonable hope.

"Of course, war has enormously decreased the manufacturing capacity of all the fighting nations, and all the great manufacturing nations except the United States are among the fighting nations. It therefore, forces importing countries to look hither for supplies. The belligerent nations now turn and will turn to us for goods hitherto provided by their present enemies.

"These great facts open for the



William M. Benney.

American manufacturer opportunities for such trade expansion as would have been impossible without the war.

"Although there are certain obstacles in the way to prevent us from taking the fullest immediate advantage of these opportunities, although our factories and workshops are not humming with all the new business which, theoretically, should be coming already to our merchants and manufacturers, it is a fact that some of our industries have been tremendously stimulated by rush orders to make good losses of required material, and this already is beginning to react favorably upon general conditions.

Manufacturers Busy Everywhere.

"Our manufacturers of commercial automobiles and other vehicles, of picks and spades, of shoes and boots, of blankets, of harness and saddlery, of hospital supplies, and many other commodities have their hands full of rush orders at the present moment."

"While business in articles of this sort is at present largely dependent on needs resulting from military operations, the merits of such American goods will have been established by the time peace is declared. The excellence of articles used in war should be a valuable advertisement of the general quality of American goods, bearing fruit after peace comes. The man of imagination can easily see the real importance of this fact.

"For the trade in manufactured goods of neutral nations outside of Europe we now have scarcely any rival except England, and her overseas trade will necessarily be seriously impaired, at least until the war ends.

"While the financial situation of many of the neutral nations outside of Europe is far from satisfactory, we still may trade extensively and profitably with them, for their natural products provide them with means of exchange for our manufactured articles.

"And once the machinery of financial exchange is adjusted it is only fair to expect a constantly increasing volume of goods going thence from the United States.

"Even with the decreased financial resources and the enforcement of economies in public and private buying which characterized the period there immediately preceding the war,

the volume of imports to these countries from the belligerent nations was so great that if the United States only adds a small part of it to its present volume of exports to these neutrals, our exports will be large enough to materially improve industrial conditions here.

"There are other aspects of the situation from which encouragement may be drawn. Among the material destroyed by war will be immense numbers of horses. The resulting deficit will not only place our horseflesh at a premium, but will vastly extend our market for motor-propelled vehicles.

"The destruction of European factories, and especially the destruction and demoralization of European workers, as well as their emigration, will immensely decrease European manufacturing capacity, thereby increasing opportunity for successful competition on our part in all foreign markets.

"The European scarcity of labor, which, owing to death, disease, and psychological upset, will follow the war, may be sure to mean, as some have said, increased European wages to such efficient and willing workers as remain there when the war ends; but these increased wages, coupled with dearer money, will mean an increased cost of European manufacture, perhaps sufficient to place European manufacturers on a cost par with ours.

"The American manufacturer, on the other hand, while probably feeling somewhat the increased cost of money in his borrowings of capital, very likely will be, otherwise, in a better position than before to meet foreign competition in prices.

Labor Advantage Probable.

"Whether or not the manufacturing industries of the United States will be benefited by the increased immigration which surely will follow the war is debatable, but very likely we may find good in the fact that many of the best will be driven from Europe by the hard times period which will follow the making of peace, and even if, at the same time, we suffer from an influx of the somewhat undesirable, we probably shall gain a labor advantage over the European manufacturer.

"But certain factors must be very

intelligently utilized if we are to take full advantage of the situation. While all these generalizations may be useful to those who have only begun to study foreign trade opportunities, taking advantage of them must depend upon the energetic efforts and intelligence of individuals.

"The individual American merchant and manufacturer must as study present and prospective trade possibilities that by their concerted efforts the trade of the United States as a whole may show that increase which it is our duty as well as our opportunity to achieve.

Ground for Optimism.

"Of the individual manufacturer this will require, first, knowledge of the requirements of the foreign markets, then knowledge of the extent to which his goods already do or can be made to meet them; then acquaintance with the dealers or users in the foreign countries and their commercial and financial responsibility; then the establishment of means of approaching them in their own language and in accordance with their own customs, and then the patience which overcomes difficulties and calmly awaits results of wise and persistent effort.

"The channels through which reliable information necessary to the planning of export campaigns may be secured already are at the service of American manufacturers in the machinery of the Government and of various business organizations; reports on the financial responsibility of foreign merchants are readily obtainable; the American with experience in foreign travel and knowledge of foreign languages and customs is now not hard to find, and measures have been devised whereby foreign accounts may be financed through American facilities.

"An intelligent beginning has been made toward the development of an American merchant marine which eventually will enable American exporters to send American goods abroad in American bottoms; so, taken all in all, although the situation is full of complications and doubts, while the cataclysm of the war is too great and terrible to mean unmitigated good for any one, analysis still gives good ground for a real American optimism."



To a recent issue of Le Figaro, Edmond Rostand contributes a sonnet, suggested by the death of the composer, Alberto Magnard. It is said that Magnard was shot while defending his house, near Compiègne, from German troops. Magnard's greatest work is his music drama, "Berenice," in which he used a theme on which Racine based a famous tragedy. To this, and to Corneille's play, "Tit et Berenice," the sextet of the sonnet alludes:

MAGNARD

SEE how this foe of treachery and lies
Who loved the muse with constant love and great
And fought for art against barbaric hate
Fights also for his home, and, fighting, dies!

O Radiant Death, harmonious and wise!
O Perfect Symmetry of work and fate!
Let him dwell in the realm whence rose the State
Where master-poets greet him with proud eyes.

Two Shades will talk to him of Berenice,
For this man's sake their rivalry shall end.
For monument his heart's desire shall chide;
And let this Frenchman in sweet earth be laid;
He did the measure and the purpose blend,
Sang like Racine, and, like Corneille, he died!

THE KING OF IRELAND'S DAUGHTER

By DONN BYRNE.

THERE'S many and many a marriage
And many a marriage's son
Whose hearts would break if they understood
The errand I am on.
Pale moon and starry mountains,
And a singing salt sea-wind,
And a stretch of silver roading,
Left many a mile behind!
Pale moon and starry mountains,
And a ribbon of golden strand!
I ride to woo the daughter
Of the King of Ireland.

The starry mountains whisper:
"No maiden as fair as she!
And none but thee shall win her,
Thou mirror of chivalry."
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With knights of Kent and Cornwall
And with chevaliers of France,
And her father smiles and murmurs:
"There is the bride-to-be
Of the Palatine of Prussia,
Or the King of Saxony."
But he knows not of the rider
Who rides by the gold sea-sand,
Who rides to woo the daughter
Of the King of Ireland.

The starry mountains whisper:
"No maiden as fair as she!
And none but thee shall win her,
Thou mirror of chivalry."

And the salt sea-winds are singing:
"Spare neither heel nor hand.
He rides to woo the daughter
Of the King of Ireland."
The King of Ireland's daughter
Walks in her greenery,
And before her harping luthely
Go her minstrels three by three.
But she knows not of the rider,
Nor of the songs he sings
That set high hearts a-quivver
With a flutter of swallows' wings.
Pale moon and starry mountains
And a twinkle of shimmering stream!
I ride to woo the daughter
Of the King of Ireland.

The starry mountains whisper:
"No maiden as fair as she!
And none but thee shall win her,
Thou mirror of chivalry."
And the salt sea-winds are singing:
"Spare neither heel nor hand.
He rides to woo the daughter
Of the King of Ireland."

Disproved.

Knicker-Things that are equal to the same thing are equal to each other. Bookie-Not at all. The Smiths are both equal to a quarrel, but not to each other.

GEN. VON FALKENHAYN, NEW HEAD OF GERMAN ARMY

By Richard Barry.

HALF a century ago the offices of Minister of War and Chief of Staff were held by the same person in Prussia. The Great von Moltke (history will doubtless write down the two Moltkes as the Greater and the Lesser) succeeded in separating the two offices in 1867, since which time they have been held by different men.

The War Minister in Germany, unlike the War Ministers of the United States, France, and England, has always been a professional soldier. He is the personal choice of the Kaiser, and holds a position advisory to the Kaiser.

In July, 1913, the Kaiser appointed as his Minister of War to succeed von Hertingen the youngest man who had ever held the office, one whose rank it was necessary to elevate to give him authority commensurate with his new position. This was Lieut. Gen. (then Major General) Erich G. A. S. von Falkenhayn, who was born on the 11th of September, 1861, and who was therefore not 52 years old when he came into position next to that of supreme importance in the German Army.

Within the last two weeks Gen. von Falkenhayn has been appointed Chief of Staff to succeed von Moltke, who has left the front because of a severe attack of liver trouble. Some reports say that he is dying; others that he is not seriously ill; others that his supposed illness is but a convenient excuse used by the Kaiser to retire one about whom he has never been enthusiastic.

In any event, the new man at the head of the German Army presents a sharp contrast to the old man who is just gone. As the age of commanding officers goes in modern armies, he is very young, while Moltke is over 66.

In temperament—well, Falkenhayn has one; Moltke none. Falkenhayn is live, energetic, a bundle of nerves, sometimes very agreeable, sometimes very irascible, intemperate, aristocratic, and venturesome. Moltke is placid, methodical, even-tempered, democratic, literal-minded, and cautious.

The two men are about as far apart as Germans could be. Moltke never got into a scrape in his life. Falkenhayn has been repeatedly in situations from which only a genius or a favorite of fortune could extricate himself. Falkenhayn is certainly a favorite of fortune, and events will show whether or not he is a genius.

Looks Like Japanese Leader.

Physically, the new leader of a world army bears a strange resemblance to that wonderful old Chief of Staff, Kodama, the Japanese. He has the same alert eye, the same winning smile, the same tumultuous habit of asking interminable questions, the same ringing vitality, the same prime robustness of youthful middle age.

An officer who once served under him has described to me how Falkenhayn reviewed troops during the few years in which he had active command. He is an infantryman, and was at the head of regiments of foot soldiers in the decade previous to the Boxer war, and he also commanded a regiment of Prussian guards in 1910 for a while.

"He could not stand or sit still during a review," said this officer. "It seemed to be necessary for him to walk or ride about constantly. It seemed a part of his mental intensity and of his nervous curiosity. This is a trait very rare among German officers."

An older General once observed this tendency on Falkenhayn's part and said to him: "Why do you walk about so much? Don't you think it has the effect of making your troops less steady?"

"Nonsense!" replied Falkenhayn.

Character of Minister of War, Who Has Just Succeeded von Moltke, Is a Sharp Contrast to That of the Latter—New Chief Is Live, Energetic, and a Bundle of Nerves.

"soldiers are not ninjas. Should an officer be a poet or an object of art to remain stationary while soldiers are in action? An officer should be only a super-soldier. He should move twice as much, think a hundred times as much, and act a thousand times more quickly."

And that he may be able to "move twice as much" Falkenhayn has always taken good care not to grow fat. He is of the middle height and extremely slender. Which is quite unusual for a German officer past 50.

Little Field Training.

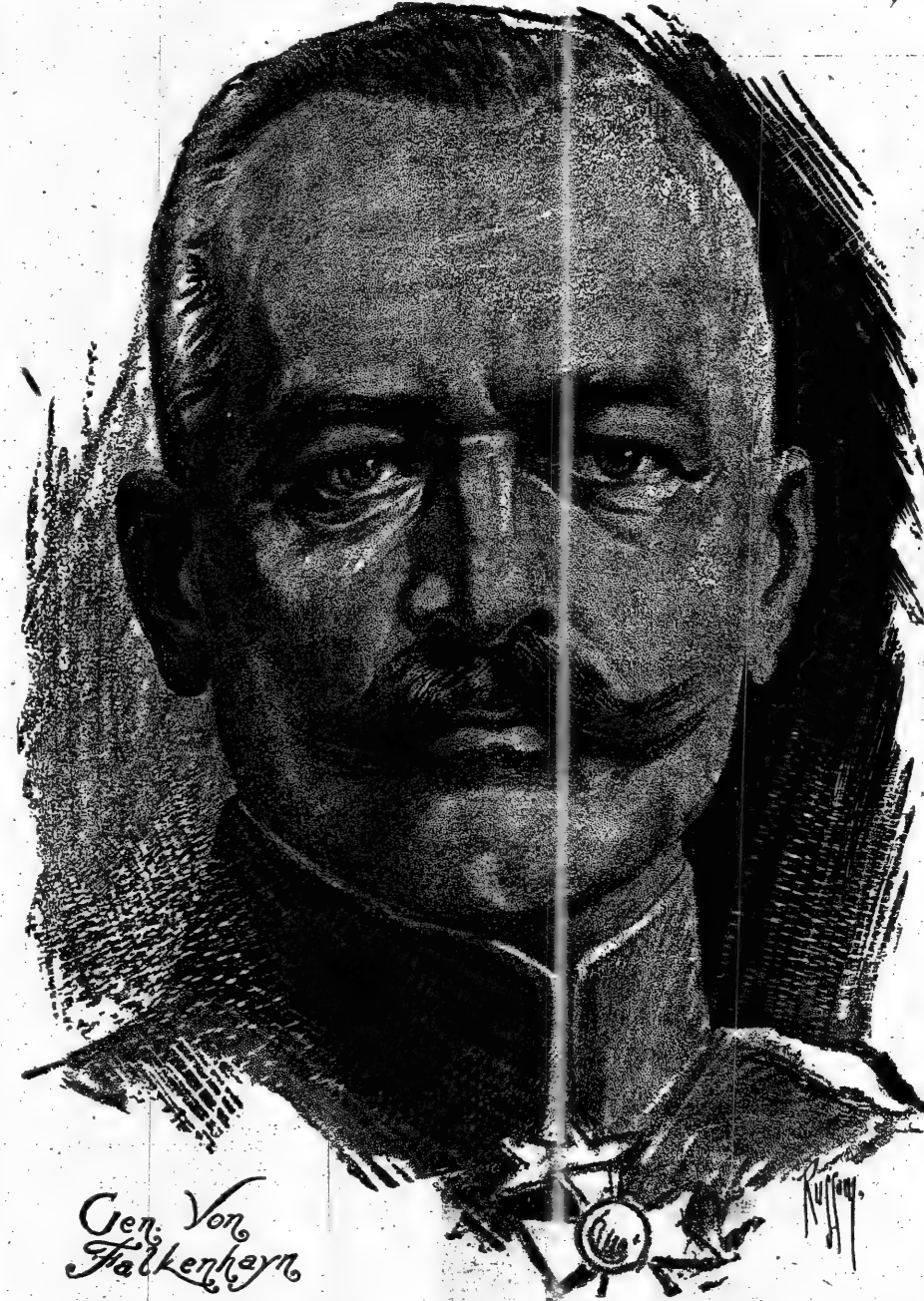
Yet from the first Falkenhayn has been very little with troops; only enough to conform to the regulations which require that no one designed for staff duty can entirely escape service in the field. He is a graduate of the War Academy, and before occupying his present position was twice Chief of Staff, though never before to the entire army. During 1909-10 he was Chief of Staff to the Sixteenth Army Corps, headquarters at Metz, and previous to his appointment as Minister of War was Chief of Staff to the Fourth Army Corps, headquarters at Magdeburg.

The only active service undertaken by Falkenhayn previous to the present war was during the Boxer rebellion, when he served in China on the staff of Count Waldersee. After the Boxer war he was retained by the Chinese Government, with the consent of the Kaiser, to instruct a number of young officers in the Chinese Army. Thus he spent the better part of two years in the Orient.

As a fruit of this Oriental experience the collection of war medals now in the possession of Chief of Staff von Falkenhayn contains several which he may be inclined to treat as his imperial master is reputed to have treated his English decorations. For Falkenhayn holds two Japanese medals (an order of the Rising Sun and one of the Holy Treasure) presented to him by the Emperor of Japan, and another medal presented to him by the Czar of Russia. Because of China's inability to restrain Japan from violating her neutrality in attacking Kiao-Chow he may not feel as proud as once he did of his beautiful decoration of the Two Dragons presented to him by the late Empress Dowager.

For a dozen years or more the Kaiser has been particularly interested in Falkenhayn, and as long ago as his return from China picked him out for advancement. As a definite earnest of his trust and regard he placed under Falkenhayn's charge the Crown Prince, and intrusted to him the military education of the Crown Prince. This trust, one of peculiar delicacy and importance, Falkenhayn has shared with only one other officer, von Hertingen, who preceded him in Berlin as Minister of War.

Von Hertingen is a considerably older man, and at the outbreak of the war was placed in command of the army of the Vosges, while Falkenhayn was retained in the more important post of Minister of War. This, however, took from him the society of the Crown Prince, with whom he has been a prime favorite for more than ten years. The Prince went with von Hertingen to command the army adjoining his to the west, but in reality to be under the constant watch and



Gen. Von Falkenhayn

guidance of the ex-Minister of War. This arrangement was in pursuance of a plan made by Falkenhayn, with the sanction of the Kaiser and approved by Moltke, to place the Crown Prince in a position where he could gain the most credit, if credit were gained by any one, and to receive the least blame if some one must be blamed.

One reason for the great camaraderie which has developed between Falkenhayn and the Crown Prince (though the new Chief of Staff is considerably older than the heir apparent) lies in the superior birth of the General. It is said that none of

the high commanding officers of the present day can boast of as ancient a family as that of Falkenhayn. His noble blood dates back for seven or eight centuries. That was something to begin with in attaining the friendship of a Hohenzollern.

Always a Soldier.

However, though undeniably a royal favorite, it is not charged, even by his enemies, that Falkenhayn lacks independence of character or sturdiness of thought or that he has not contributed to his work an individuality of purpose. He is said to be even more independent, when it comes to ques-

tions purely military, than was Moltke, the tactician reclus.

His viewpoint on all matters is purely that of the soldier. He has never been a diplomat and never an agitator. His attitude on the dueling question is illustrative of his type of mind—one which does not try to conceal a condition by evasion either of fact or logic.

Early in the present year there occurred a duel in the German Army in which Lieut. Haage was killed. As this was contrary to army regulations, in violation of the edict of the Kaiser, and against the concerted modern public opinion, the new Minister of

War was called upon to shelve the event and castigate the survivor.

He did nothing of the sort. He said frankly in a public statement that, although dueling was against the laws of God and man, every German officer must be ready to vindicate his manhood by personal combat if necessary. He added that he was doing everything in his power to diminish dueling in the army; that he had encouraged the appointment of courts of honor among officers which should consider the merits of cases usually submitted only to the code of the duello, and that he would be glad if there were no more duels.

But with the other hand, and at the same time, Falkenhayn asserted that the willingness of a German officer to meet an adversary on the field of honor was an evidence of physical courage, and that, although the penalty might fall on the wronged man, all German officers must be ready to regain their self-esteem and to repel imputations by a duel.

It may have been bad statecraft or faulty reasoning, or both, for a modern Minister of War to so declare. Yet it was undeniably the expression of a disciplinarian who lacked neither courage nor a sympathetic understanding of the code of his kind.

Stormy Reichstag Debut.

It was in December, 1913, that Falkenhayn first made himself felt as a national figure in Germany. He impressed himself on the national consciousness in a peculiar way, which threatened at the moment to limit his usefulness to the Kaiser once and for all, but which eventually resulted in leaving a good impression of him in the minds of practically all parties.

It was during the debate in the Reichstag on the Zabern affair. The Radicals, the Socialists, and the Alsatians had made vigorous speeches, in which they denounced the Government for what they declared was a military dictatorship in Alsace-Lorraine.

In reply to this, Chancellor Bethmann-Hollweg defended the Government's action, and was not very diplomatic about his defense. Instead of quelling the uprising, he converted it into a practical riot, in which the wild members of the Reichstag were acting like unruly schoolboys. The Chancellor retired in confusion and disorder.

This particularly inopportune moment was chosen by the just-appointed Minister of War to make his initial appearance before the Reichstag. It was the first bow of a soldier in the rôle of a diplomat. And he was not only a soldier; he was, for the moment, regarded as the mouthpiece of the Kaiser, for he had just returned from a visit to the Kaiser, and presumably brought the imperial message on the Zabern affair.

He was received with silence and respect. Falkenhayn went direct to bat. His first statement attacked the kernel of the matter. He said that the Government had no intention of giving any assurances that there would be any change in the policy in Alsace-Lorraine. That was all there was to say.

The storm broke before he had completed a dozen words. Jeers, shouts, shrieks rent the air. Lebedauer, the

leader of the Socialists, ran to the speaker's rostrum and yelled, "come down!" Other members hurled shouts of "Insult!" "Impudence!" "Falseness!" at the Minister of War.

The aged President of the Reichstag rang his bell repeatedly and in vain. A mob of football players or a regiment of charging troops would have been easier to control than the supreme lawmaking body of Germany at that moment. It looked for a while as if the delegates would drag the Kaiser's new Minister of War from his high estate and hurl him to the street.

Meanwhile Falkenhayn became more poised than ever. His mercurial, volatile, energetic nature seemed to have been completely settled by the rising temperature of the aroused delegates. He waited quietly for the uproar to cease. It was as though he was watching a battle for the opportune moment to attack.

Finally the tumult subsided. Then Falkenhayn deliberately and with evident full measure of the meaning of his words repeated what he had said before in precisely the same phrases.

There arose a worse tumult than the first. Members leaped to their desks and shrieked that he was a traitor. Several started to drag him by main force from the speaker's place, but were deterred by the more temperate. The sounds could be heard three blocks away. For seventeen years—since the colonial debates in 1896—the Reichstag was not so swept off its feet as by Gen. Falkenhayn then.

He did not wait for the second tumult to subside. He stepped to the very edge of the platform and in the voice of a commander, which rose shrill and harsh above any in the hall, Falkenhayn proceeded to lay down to the lawmakers what he considered the law to be.

He declared that the Zabern incident had been exaggerated by the press, yet he added that the military authorities could not have given way in the Zabern incident or it would have led to chaos, because the Alsatians would have taken advantage of it to break all bounds. Military authorities could not and would not recede before such opposition.

Then Falkenhayn became very dramatic. By that time all could hear, for the force of his personality had compelled attention. He arose to his toes and cried:

"The army is a part of the people, and certainly not the least important part, as shown by the indisputable fact that without the army no stone of this proud building would be standing."

"The army is a terrible weapon. It must be its purpose and object to be to be attained. It was not created for police duty. Military intervention in civil affairs is hateful to me, but, and as he concluded he stretched out his hand in a threatening attitude, "once the army steps in harshness and rigorous measures are necessary."

Embodies Army Ideals.

With that he left the rostrum. For a few days he was roundly abused in the majority of the papers, and by nearly all parties. But after a week public opinion veered. "If we must have a Minister of War, that is the kind of Minister of War for us to have; one who knows his business and is not afraid to speak up for it," is the way one Socialist organ put it.

Berlin had found a new and vigorous entity. It has been said recently that Falkenhayn is a representative of the Bernhardi theory of militarism. If so, he has never preached it, either through writing or by public speech. Bernhardi himself is looked upon among German officers as a rather annoying old scold, a pessimist who sees nothing but the decaying effects of luxury.

Falkenhayn is, however, a vital representative of the German military caste. He embodies the ideals and traditions of the German officer, and in the eyes of the people he has confidence in subordinates, has been, for that reason, if for none other, a happy choice.

FRENCH AND BELGIANS AROUSE MOST OF BRITAIN'S ENTHUSIASM

At Least This Is True of London Music Halls, Where "Marseillaise" Is More Popular than "God Save the King"—Incidentally, Upper Classes Are More Demonstrative.

YOU may think that any one who desires popularity in London today should wear a red jacket, tight trousers, and a pill-box hat strapped over the right ear, and be a British soldier. But you are wrong. British soldiers overflow the parks and buses and bars; they are as numerous and as commonplace as sparrows. If you really want the Londoners to like you, to cheer you when you walk in the Strand and to offer you free drinks and cigarettes, be a Frenchman or a Belgian refugee.

The English (here is a world-shaking discovery) are not an emotional race. But they regard their new-found allies with an enthusiasm that is almost hysterical. The Belgian Relief Fund appeals to the philanthropic more strongly than does the Prince of Wales's Fund for National Relief; the tricolor evokes more applause than the union jack; even little boys who march through the streets wearing newspaper helmets and carrying wooden swords whistle the "Marseillaise" rather than "God Save the King."

The theatres and music halls give an interesting illustration of this phenomenon. When, for example, at the Palladium, the massed bands of His Majesty's Scots Guards and His Majesty's Royal Horse Guards signalize the end of the performance by playing "God Save the King," the audience rises, of course, as it has done for many years. But it shows no enthusiasm; it gropes for its hat and it puts its woman companion's scarf about her shoulder, but it does not attempt to sing. Of course, it does not know the words. But, then, you do not know the words of "The Star-Spangled Banner," and yet at any rate you sing "La la la la la la" with great expression.

But when the aforementioned bands play the "Marseillaise," every one in the Palladium rises, applauds, hums the stirring tune, and sings at least "Marchons! Marchons!" and there

is similar excitement when the band plays the national anthems of Russia and of Belgium, and even when it somewhat diffidently essays a complicated and monotonous exercise alleged to be the patriotic hymn of Japan.

Of course, there is patriotism among the Londoners; they are not wholly given to affection for their allies. They are enlisting by the thousands—that is sufficient proof. But it is nevertheless true that the Londoners are not now given to those loud and obvious demonstrations of patriotic feeling which would in similar circumstances be expected of the people of New York or Paris.

Not that opportunities for demonstrations are lacking. If the Socialist Party in England—like the Socialist Party in Germany—were not now given over wholly to the novel experience of patriotism, there is no doubt that The Clarion and The New Age would be loud in their denunciations of the theatrical managers—"tools of the capitalist, militaristic class." For there is no theatre or music hall in London to which one can go for an evening's entertainment without being entreated, urged, implored, to enlist.

As might be expected, the most obvious and insistent theatrical effort to swell the ranks of the army is to be found at that home of melodramatic thrills, the Lyceum. Here, nightly, is shown "Tommy Atkins," a lurid drama in four acts and fourteen scenes. The Lyceum, in spite of its excellent location, (just off the Strand and not far from the Gaiety), is nowadays by no means an aristocratic house, being given over to the sort of sensational drama shown in New York years ago at the Thalia. "Tom-

my Atkins" is a hastily prepared medley of battle, murder, and sudden death, having as its moral the burden of a song sung (very seriously) by the leading comedian, "So come, my lad, and be a soldier!"

There is enthusiasm enough among the soldiers and civilians—more than half the audience is in khaki—who follow the adventures of Harold Wilson, the preternaturally brave and beautiful curate who turns soldier. But the enthusiasm, it must be admitted, is not called forth chiefly by the numerous patriotic utterances.

When, for instance, the redoubtable Wilson strips off his cassock and dons a red jacket, exclaiming, (to slow music), "There's a job for every man so long as England needs soldiers," the applause needs careful stimulation by the young women ushers. Even when the guns are popping like anything on the entrenchments in the last act the gallant Captain does not produce at all the desired effect when he says, "Now, lads, let's show them how British bulldogs fight!"

But, on the other hand, every virtuous platitude is received with tumultuous joy. When the persecuted heroine (clutching to her breast a baby or a marriage certificate or something of the sort) exclaims passionately, "Yes! that's the way of the world! It's always the woman who has to pay!" the handclapping is loud and spontaneous. So it is when she spurs the villain, when the villain is shot, when the comic soldier refuses to shake hands with the villain—yet all the events and expressions of sentiment which such a crowd as this might naturally be expected to applaud. The audience falls into every trap set for it, every sensational

speech "went over big"—except those that were patriotic.

Of course, the natural conclusion to draw from this is that the audience was not patriotic. But this would be a false conclusion. These people—shopkeepers, clerks, laborers, housewives—are patriotic. The men are enlisting by the thousands, the women are giving out of their pitiful salaries to the Prince of Wales's Fund for National Relief, and spending all their leisure in work for the soldiers and for the Belgian refugees.

As they sat there that night most of the women were busily knitting socks to be sent to the troops. Why, then, did they conceal their patriotic emotions so diligently? Why did they not applaud "Now, lads, let's show them how British bulldogs fight!" as loudly as they did "It's the woman who always pays"?

I asked my companion, the editor of one of the London weeklies, about this. He said: "Well, we English are a curious people." (Englishmen always preface remarks on their race with this statement.) "We aren't accustomed to display our patriotism very much. We have a certain reticence and strangeness about it. You see, it's a long time since the Boer War."

"But there are several explanations of this lack of patriotic display. One is that most of these men have already enlisted—they are in the army now, do you see? So they don't see any use in cheering attempts to get them to enlist; they're a bit blasé, do you see? And those other chaps, they can't show too much patriotic spirit without some one saying to them: 'Look here, old chap, if you feel as bad as all that about it, why don't you enlist?' You see, when war was

first declared, there was a lot of enthusiasm, chaps marching about the streets all night with flags, singing 'Rule, Britannia!' and all that sort of thing. But old K. of K., he put a stop to it, and told them that if they wanted to march about the streets they could join the army and learn how to march properly."

"And then, there's another thing about it, too—we English feel differently about expressions of patriotism from the way you Americans and Frenchmen feel. I can't quite explain it, do you see? But if you've read that chapter in Kipling's 'Stalky and Company' in which the old fellow gives the union jack to the boys in school I think you'll see what I mean. It can be really explained; Kipling gives you a good illustration of it, and the way these chaps act is another."

"And now," he continued, "you'll see something that really is patriotic feeling, though you may not think it at first. This chap is going to sing 'It's a long way to Tipperary.'"

The stage was full of remarkably spruce soldiers and remarkably gay village maids. Came to front centre the juvenile lead, his cap cocked rakishly, his short stick cutting the air. He sang a simple ballad, done after an ancient recipe, of a lonely Irishman in London. And then, as the whole house listened with breathless interest, he swung into the chorus:

It's a long way to Tipperary, It's a long way to go, It's a long way to Tipperary To the sweetest girl I know. So good-by, Piccadilly, Farewell, Leicester Square, It's a long, long way to Tipperary. But my heart's right there.

He repeated the chorus and the audience sang it with him, sang it loudly, with a joyful abandon almost Gaelic. And when he had finished they applauded as they had not done before on that evening and made him sing it again.

One phenomenon which no American can hope to explain is that in London the upper classes are more demonstrative than the lower classes. Sir Henry Beerboom-Tree, with characteristic acuteness, is producing "Drake," and with characteristic generosity is giving his profits to the Prince of Wales's Fund. The house is packed every night with well-to-do Londoners, and they are much more enthusiastic in their appreciation of this stirring drama than are their patriotic sensibilities "Tommy Atkins" is supposed to appeal.

The life of a London theatrical manager must be nerve-racking. What do these people want? What will stir them to patriotic frenzy? Apparently they are just now interested chiefly in the negative side of patriotism, that is, they prefer denunciations of Germany to celebrations of England.

They are only mildly impressed, for instance, by the beautiful rendition of Elgar's "Land of Hope and Glory" at the Palladium. But at the same hall they cheer to the echo Frank Ronald's recital of Barry Pain's "God and the Kaiser"—a terrific denunciation of England's greatest enemy, which, since its first publication in The London Times a few weeks ago, has become the most popular of the hundreds of war poems now in circulation. Here is its conclusion, which never fails to win thunderous applause:

Impious braggart, you forget; God is not your conscript yet; You shall learn in dumb amaze

That His ways are not your ways, That the mire through which you tread Is not the high white road to God, To Whom, whichever way the combat rolls, We, fighting to the end, commend our souls.

Perhaps the reason why the Londoners prefer this sort of invective to the English counterpart of "She's a Grand Old Flag" is because the dominant passion in England at the present time is simply rage—bitter, relentless rage.

At first the mob satisfied itself with tearing down the signs and breaking the windows of German shopkeepers in London. But now the people want something more thorough than a street riot. Men who are too old or too weak to enlist are actually praying for a German invasion so that all Englishmen can get into the fight. Journalists hither and yon are urging general conscription; and The English Review, the most biased and advanced of periodicals, expresses editorially a hope that if German ships endeavor to land an army in England, they may be permitted by the British Navy to do so, so that the people of England may be their army into pieces!

Therefore it is that the Londoners are rather bored by the fustian patriotism dished out to them by the music halls and theatres, and really moved chiefly by sincere expressions of hatred for the national enemy. Even at Maskevine and Devant's "Mysterlee" the alleged comic conjurer is sure of a burst of applause when he makes a hostile reference to the Kaiser.

If the appeals to his patriotism were not so insistent, perhaps the Londoner would be more demonstrative. Every theatrical and every omnibus bears an enormous placard urging him to enlist, he passes a recruiting station on every block, and handbills entreating him to do his duty are thrust under his nose at every turn. Probably he will enlist; perhaps he has already done so; but the superabundance of appeals to his patriotism has rendered him somewhat cynical. Every time he would be more deeply moved, for instance, when at the Empire he hears Marie Tampest sing "Who's for the Flag?" if he had not already seen Ben Webster's "Patriotic Songs" at the Palladium and heard Elizabeth Hyde sing "There's a Land" at the Oxford. He is surfeited with histrionic patriotism; he must, in self-defense, be reserved.

RARE MEZZOTINTS SHOW XVIII. CENTURY ENGLISH LIFE

On Exhibition at the Public Library Are 300 Specimens of This Beautiful Art, Giving an Unusual Pictorial Review of the England of Old—Bequest of the Late John L. Cadwalader and Valued at Over \$50,000.



"Black Monday," or the Departure for School by John Jones, after W. R. Bigg



"A Party Angling," by George Keating after George Morland
"Mrs. Billington as St. Cecilia," by James Ward after Sir Joshua Reynolds



"Inside of a Country Alehouse," by William Ward, after George Morland

ONE of the largest, most valuable, and most interesting collections of mezzotints in America is now on exhibition at the New York Public Library.

Approximately 300 mezzotints are in the collection, which was left to the library by the late John L. Cadwalader, President of the Board of Trustees, and a connoisseur who for years had made mezzotint collecting one of his art hobbies.

Frank Weitenkamp, Chief of the Art and Prints Divisions of the library, who is familiar with the great mezzotint collection of the British Museum and other collections abroad, told a TIMES man that prints of practically all of the most famous mezzotints in the world are in the Cadwalader collection, with many others less known, but rare and beautiful.

And every print in the collection, with but one or two exceptions, is a good one, which means that the prints were among the first drawn from their respective plates. The later copies drawn from a mezzotint copper plate are likely to be somewhat faint in parts, and thus not as desirable as first prints.

Dr. Weitenkamp was asked by THE TIMES man to estimate the value of the collection. He replied that it would be almost impossible to give an accurate estimate, because of the fluctuations in the mezzotint market, the changes in taste and demand, but added that "an estimate of \$50,000 would be extremely conservative."

In addition to the beauty and interest of the mezzotints from the viewpoint of the visitor with art knowledge, much interest attaches to the collection for any one who is curious to get a graphic idea of the life of England during the latter half of the eighteenth century. The mezzotints, which are reproductions in this form of the works of portrait and genre painters, give an excellent idea of many of the costumes and customs, of numerous phases of daily existence in England between 1780 and about 1800.

Classified according to what they depict, the mezzotints divide themselves into three—prints of portraits, of scenes of everyday life, and of sporting scenes. Among the portraits whose originals came from such masters of the art of portraiture as Sir Joshua Reynolds and Sir Thomas Lawrence are ladies of the Court, of society, of the stage; there are statesmen and soldiers, actors and peers. Styles in hairdressing and in hats, in gowns and cloaks, in uniforms, in coats, in jewelry—all are shown in the pictorial review of the eighteenth century which passes before the visitor's eyes as he looks on the beauties and the gallants of the old days of Merry England.

Some of the mezzotints show the fashion, which prevailed widely in England and France during the period under discussion, of great ladies having their portraits painted in the guise of a goddess or a nymph, a character from a poem or a book.

Portraits and Everyday Scenes.

Among the portraits are those of the Countess of Ancrum, Charles, James Fox, Gen. Cornwallis, Countess of Jersey, Duke of Hamilton, Duchess of Bedford, Mrs. Siddons, Duchess of Hamilton, Duchess of Argyll, Countess of Salisbury, Duchess of Ancaster, Countess of Essex, David Garrick, Duchess of Rutland, Duchess of York, Lady Harriet Grosvenor, Duchess of Marlborough, Countess of Jarnac, Lady Charles Spencer, and many others. By far the larger number of the portraits are of women.

The representation of scenes of everyday life covers a wide range, including many views of childhood. Alehouses and smithies, farms and drawing rooms and butcher shops, scenes of milking and smoking and bargaining and fighting—all are shown. Children playing with dogs are portrayed, children going to school, happy children, frightened children. And each

mezzotint adds something to the general impression of English life in the eighteenth century which is afforded by the collection in its entirety.

There is a moralizing tendency in some of the pictures, examples being the two companion pieces, "The Effects of Idleness" and "The Fruits of Industry," mezzotinted by William Ward after paintings by George Morland. In the first the head of the family, with his wife and children, is seen in want in a bare garret, while in the second the scene is that of a comfortable house, the members of the family beautifully dressed, a negro servant attending upon them.

In the pictures of sporting life the place of honor is held by fox hunting, of which there are more portrayals than of any other sport. Most of the sporting prints are in color, colored mezzotints also predominating among those depicting everyday life. The portraits are in color—some being printed with black, others with brown ink.

Fox Hunting Pictures.

The pictures of fox hunting include representations of the gathering of the pack by the master of the foxhounds, the start of the hunt, taking fences, hounds running in cover, and the death. There are a number of miscellaneous mezzotints of dogs, showing such subjects as bulldogs and a badger, a setter and partridges, while other sporting prints show hawking, shooting, and angling.

By far the larger number of the portrait mezzotints are after Reynolds. Lawrence, Romney, Nattier, Peters, Read, Ramsay, and Pond are also represented.

The work of Morland predominates in the scenes of everyday life and in the sporting scenes. Other painters whose work is reproduced are Bigg, Wheatley, Sartorius, Corbould, Downman, Ibbotson, Miller, Northcote, Westall, Kauffman, Frye, and Bennett.

The mezzotinters who copied on copper plates the paintings from the brushes of these old painters include the great names in the art of mezzotinting, as well as others not so well known. One of the strong points of the Cadwalader collection is that it has specimens of the art of so many of the masters of mezzotint.

Among the mezzotinters represented are J. R. Smith, Valentine Green, James Ward, William Ward, Thomas Watson, J. Watson, John Jones, George Keating, S. W. Reynolds, J. Young, Robert Dunkarton, McDardell, William Dickinson, John Dixon, Groszer, Humphrey, Houston, Finlayson, Spilbury, Barlow, Burford, C. H. Hodges, Barnard, Dodd, Merks, William Pether, E. Davies, W. Say, C. Turner, and Edward Fisher.

One of the most famous specimens of the entire collection is Thomas Watson's "Mrs. Bamfylde," after Reynolds. A print like the one now on exhibition is stated to have brought the highest price ever paid for an example of the mezzotinting art. A print from this plate sold for \$185 at the Sir John Stuart Hippesley sale at Sotheby's, London, in 1863; a few years ago it sold for \$6,000, and is stated within the last year or two to have changed hands again at a price approximating \$10,000.

There is also an impression in the Cadwalader collection of J. R. Smith's "Mrs. Carnac," after Reynolds, another print of which sold for \$150 at Sotheby's in 1872; the most recent price at which a print from this plate was sold was \$8,000.

The market price of mezzotints is largely governed by their rarity. From some plates but few impressions were taken originally; in the course of time a number of even these few will be withdrawn from the market by being placed in public collections or will disappear; an advance in price will follow. Of recent years it is stated that more and more mezzotints are being withdrawn into public collections,

which is having the natural tendency to raise prices.

Almost all the valuable and famous mezzotints are reproductions of paintings, the number of famous original mezzotints being small. There have been a few fine original mezzotints in which the mezzotinter has placed his own composition upon the copper, but in the vast majority of instances the mezzotinter has drawn from an original by a painter. In the Cadwalader collection are five original mezzotints by J. R. Smith, four being portraits and one being a fanciful sporting scene.

More Interesting Exhibits.

The mezzotint in this regard thus stands upon an entirely different footing from the etching, collectors always having been willing to accept mezzotint reproductions of paintings, but wanting original etchings.

Among others of the portrait mezzotints of the collection in the library are James Ward's "Mrs. Billington as St. Cecilia," Dickinson's "Lady Charles Spencer," Dickinson's "Mrs. Pelham," Valentine Green's "Lady Betty Dalme," and John Jones's "Mrs. Tollemache as Miranda," all after Reynolds.

In addition may be mentioned J. R. Smith's "Mrs. Siddons as Zara," after Sir Thomas Lawrence, and Smith's "Mrs. O'Neill," after Peters; "Her Royal Highness the Duchess of York," painter and engraver unknown; John Jones's "General Cornwallis," after Gardner, and the same mezzotinter's "Mrs. Jordan as Hippolyta," after Hoppner; Houston's "Elizabeth, Duchess of Hamilton," after Nattier, and Dunkarton's "John Penn," after Beechey.

Among the scenes of everyday life are John Jones's "Black Monday," or the Departure for School," after Bigg; William Ward's "Inside of a Country Alehouse," after Morland; J. Young's "The Setting Sun," after Hoppner; W. S. Reynolds's "The Sower" and "The Thresher," after Westall; C. Turner's "Going Out Milking," after Wheatley, and the following, all after Morland, by Crozer, Keating, William Ward, Young, and Reynolds: "Happy Cottagers," "Children Playing at Soldiers," "The Farmer's Stable," "Children Napping," "The Turnpike Gate," "Villagers," and "Paying the Hostler."

Two interesting specimens among the sporting scenes are "A Party Angling," by Keating, after Morland, and "The Angler's Feast," by William Ward after Morland. The Cadwalader collection thus

shows British artists because it was in England that the art of mezzotint reached its highest development, mezzotint's "golden age" being in England in the latter half of the eighteenth century, and particularly in the last quarter of the century. The mezzotinter gained but little hold in France. The art was invented in the seventeenth century.

Mezzotinting is sometimes referred to as a "lost art," but this is declared by experts to be incorrect. The art is stated to have suffered from the great development of photography, but nevertheless mezzotinting is still be-

ing practiced, particularly in England, where there are enough mezzotinters to maintain a Society of Mezzotint Engravers.

Dr. Weitenkamp was asked by THE TIMES man to discuss the mezzotint from the art standpoint.

"The notable characteristic of the mezzotint," said Dr. Weitenkamp, "is that it is an art of light and shade, of soft gradations, while other methods of engraving—line engraving, etching, wood engraving—are arts of line. There are no lines in pure mezzotint. In their place we get soft outlines unbounded by lines, and massed effects of light and shade."

The following description of mezzotinting is from Dr. Weitenkamp's book, "How to Appreciate Prints": "The difference between mezzotinting and the other modes of engraving is not only one of effect, but of means. In both wood engraving and line engraving on copper the engraver works from light to dark, puts in lines to produce various degrees of shadow, various suggestions of local color or of texture, and leaves the plate untouched where he wants the high lights to appear."

The mezzotinter, on the other hand, works from dark to light. He scrapes out all the gradations from the highest light to the deepest shadow from a surface that would print black. To prepare a copper plate for mezzotinting it is first worked over with an instrument known as a "rocker" or "cradle," something like a chisel or small wedge with a rounded, toothed edge. This instrument is rocked completely over the plate in all directions, in the direction of the grain of the metal, by thin walls of metal, like the burr raised by the dry-point process in etching. If the plate, thus evenly

roughed, were inked and printed from, the paper would show a uniform tint of deep, velvety black, similar to the effect produced by heavy dry-point work in which none of the burr has been removed by the scraper. Hence the French name for the art of mezzotinting, la maniere noire (the black manner).

Upon the plate thus "rocked" the design is now traced, and the engraver then goes over it with the scraper, removing both hollows and burrs altogether for the very lightest lights, and less and less for the successive stages between the highest lights and the darkest blacks, for which latter the plate is left untouched. The German name for the art, schabkunst, "scraping art," is therefore characteristically descriptive.

The linking of a mezzotint plate is a difficult operation, for it takes judgment and experience to know how much ink to leave when "wiping out." Inks of various shades of dark brown have often been used, giving a warmer and more effective tone than pure black. When completed and inked the plate is printed from a copper-plate press.

In an impression from such a plate the highest lights, where the plate has been completely scraped and perhaps burned, show the marks of the rocking tool, and shows also that this tool was used with some individuality by various engravers to suit their style as well as the particular subject in hand. So that the style is in evidence both in the rocking and in the scraping, despite the apparent sameness of mezzotinting.

The want of line in pure mezzotint causes a softness, an indefiniteness, a lack of precision and decision that led to the occasional employment of some etched lines to supply energy. This was done at a fairly early date, but with such restraint as to be often noticeable only after very close inspection. In the nineteenth century there was developed the "mixed" style, in which etching, roulette, stipple, and burn were all added, sometimes in considerable proportion, to give strength. But the charm of the mezzotint was lost in the operation, and such a combina-

tion was generally sparingly used by the best men and in the best work. It is highly interesting in studying these mezzotints, to find an art which has been characterized as lacking in precision and consequently greatly limited, affording such scope for the display of individual style, of personal expression, and this despite the fact that mezzotinting has been so essentially a reproductive art.

I have heard the question put more than once by those who had studied mezzotints well: "Now, do these absolutely render the original paintings?" And the questioners themselves replied with gentle doubt: "More than that, it has been asserted that in some cases the mezzotint was better than the original painting. Perhaps the engraver did at times show a personality that was not the painter's. But one feels that the spirit of the painter is there."

It is significant, too, that in some cases the painters corrected the proofs. So in some instances, at least, we have proof of the painter's satisfaction with the engraver's work, a satisfaction voiced by Sir Joshua Reynolds when he asserted that the mezzotints of J. A. Ardel and others would immortalize him.

Stipple Engravings Also.

About thirty prints of the finest quality can be drawn from the copperplate bearing the mezzotint; after that the prints beginning to show a faintness in the very dark places, so it is stated by Cyril Davenport, another authority, in his book "Mezzotints."

Mr. Davenport says that the dark parts show wear first, because there the plate is most delicate. He declares that after the first thirty impressions have been taken, "it is probable that about 100 more can be made which will be good enough for all ordinary purposes."

Besides the mezzotints, Mr. Cadwalader left to the library a number of other interesting prints, including over seventy stipple engravings, and a number of etchings, aquatints, and line engravings. There are seven etchings by Rembrandt and three by Whistler, and three line engravings by Marc Antonio Raimondi after Raphael.

Among the stipple engravings are plates by Bartolomeo, J. R. Smith, F. D. Solron, Tomkins, Conde, Wilkin, Burke, Ryland, Scordomoff, Ryder, Gauguin, Stubbs, and others.

When the mezzotints are removed from the room in which they are now being exhibited, they will be filed in the prints division of the library for reference.

Mr. Cadwalader's interest in library affairs extended over many years. He was a member of the Board of Trustees of the Astor Library prior to its consolidation with the Lenox and Tilden Libraries, and was Trustee of the consolidated library from its formation—in all, a library connection of more than thirty-four years. One branch of the work in which he took a particularly keen interest was the creation and development of a print department, following the example set long ago by the British Museum.

CENTRAL PARK HAS BEST PUBLIC TENNIS COURTS

And Thousands of Players and Spectators, Took Advantage of Them This Year.

WHEN members of the Central Park Tennis Club began to talk some years ago about the need for new "dirt courts" at South Meadows, they didn't know that they had Central Park—were going to get the finest public tennis courts in the United States. Indeed, Officer Peter Burns of the park police, who is in charge of the new tennis courts, hazarded the opinion soon after the courts were opened that there were probably no finer private courts in the country.

"I don't believe there's anything anywhere to beat 'em!" said Officer Peter Burns.

The establishment of clay courts to take the place of the old grass plot tennis grounds at South Meadows was an idea of former Park Commissioner Storer some years ago. The Central Park Tennis Club and other associations wanted new courts and said so. Scores of "private individuals"—boys and girls who came to play tennis all summer in the park—meant the need of clay courts. So the old courts were closed at the end of the Summer of 1912, and for almost two years there was no tennis at South Meadows. A few days after the courts were opened last Summer nearly ten thousand people, as players and spectators, visited the tennis ground in the course of one afternoon.

There are twenty-nine courts at South Meadows, near Ninety-third Street and Central Park West. On the Sunday after the courts were opened about 700 people played on the new grounds. The number of players ran up into the hundreds on every fair day, and on Saturdays and Sundays there have been always, if the weather is good, between three and ten thousand people there both to play, and to watch the game.

The South Meadows courts are laid out with permanent guide posts, and are surfaced with clay. The tract is bounded with a concrete curb. Down in the Department of Recreation they call these the "model tennis courts," and point out that in addition to the more obvious advantages of clay courts, an immense benefit is derived from these for the particular use of a big city, because they are never put out of commission by rain.

When there are so many people wanting to play tennis it is important to have the courts always in good condition, remarked William J. Lee, head of the City Department of Recreation. "A grass court isn't fit to play on after rain. These courts up at South Meadows are in fit condition for good, hard games just as soon as the rain has stopped falling. There are no long, stupid waits for the courts to be in order. The courts are always in order, unless it is actually raining."

The new courts are absolutely free to any one and every one who wants to play on them. All that is necessary to get a permit from the Department of Recreation, which, under Park Commissioner Ward, has the public tennis grounds in charge. And not only are the South Meadows courts free for players, but they are supplied with nets by the city. The old rule that players must

bring their own nets to the city courts no longer holds good here. Players supply their own balls and rackets, and they are not allowed to go on the new courts without tennis shoes. But the nets are the property of the city. This, too, the men in charge point out, saves time.

"You don't want to waste time on a public tennis court," said Officer Peter Burns. "People are there to play—not to fuss about nets."

"And I've never lost a net," he added, proudly. "Any one who wants to play plays here, and I'm not always on the watch—not by any means. I couldn't be if I wanted to. But nothing happens to the nets beyond the ordinary wear and tear. The boys and girls who play, and the folks that come to look on—are just as proud of these courts as we are."

A natural advantage of the South Meadows courts for tournaments and club games is in the shaded sloping ground around the flat courts. On all sides the ground rises in a slope just steep enough to establish a natural amphitheatre. And the courts are almost entirely surrounded by shade trees. The

ground is laid out in blocks of three and four courts, with an irregular "wing" on the northwest end, where the "championship" court, number 29, occupies a proud position slightly apart. Twenty-nine looks like the best court, but as a matter of fact players in tournaments often prefer one of the courts on the eastern border, because the ground slopes higher there, and more people can find shady seats to look on. The annual tournament of the Central Park Tennis Club was played off this year on court eight.

The court permit is for two hours of playing, and Mr. Burns, who takes in the permits and keeps the courts "checked up" so that he knows who is playing on each, assigns the courts to the players as they register. Seven hundred and fifty persons in one day is about as many as the courts can hold, and 500, players, say, is about the average. The number of spectators, of course, runs into the thousands.

The South Meadows courts were built with no expense to the city except for the labor in digging, hauling, and "laying" the courts. All the clay and mold for the new courts came from the space where the additions to the Museum of Natural History is being built, and there was no expense whatever for material for South Meadows. The new courts were not finished as soon as had been expected, owing to delays in getting the surface material, but now that they are open they give every evidence of being as nearly "everlasting" as tennis courts can be.

"It is a good thing that the courts were opened last Summer," Mr. Lee pointed out, "because this has been a 'tennis year.' More than 7,000 tennis permits for Manhattan and Richmond were issued by the Department of Recreation early in the Summer—3,000 more than were requested during the entire Summer last year."

THE GENTLE CYNIC

The man who likes crowds should never aspire to the pinnacle of fame.

A debt defies all the laws of nature. The more debts are contracted the more they expand.

Some people will be surprised when they get to heaven to find that the free list is absolutely suspended during this engagement.

This is the land of the free, but don't try to get too free with some people.

If you are going to get in debt, it is perhaps better to run in than to be pushed in.

Lots of people are criticised because they don't love their neighbors as the neighbors love them.

GILLETTE AT LAST CAPITULATES TO AN INTERVIEWER

The Actor-Author Breaks His Long Self-Imposed Rule of Silence and Talks Delightfully About His Ideas of the Actor's Art—and the Playwright's, Too.

FOR the first time in his thirty-seven years as an actor William Gillette talked to a newspaper interviewer the other day about what he thought of the actor's art. And in the pleasantest way possible, with fervent disclaimers of any controversial intent, he threw down the gauntlet to certain of the "intellectuals" and declared that in the actor's profession the pursuit of the so-called "Highest Art" was as nothing beside the condemned, despised, but nevertheless supremely important, use of one's own personality.

"It is my firm opinion," said Mr. Gillette, with entire amiability, "that the critical folk who scorn the actor who 'is himself' simply do not know what they are talking about."

"From the beginning of time—in the theatre—the great actors have been themselves in their great parts. These are the parts in which they have been successful; in the parts in which they could not use their own personality they have failed."

"This is always true. It is true today and it was true years ago. And it holds true through all the changes that come in the standards of acting. Of course, the whole art of acting has been turned upside down in the last fifty years."

"An actor of fifty years ago—say of thirty-seven years ago," Mr. Gillette smiled, "would say, if he went to our best plays today, that there was no such thing as acting any more, and that there were no more actors. In his sense, that is altogether true."

And again in the most agreeable fashion imaginable, Mr. Gillette unbuttoned his foil for the intellectualists.

"It is interesting to see how extremes of, say, education meet in this matter of the development of acting," he remarked, suavely, "one hears such exceedingly intellectual people lamenting the passing of some of the old artificial forms of stage speech and manner, and in the worst and crudest forms of playing, for the entertainment of crude and uneducated audiences one finds those old artificialities still in existence."

"Between these two extremes the great, sensible, intelligent public goes on more or less consciously demanding that the 'behavior' of the theatre be the 'behavior' of ordinary life, and enjoying the acting that is simple and natural."

Nothing could be further from William Gillette's mind than the wish actually to take issue with those "critical folk" who, he thinks, do not "know what they are talking about." He has persistently refused to be interviewed because he does not like to express his opinions. He declares repeatedly that he does not want to disagree with any one; he does not want to censure any one else's opinion; he modestly reiterates the statement that this is "only what I think," and he cannot, for the life of him, he avers, understand why any one wants to know what he thinks, anyhow.

But, pressed for the denial or confirmation of these same beliefs, he repeats them; after all, this is what he does think. The intellectualists do not know what they are talking about. Personality is what counts in great acting and small. And the old idea of acting has vanished; rules and standards are gone; "correctness" is utterly dead on the stage of today; no one should ever try to do anything "right."

Mr. Gillette does not set these up as formal dicta of belief or behavior. He has been too busy all these years, he says, to try to work his scattered opinions into any sort of a dogmatic form, even if he wanted to, as he doesn't. But the being "busy all these years" has meant thirty-seven years of acting and the writing of fifteen plays. With the best and the humblest intentions in the world, Mr. Gillette cannot rob his "scattered opinions" of the flavor of authority.

Personality's the Thing.

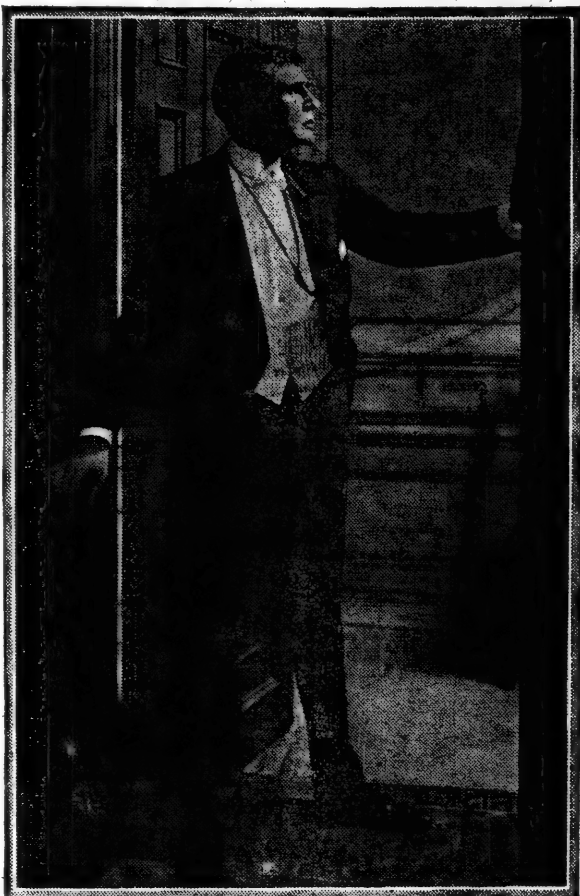
"I will tell you what I think about these things if you insist on it," he said, with a funny air of complete helplessness, "but I do not want to set up my opinions. I hate it. And if you could possibly put it that I do not want to disagree with any one or find fault with any one I should be tremendously grateful!"

"It seems to me," he went on, after a barely perceptible pause, "that these awfully learned people who place 'art' above personality in acting are not only altogether wrong, but altogether inconsistent."

"If they worked out their theory to its sane conclusion, you know, they would go to see no one but the lightning-change performer of the vaudeville stage. They would celebrate him as the highest kind of—in fact, the only possible—artist. They would make acting a kind of trick imitation—the imitation of as large as possible an assortment of tricks. They would regard the actor as a sort of 'character' acrobat."

"Now, what the great actor does is use his own personality. He is himself in his parts. He doesn't simply enter another personality and make it his. He fuses his own personality with that of the character he is playing. That is the only way he can make his character great."

"The great actor is not the man who can get out of his own personality into one or a dozen other 'roles.' The great actor is the man



William Gillette in "Diplomacy."

who can fuse himself into a part, fuse all that he himself is, be the man he is playing, because he can put into that man's character-portfolio what he himself is. It is a matter of fusing—and you've got to have something to fuse. The man who can simply jump from one kind of part to another isn't a great actor; he is a trickster who can do clever imitations. They are always imitations. To omit his own personality is to fail in the creation of vitality and truth.

No Getting Away from Self.

"Notwithstanding all that is said against it—and there is a great deal said against it by a large percentage of earnest and conscientious people who talk and write about the theatre—notwithstanding all this, it is a plain fact that personality is the most important thing in really great acting. To censure an actor because he 'is himself' is meaningless. A great actor is his character; but he is himself, too—or else he couldn't be his character in any real and great and forceful way."

"Some actors may have the sort of personality that can diffuse itself over a great many parts, but that is the most that can be done in the way of great arrays of different roles. Joe Jefferson, for instance, could diffuse his personality over a great many comedy parts; he couldn't put it into tragedy roles at all. He 'was himself' as Rip Van Winkle. That is why his Rip Van Winkle was so much greater than all the other Rip Van Winkles that have been excellently played by men who apparently had all that Jefferson had, but who lacked the perfect Rip Van Winkle personality. I don't mean to say that personality is everything. But his own personality is the one most important quality in giving his representation life."

"Take the elder Salvini, for example. The elder Salvini's Othello towered so high above all other modern Othellos that you just can't see them at all. He was the one great Othello that our modern stage has known. His Othello was a tremendous piece of work, too. It was great and magnificent acting. But when he tried to play Hamlet it was rather unfortunate. He hadn't the personality for it, and he could only play those parts well in which he could put his own personality. Salvini was a great actor, of course; he wasn't a lightning-change artist. When I hear this 'mere personality' talk I think of Salvini."

"And, contrariwise, I think of Booth. Booth was a marvelous Hamlet. He couldn't play Othello. There you are. No performer has ever been able really to make use of a personality not his own. All the great actors that we know anything about have been great because they have had strong personalities and have transferred them to the right roles."

"This matter of personality has always been important. Mr. Gillette points out. But, he adds, it is more important today than it ever was. What certain critical-minded men and women call 'mere' personality is the one greatest essential in the theatre today, because today, as never before, the demand in the theatre is a demand for life. 'Correctness' has gone, and tricks of manner with it."

"We have no more actors," said William Gillette. "In the older sense the art of 'acting' is gone. If a great actor of 50 years ago came back today he would say that there was no such thing as acting. And if a great actor of many, many years before that

had returned and seen the stage of fifty years ago he would have said that there was no acting then. He would have said it because it would have seemed to him so terrible and inartistic and utterly impossible that the actors did not wear masks!"

"It is exactly the same thing today. The progressive abolition of masks has gone on."

Mr. Gillette had been sitting almost motionless in a big chair, his legs stretched out in front of him, his shoulders hunched up, his hands clasped under his chin. Now he shifted his position suddenly, unclipped his hands with a rather boyish gesture, and laughed.

"Makes me think of a story," he said. "Makes me think of what was really what people call 'the turning point in my career.' It was when I was in high school. He laughed again. "You see," he went on, "I had a taciturn old father who thought a good deal and didn't always talk what he thought. I could make out pretty often what was in his mind, and I always wanted to know, because I had so much respect for his opinion and I wanted him to think well of me."

"Well, it was my next-to-the-last year in high school, and I went in for the elocution contests. I always did. I liked them. You know the kind? The boys recited—orations, and things like that; the girls read 'selections.' And there were prizes. This year I chose a part of Daniel Webster's reply to Hayne—the famous reply that is said to have really killed Hayne, you know. I had worked very hard on it, and I did it as well as I could, and I won the first prize, and when it was over I hurried out to find my father and see what he thought."

"What did you do that for?" he asked. I stammered and blushed, and asked him what he had said. I could see that he wasn't pleased, and I didn't understand it."

"What did you do that for?" he growled at me again.

"Why, didn't I do it right?" I inquired weakly.

"Right! Of course you did it right! That's what was the matter with it! Do you suppose if Webster had done it 'right' any one in the Senate would have listened to him for two minutes?"

Fatal Correctness.

"And then," Mr. Gillette went on, "he told me about Webster, and about how that speech was delivered. He told me how Hayne had started in to talk when Webster was not in the room, and how Webster's friends had sent for him and he had come running in in a hurry, all unprepared, and answered Hayne. He made me see Webster, all eager and uncertain, hunting for the right words, searching for the thing to say and the strongest way to say it, hesitating, going on—"

"And he said that I had recited that oration off so that every one would know I had just 'learned my lines,' that I had all the correct pauses and gestures and manners and intonations, and that I had made the whole thing meaningless. And I never forgot it. I never forgot that a word was a fine thing that must be searched for, and that the way to make a speech was not in the way that was 'correct' as elocution, but the way that the man actually made it in the first place."

"The next year," added Mr. Gillette, "I chose another speech of Webster's for my part in the elocution

contest—and some one else got the prize. They said I didn't know my lines!"

"But all the same," he went on, after a laughing little pause, "I think of that scene with my father to this day. I think of it when I'm playing, and when I'm studying a part, and when I try to say anything about the development of acting in the last forty years. That old New England gentleman had the idea that has come to be the controlling idea on the stage today—in spite of the intellectual critics who mourn the passing of 'the way to read blank verse.' The idea is that we are not reciting literature—not reciting anything that has ever been written or said before; we are talking, saying the first things that come into our heads, thinking them out as we say them, hesitating and wondering and sometimes blundering over it all. That is the way to recite Webster's speeches; it is the way to play Shakespeare; it is the way to do everything on the stage. It is not confined to speech; the same principle must govern stage actions—this illusion of the first time."

"Only I couldn't do it at first," the actor added. "They wouldn't let me. I began very humbly indeed, in stock, and if I had tried to be natural I'd have lost my position. My business then was to master the tricks of the stage. We had our tragic walk, our proper comedy face, our correct and dreadful laugh, our carefully learned gestures, our shrieks and outcries and stilted voices. We were to hope for success in so far as we mastered those rules and tricks and put force and personal vigor into our 'execution' of them. Forsooth, I am told, did that marvelously; he had the most magnificent force."

No Use for Limelight.

"No actor nowadays wants the centre of the stage. No sensible actor. I mean. He hates it. If he had his way he would always play his part away back toward the wings. He says he feels like playing it that way. And the only argument against that is that if you get too far on one side there is danger that some of the people in the audience can't see you."

"All this is revolutionary, of course. And the change came about, like all other changes that amount to anything, not because the critics demand-

ed it, but because the public wanted acting that was a nearer approach to life. Now and then, in those old stock days of mine, for example, a man would neglect to act in the 'right' way. Either he would make a mistake, or he would be so interested in his part that he would forget to do it 'correctly,' or he would like his character so much that he couldn't resist making him just a real person, or for some reason or other he would drop away from the tradition of the stage. And once he had begun to drop away he wasn't likely to go back. The audience wouldn't let him."

Natural vs. Grand Manner.

"Lots of times in those old days I've seen an audience break out into spontaneous applause at the failure of some one actor to do his part 'right.' For a moment he would lapse into sheer unconscious naturalness, and out would come his public in spontaneous praise. In ways like that the present style of acting—the natural method—began. Some people still lament the loss of the 'grand manner' and the passing of the 'palm days.' In some faraway little districts you can still find crude and untaught actors 'performing' for crude and untaught audiences according to the ideas of those 'palm days.' But the great mass of the people have dismissed the 'grand style' long ago."

"And now that it has been dismissed the need for sheer personality in acting, in vivifying the theatre, is greater than it has ever been before."

"Sometimes I have amused myself by trying to think out names and formulas for our present-day theatrical demands. There is what I call the 'first-time' principle that my father taught me when he talked about Webster and his reply to Hayne. I get as far as that. But I cannot think out any other 'rules.' It is impossible to tell any actor how to act nowadays, or what is to be done in the interpretation of a part. If he doesn't give his character life and individuality, if he doesn't meet the unnamed standards of the present time—and even the word standards seems too formal—the manager merely gets some one else quick!"

It is very difficult seriously to interview William Gillette because he is a very gay and charming conversationalist who persists in regarding an interview as all sorts of a lark. It is a new experience. Apparently he be-

lieves in making it a delightful experience for the reporter, if not for himself, and he believes personally, it is evident, in getting all the fun out of it he can. He says that he loves to talk and he hates to express opinions. To persuade him to express opinions is hard work. To listen to him talk is a most pleasurable way of spending an afternoon.

"At this point," he interjected, in the midst of his talk of Salvini and Booth, "I suppose you will say something like, 'Here Mr. Gillette tore out his hair.' That is the way you do it, isn't it? Or, perhaps, you would rather say, 'Whereupon the actor lay down on the floor and began to scream.' Which do you think is better? Must I really do either?"

"The conventional thing," remarked the interviewer, making a desperate effort to catch up with the Salvini notes, because Mr. Gillette talks very fast, "would be for you to get up and walk across the room to the fireplace."

"But there isn't any fireplace," he objected. "I suppose you wouldn't go so far as to say there was a fireplace when there wasn't?"

"No," said the interviewer, ramming the pencil down hard on the last of the Salvini notes. "What were you saying about Booth?"

"We might pretend there was a fireplace," went on Mr. Gillette, pleasantly.

"What," repeated the interviewer, sternly, "were you saying about Booth?"

"I don't see why you want to quote me, anyhow," said Mr. Gillette.

William Gillette went on the stage because, from the days that antedated the high school contests, he had never wanted to do anything else. Some members of his rather stern New England family objected at that time to his choice of a profession, but his father, who had taught him how to act, backed him up. Apropos of which he had, sitting up there in the Empire Theatre talking to a Times reporter, another story to tell.

New Play by Shakespeare.

"When I was a boy we were always allowed to see Shakespeare's plays, and never by any chance the plays of any other writer," he said. "I had a cousin, about my own age, who lived with us, and we were both awfully keen about the theatre, and wanted to see everything that came along. As a matter of fact, some of the things we did see were pretty dreadful. There are some Shakespeare plays that ought to be suppressed, you know. They have been, practically since then; that is, they don't put them on any more. But in those days everything that was Shakespeare was all right, and everything that was not was all wrong. So we went to the Shakespeare plays and to nothing else."

"My cousin and I wanted to see 'The Colleen Bawn,' which was coming to our town. And we thought it would be a splendid idea to make my father believe that that was one of

Shakespeare's plays. If we could just do that we were sure it would be all right about going to see it. We found an old picture of Shakespeare writing at a desk, and on that we built our plot. For my cousin had a printing press, and it was simple enough to print at the bottom of the picture the interesting legend, 'William Shakespeare writing "The Colleen Bawn."' So I went to my father and told him all about the new Shakespeare play that was coming to our town.

"The Colleen Bawn," repeated the old gentleman; "I don't remember that in Shakespeare's plays. And he got out his Shakespeare and showed me that it wasn't there."

"Well," I said, "of course, I don't know anything about it, but I found this picture. And I showed him 'William Shakespeare writing "The Colleen Bawn."' So I went to my father and told him all about the new Shakespeare play that was coming to our town."

"Hm," he said, with a perfectly grave face, "if that is the case I think you had better forget to go and see what it is like."

"It was years before I knew that my father had let us go to the play because he really admired our sublime nerve!"

Good Plays Always Good.

Mention of Mr. Gillette's appearance this year in Sardou's "Diplomacy" brought up—as, in an interview with an actor-playwright, perhaps, something was bound to—the question of the "dramatic outlook." How about plays, anyway, he was asked—plays of today and yesterday?

"The date doesn't matter," Mr. Gillette replied, briskly. "A good play is a good play. It doesn't matter when it was written or what period of life it portrays—historical drama, for instance, or Shakespeare tragedy, or the newest of the new 'uplift plays.' The point is that it must be a good play."

"As for Sardou—there is certainly, at the present time—no such master of the technique of situations. It is almost trite to say that. Such art only comes once in a generation or two, or three, or four. People just now have a contemptuous way of saying that Sardou was 'full of tricks.' But the mastery of one or two such 'tricks' as Sardou threw off by the half-dozen makes a man a real dramatist today!"

"Do you really think the drama at the present time is as decadent and debased as we are led to believe from many authorities on the subject?"

Mr. Gillette thought a few seconds before answering this question and then said:

"Well, please don't let's talk about that. The decadent business means livelihood to such a lot of charming and intelligent people that it is a pity to interfere with it in any way. These writers don't do any harm and there is no other variety of talk about the drama that will sell. Nobody on earth can get anything into a newspaper or magazine on the subject of the drama having an upward tendency. At the same time when you meet somebody who begins to talk about decadency to you there is a personal safe answer which will end all discussion on the subject and I give you a glad permission to use it. All you have to do is to state to these people that the highest authority in existence has set forth in plain language that the true purpose of the play is to hold the mirror up to nature—meaning, of course, human nature; and this being done at the present day a child in a kindergarten could see why the reflections of that mirror are of the cheapest, meanest, most vulgar and revolting descriptions. It is the easiest part of this that the reform of the drama must necessarily begin elsewhere than on the stage."

"HOW I INVENTED MAXIM GUN"—HIRAM MAXIM

Outbreak of World-War Moves Veteran American Inventor to Describe for The Times His Epoch-Making Idea.

383 Norwood Road, West Norwood, London, S. E., Oct. 16, 1914.

AS so important a part in the present war is being played by the Maxim automatic gun and smokeless powder, both American inventions, I think that some account of how they came to be invented may not be uninteresting to American readers.

In the Autumn of 1881 I was made a Chevalier de La Legion d'Honneur in Paris on account of a chemical discovery and an electrical regulator that I had invented and exhibited, and the following Winter, finding myself in Vienna, I met a very clever American who said: "Maxim, hang your electrical machines! If you wish to make your everlasting fortune and pile up gold by the ton, invent a killing machine—something that will enable these Europeans to cut each other's throats with greater facility—that is what they want."

Although these remarks were not seriously made, still to me they certainly appeared very sound and reasonable, and I could not help thinking on the subject. I had fired a military rifle in the States and had remarked the powerful kick that it gave, and it occurred to me that I might turn this to useful effect; there was certainly enough energy in it to load and fire the gun, and so on my return to Paris I commenced at once to make drawings of an automatic gun. Later on I came to London, established a little workshop, and made a gun that actually loaded and fired itself by energy derived from the recoil. It was a veritable nine days' wonder; every one of note, from H. R. H. the Prince of Wales down, came to see me and fire my gun. When I was asked to fire it before the Government officials at Enfield I fired 333 rounds in half a minute and a belt of 2,000 cartridges in slightly over three minutes. Then the British Government gave me a large order which enabled me to organize a company and fit up large workshops.

In making these preliminary trials I had noticed the vast cloud of smoke produced; in fact, Lord Wolseley had said to me that my gun would be of little use unless I could invent a smokeless powder.

In studying the subject it occurred to me that notwithstanding the fact that gun cotton and nitroglycerine went off with a snap, still I believed that if the two were combined and made into blocks or grains they would burn from the outside after the manner of black powder; it would be like trying two strings of



Sir Hiram Maxim Firing a Maxim Gun.

a piano together, which would destroy the natural vibration of both. But at that time there was a Fenian scare on, and it was not safe for an American to have anything to do with nitroglycerine or gun cotton. I therefore made arrangements to have smokeless powder made for me in Scotland by Mr. McRoberts, an expert in high explosives. I made for Mr. McRoberts a screw press for spinning a compound of nitroglycerine and gun cotton into threads, and later on I patented this apparatus (see English patent No. 2623 of 1887). It is a curious and interesting fact that later on the Government experts made a powder in the form of threads which had exactly the size and same appearance as those made by McRoberts, the only difference being that the Government powder contained 5 per cent. of vaseline.

At that time I was advised by military experts that no Government on earth would even look at a smokeless powder that contained a particle of nitroglycerine; but as it was necessary that I have a smokeless powder, I started a little laboratory of my own. I first commenced by dissolving pure gun cotton of the highest degree of nitration in acetone, evaporating out the acetone, and then cutting up the horn-like substance into small squares. By this means I made a smokeless powder that did a little better when freshly made than black powder, but after being exposed to the air for a short time it became violent and dangerous. When freshly made it contained about 8 per cent. of acetone.

I therefore added 3 per cent. of castor oil to the solution, and as the castor oil could not evaporate, the powder remained stable and constant. I then commenced to add small quantities of nitroglycerine, commencing with about 3 per cent. and gradually increasing until I had more nitroglycerine than gun cotton, and all of these powders worked well, but as there was a strong prejudice against using nitroglycerine I finally settled down to make a powder with 72 per cent. of gun cotton, 25 per cent. of nitroglycerine, and 3 per cent. of castor oil. All of this, of course, took time; I, however, took out a considerable number of patents on the powder and the apparatus for making it and recovering the solvents.

Learning that the Americans wished to have a smokeless powder I made a considerable quantity of very fine appearance that was quite as good as anything that has ever been made since.

In the meantime my brother Isaac, who had conveniently, and for obvious reasons, changed his name to Hudson, learning of my success, came to England. He was immensely interested in my work. He expressed his astonishment when he saw a single barrel gun load and fire itself continuously at the rate of eleven shots a second. But he was still more interested in my chemical laboratory. I employed him at a large salary and sent him to Springfield, Mass., where he entered my powder in the name of H. Maxim, and at the trials my powder beat all others at all points completely out of the field and my

American friends congratulated me very much. They said if it had been a matter of mechanics they would have known that I should come out ahead, but the smokeless powder was a question of pure chemistry, and that as I had beaten the field it was certainly a feather in my cap.

But later on certain events took place in which the "H. Maxim," which was supposed to be the Hiram Maxim, became Hudson Maxim, and that is the way that Hudson Maxim became "the inventor of smokeless powder" in the States.

In the great Cordite case in which Nobel sued the Government for infringement of his patent all the patents on smokeless powder ever issued were thoroughly gone into and thrashed out, with the result that Nobel lost his case on account of the work that I had done. A full account of this great lawsuit and the invention of smokeless powders, with the number and dates of patents, will be found in Engineering of Jan. 2, 1911, from which I quote the following:

Fourteen days after Sir Hiram Maxim had applied for his patent, a patent for practically the same object was applied for by Sir Frederick Abel and Prof. Dewar; the only difference resided in the percentage of nitro-glycerine. It has been found that 80 per cent. of nitro-glycerine is altogether too much. The percentage recommended by Sir Hiram Maxim after careful experiment is within 1 per cent. of what has been found best on the Continent of Europe. . . .

On Sept. 21, 1894, Sir Hiram took out a patent, No. 17994, for making smokeless powder into multi-perforated grains. . . . and as a matter of fact this patent bears the date of the earliest of any showing multi-perforated smokeless powder. . . . In the great Cordite case, Nobel vs. Government, Sir Richard Webster, now Lord Alverstone, repeatedly said, "Sir Hiram Maxim was the first to combine nitro-glycerine and true gun cotton in a smokeless powder," and this was the decision of the court that dated Nobel. In neither Cordite case was any reference made to any American who had ever done anything in the direction of developing smokeless powder except Sir Hiram Maxim.

Nobel was not satisfied with the decision of the high courts, so he appealed, and the House of Lords decided that Sir Hiram Maxim was the true inventor of modern smokeless powder.

As there is an abundance of documentary evidence to prove all of the foregoing up to the hilt, I do not think that after this there should be any doubt as to the fact that Sir Hiram Maxim was the inventor of smokeless powder.

Hiram P. Maxim

"WHAT IS BEST JOKE?" ANSWERED BY HUMORISTS

Seventeen Writers Renowned in World of Fun Give Their Favorite or Near-Favorite Anecdotes.

SEVENTEEN writers renowned in the world of wit and humor have answered this question addressed to them by THE NEW YORK TIMES:

"What is the best joke or anecdote that you ever heard?" Those who valiantly came to the fore with replies to the momentous question include both American and British humorists—it was decided to limit the contest to writers of those two nationalities. Fortunately the great war had not broken out when THE TIMES'S question reached England, otherwise it is to be feared that it would have found the funny men over there in a mood precluding not only the making of new but also the remembering of old jokes.

Here is the eminent band who put themselves on record:

Franklin P. Adams.
George Ade.
John Kendrick Bange.
Ellis Parker Butler.
Irvin S. Cobb.
Tom Daly.
Simeon Ford.
Strickland Gillilan.
Montague Glass.
Capt. Harry Graham, (Col. D. Streamer).
Canon James O. Hannay, (G. A. Birmingham).

Wallace Irwin.
Jerome K. Jerome.
S. E. Kiser.
C. B. Lewis, ("M. Quad").
Judge Henry A. Shute.
Carolyn Wells.

Of these no less than eight came out flat-footed with what they considered the funniest thing that they had ever heard. Another qualified his choice by remarking that it was "perhaps the funniest."

The rest from whom answers to the question were received declared that they would not attempt the gigantic task of picking out an absolute winner, but sent in one or more anecdotes which they thought among the best that had ever reached their ears.

The eight who knew just what story pleased them most and had no fear of saying so were: George Ade, Ellis Parker Butler, Carolyn Wells, Irvin S. Cobb, Capt. Harry Graham, Canon Hannay, Judge Shute, and S. E. Kiser.

George Ade's Choice.

Here is how the author of "Fables in Slang" expressed himself in answer to THE TIMES'S inquiry:

Hazelden Farm, Brook, Ind.
I suppose the best joke or anecdote a man ever hears is the latest new one. For some reason the joke that I brief wheeze that I caught from the pages of a funny paper several years ago.

Two solemn-looking gentlemen are riding together in a railway carriage. One gentleman says to the other, "Is your wife entertaining this Summer?" Whereupon the second gentleman replies, "Not very."

I know it is a chestnut now, but it will always seem fresh and glistening to me.

George Ade

Cobb Picks Texan Yarn.

Irvin S. Cobb, now adding to his laurels as a jokester and short-story writer those of war correspondent, evidently gave mature deliberation to THE TIMES'S question, as becomes a funny man who takes joking seriously. He wrote as follows, while on a vacation after his literary labors in New York and before his campaigning in Europe:

North Hatley, P. Q., Canada.
You ask me a mighty hard question when you want to know the best joke or anecdote I ever heard. Because I always think the last one I hear is the best, providing either that it be new, or old enough to be new.

But, searching back in my mind, I'm inclined to think my favorite is the little story of the large, slow-footed dairy who was leaning against the corner of the railroad station in a Texas town when the noon whistle in the cannery factory blew and the hands hurried out, bearing their grub buckets. The dairy listened, with his head on one side, until the rocketing echo had quite died away. Then he heaved a deep sigh and remarked to himself:

"Dar she go. Dinner time for some folks—out 'till 12 o'clock for me!" I like that story because it is short, because there is pathos under the laugh—because there always should be to make the laugh go better—and because there is a certain philosophy bound up in it which is not only Afro-American but American. Sincerely yours,

Irvin S. Cobb

Carolyn Wells's Selection.

Carolyn Wells has no doubts about her choice for first place. "I like the enclosed by G. K. Chesterton best," she wrote. It was this:

In a little square garden of yellow roses, beside the sea, there was a Nonconformist minister who had never been to Wimbledon. His family did not understand his sorrow nor the strange look in his eyes. But one day they repented their neglect, for they heard that a body had been found on the shore, battered, but wearing patent leather boots. As it happened, it turned out not to be the minister at all. But in the dead man's pocket there was a return ticket to Maidenhead.

Carolyn Wells

From an English Humorist.

In the midst of the bitter disappointment which readers will derive from

Capt. Harry Graham's confession, there is one consolation—it is to be presumed that the wonderful story which impressed him more deeply than any other was an American story. Here is what the sprightly author of "Ruthless Rhymes for Heartless Homes" and "Misrepresentative Men" has to say on the subject:

11 Gloucester Place,
Portman Square, W.,
London, England.
The best story that I ever heard was one that I was told once in the Fall of 1906, (or it may have been 1906), when I was visiting Boston—at least I think it was Boston; it may have been Washington, (my memory is so bad).

I happened to run across a most amusing man whose name I forget—Williams or Wilson or Wilkins; some name like that—and he told me this story while we were waiting for a trolley car.

I can still remember how heartily I laughed at the time; and again, that

evening, after I had gone to bed, how I laughed myself to sleep recalling the humor of this incredibly humorous story. It was really quite extraordinarily funny. In fact, I can truthfully affirm that it is quite the most amusing story I have ever had the privilege of hearing. Unfortunately I've forgotten it. Yours very truly,

Harry Graham

One of Lamb's Sallies.

This was not the case with another British humorist, Canon James O. Hannay, who, under the name of G. A. Birmingham, has been achieving fame for some years by his whimsical stories dealing with the life of his native Ireland, and who recently was a visitor to these shores. He not only knows what piece of humor pleases him best, but also, fortunately, remembers it. Witness this letter from him:

Sackville Cottage,
Beaulieu, Hants.

I observe that THE NEW YORK TIMES very properly professes to have only "All the news that's fit to print." With this limitation I give you as the best joke I know Charles Lamb's reply to a doctor who advised him to go for a walk every morning on an empty stomach.

"Whose?" asked Lamb.
I am yours very truly,

James O. Hannay

True to New England.

Judge Henry A. Shute, whose "Real Diary of a Real Boy" tickles all who hard back to school and swimming-hole days, showed himself faithful to the scenes of his boyhood in making his selection. He wrote to THE TIMES as follows:

Exeter, N. H.
Naturally a local joke appeals to me more than another kind, and the following appears to me the most ridiculous one in my experience:

A locally famous sign painter, now deceased, was asked to paint a sign:

"The Union Five Cents Savings Bank."

As this was a new bank in town he was instructed to turn out something rather unusual, and he promised faithfully to do his best. When the sign was finished it was brought for the inspection of the Trustees, who were somewhat disquieted when they saw that the sign read as follows:

"The Union Five-Cent Savings Bank."

Considerable discussion ensued when they requested him to add an "s" which he had omitted, and he insisted that no "s" was necessary, but as they insisted he took it back to the shop, very much disgusted with the evident lack of the first principles of education.

When he brought it back it read as follows:

"The Union Five-Cent Savings Bank."

"Thar," he said, "b' Godfrey, be you satisfied now?"

Very sincerely yours,

Henry A. Shute

S. E. Kiser's Favorite.

Turning from the above choice of a New England anecdote by a New England humorist, we look to Chicago, whence comes this from S. E. Kiser, born in Pennsylvania, but identified for many years with the West:

Here is my favorite joke:

"The man who wins me for his prize," said the beautiful maiden,

must have done something that no other man has done."

"That's all right," replied the middle-aged widower, "I can qualify."

"What great thing have you ever achieved? In what way have you made yourself unique?"

"I'm the only man who ever carried a 150-pound sack of flour from Schenectady to Brattleboro to pay off an election bet."

Ellis Parker Butler, author of "Pigs Is Pigs" has special personal reasons for liking the story which he chose, but he distinctly says that it is the story he likes best, so he must be placed among those with a definite opinion on the subject. He wrote from his home out in Flushing, on Long Island:

This is the anecdote that is most firmly implanted in my mind, and why:

An Englishman returning from Africa brought with him a tortoise, and had no trouble until he was obliged to transfer from one train to another at a small station in England. When he was about to enter his compartment of the outgoing train the assistant stationmaster stopped him and demanded a ticket for the tortoise, claiming that it was live stock and came under the same rules as dogs, cats, and other animals.

The Englishman objected, the train was held up, and the head stationmaster sent for. He was an Irishman. He looked in his book of rules, came to the station platform and looked at the tortoise, scratched his head, and delivered his ultimatum:

"I never see such an animal as that, but 'is plain 'tis no dog. According to the custom in this railway dogs is dogs, an' cats is dogs, an' squirrels in cages is dogs, but that there animal is an insect an' goes free."

The reason this is firmly implanted in my mind is that I was carrying a clipping upon which it was printed at the time when a certain magazine editor suggested a story about guinea pigs left at an express office. Hence Mike Flannery, my Irish express agent, and his somewhat famous "Pigs Is Pigs!"

Not Always in Good Humor.

In solemn bell-like tones, Franklin P. Adams, of "Always in Good Humor" and "Conning Tower" celebrity, tells this rebuke:

The practice of Sunday newspapers asking for the best short story, the best poem, or the best joke in the world is the third best joke in the world.

The second best is the seriousness

with which the public takes such symposia.

The best is the seriousness with which the people asked for judgment take it.

Yours sincerely,

Franklin P. Adams

From "Finnigins" Creator.

And Strickland Gillilan, who leaped into fame in a night with his "Off again, on again, gone again, Finnigins" is not quite sure which he thinks the funniest story in the world, but nevertheless he almost commits himself. He says in his letter:

You asked me something. There are hundreds and hundreds of the funniest stories I ever heard, but perhaps this one—loved partly for its delicious self and partly because of my love for the man who bequeathed it to me—is as good as any. Robert J. Burdette, the blessed Pastor Emeritus of the American Press Humorists, endowed me with this one:

Burdette's Bull and Bear Story.

Once upon a time two men were crossing a large field. When they were right in the middle of the field a big brindie bull came along to show them the nearest way to the fence.

One of the men found a tree and climbed it as rapidly as possible. The other couldn't get to the tree in time, but, seeing a large, sociable-looking hole in the ground, he jumped into the hole.

The bull pretty nearly got him as he went down, but just missed him and jumped over the hole. The man came up again like a jack-in-the-box, the bull gave a snort and a jump at him. Down went the man and over went the bull, up came the man and back came the bull, till the man up in the tree got excited and called down:

"You blamed fool, you, why don't you stay in that hole? You'll get that bull so mad he'll keep us here all Summer!"

"Blamed fool yourself," yelled the man below. "There's a bear in that hole!"

For a rough-and-ready, easily digested yarn, that one is as good as any, if not the best of all.

Shuckard's Selection

One on Barrie.

Jerome K. Jerome, who has been a member of the élite of English-speaking funny men since "Three Men in a Boat" burst on the world, also dodged when asked to pin himself down to a final choice as to the best short story. But he found in a joke on a fellow-wit and Englishman a substitute and concocted this answer to THE TIMES'S question:

Monks Corner,
Marlow Common,
Bucks.

I do not pretend to be a judge of humor. I sell it, together with other dry goods of a like character, but I always refuse to give a guarantee; the customer takes it as his own risk.

How tastes differ is shown by a story which J. M. Barrie once told me. The merits of a youthful foreign dramatist were being discussed. One man described him as a Dutch Shakespeare. Another was of opinion that he was a cross between Aristophanes and Sardou.

"I will tell you what he is," came an authoritative voice from the other

end of the table. "He is J. M. Barrie WITH humor."

Sorry that I cannot help you.

Submitted in Rebuttal.

(Harvard '06 Addressing Alumni Gathering.)

"All this talk about Harvard being snobbish is tommyrot, and I speak from personal experience, for I was coxswain of the crew and knew every man in the boat except two, and they sat way up in the bow."

The elements of humor in this paragraph were twofold. First, it was a fairly good joke upon Harvard, and, second, it appeared in a Boston newspaper. On the whole, I think the latter fact is the funniest thing about it.

Too Many for a Choice.

Wallace Irwin felt confronted with an embarrassment of riches when asked to name his pet joke and could not be cornered into giving a decision. But he wasn't scared away entirely from the task, for he contributed this:

Port Washington, L. I.
To ask an American citizen to name his favorite joke is like commanding an inhabitant of Smyrna to describe the best fig he ever tasted.

Which is a Down East dialogue, which I have often thought might furnish the motif for a tragedy under the pen of Mary E. Wilkins Freeman. It runs like this:

"Where be y' goin', Sir?"

"Goin' down to Portland to git drunk. And, Gosh, how I dew dread it!"

There is a Scottish-American tale on which my father reared me and which, I admit, sometimes exacts from me the passing tribute of a smile. It also, I regret to say, deals lightly with the curse of intemperance.

A Scotch sheep herder elouched into a Western town which had recently gone for prohibition. He entered a drug store and, as was customary, made a signal on the soda counter. Now, the proprietor was out, so the assistant, a young lad, understanding the Indian sign, took a bottle from a shelf and helped the customer to half a gobletful of brown liquid. The Scotchman smacked his lips, paid his score, and went his stolid way.

Shortly afterward the proprietor came back and said to his assistant:

"Any business?"

"Scotchman came and tapped the you-know-on-the-counter," replied the boy, "so I gave him some." He pointed to the bottle of brown liquid standing alone on the shelf.

"Great heavens, child," shrieked the proprietor, "that ain't whisky. That's sulphuric acid!"

Tableau.

For two weeks the druggist lived the life of a hunted man. He did change his helper, made his will, contemplated suicide and spent real money advertising for the widow of the unfortunate customer whom his carelessness had sent to an agonizing death. Just as he was about to surrender to despair he was suddenly relieved by beholding the same Scotch sheep herder, healthy and matter-of-fact, shuffle into his drug store, step to the counter, beckon mysteriously, and whisper:

"Loah, laddie. Ye maun gie me a wee sippie. And mind ye pour it out o' the same bottle. It's a wee bit strong, but it puts heart in a mon!"

Job Hedges Refuses.

And that ends the list of humorists who answered THE TIMES'S giving either their choice of the best joke they had ever heard or something which they thought pretty near it. But in conclusion it is necessary to put in what that famous after-dinner humorist, Job E. Hedges, said. Soon after he got the inquiry from THE TIMES he called up on the telephone, apparently in a state of great agitation, and declined emphatically that he was a humorist.

"Always around election time," he averred, "the newspapers make me out one, but I'm not. I simply plead guilty to a sense of humor. And as for choosing what is the funniest thing I ever heard—why, I never did such a thing in my life."

From Montague Glass.

"I can't remember the best anecdote I ever heard, but this is one of the best," writes Montague Glass, creator of "Potsah and Perlmutter," and appends the following:

A railroad magnate was visited in his office by a boyhood friend whom he had not seen for many years. The boyhood friend told a pathetic story

of misfortune comprising bankruptcy, the loss of wife and children, and his own recent illness. He concluded with a plea for assistance, and the railroad magnate, overcome by emotion, touched a bell on his desk. A burly colored man responded.

"John," said the magnate, his voice choked with sobs, "throw this poor fellow downstairs. He's breaking my heart."

Meanwhile, lest this communication strike you as wholly fruitless, I append two items that have recently struck me as amusing, even though they may not qualify as the funniest stories I ever heard.

The first tells of a German farmer who was in search of a good driving horse.

"I have got just the thing you want," said a dealer in equine perversity. "This little animal is only five years old, as sound as a nut, and he goes ten miles without stopping."

"Mein Gott!" cried the German. "He'd neffer do for me. I lift eight miles from here, and rail out horse I have to walk back two miles!"

And this one rather appealed to my sense of humor the other day. I copy it from a newspaper clipping.

"How dare you in such hot weather?" thundered Tom Daly, father of the McAroni ballads, at THE TIMES'S query—for it reached him in a torrid Summer spell. But, forbidding as was the opening sentence of his letter, it did not mean, after all, that the Irish poet who, as becomes a man from the land of Irish "bolls," knows Italians even better than he does Irishmen, was not going to give a satisfactory answer to the question. The letter went on: "I do hope the enclosed will be of some little use to you, for, to save my soul, I can't think of anything better to say." The "enclosed" read as follows:

The best joke, to my mind, is the one you are trying to put over this instant on the humorists. It reminds me of the remark of the skeptical farmer after he had observed a dromedary for the first time: "Heck! There ain't no such animal!"

That, by the way, is a good joke. I say that and I didn't write it; but I wouldn't attempt to tell you the best joke I ever heard. I couldn't. All jokes have their day and carry their own atmosphere with them. Many have an atmosphere that is turgid and they, unfortunately, are often otherwise good.

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"Does this apply to false teeth?"

M. Quad "Had to Grin."

The veteran humorist C. B. Lewis, who under the pen-name of "M. Quad" has amused thousands of newspaper readers for many years with the Bowser family and other harassed individuals, wrote in answer to THE TIMES'S query:

In the fifty years I have been in the literary harness I have read one million jokes. I have read half a million anecdotes. I have listened to half a million druggists' yarns, and I have had a hundred thousand conundrums put up to me. In no instance have I tried to repeat one of these things an hour after hearing or reading it, but that I found that I had somehow lost the kernel of it.

Therefore, in giving you "the best joke or anecdote I ever heard," a reverence for truth constrains me to reply that I am unable to remember any one of those that made me grin. I am grinning now, but it will go the same way that all my other grins have.

M. Quad

Wallace Irwin

From Montague Glass.

"I can't remember the best anecdote I ever heard, but this is one of the best," writes Montague Glass, creator of "Potsah and Perlmutter," and appends the following:

A railroad magnate was visited in his office by a boyhood friend whom he had not seen for many years. The boyhood friend told a pathetic story

of misfortune comprising bankruptcy, the loss of wife and children, and his own recent illness. He concluded with a plea for assistance, and the railroad magnate, overcome by emotion, touched a bell on his desk. A burly colored man responded.

"John," said the magnate, his voice choked with sobs, "throw this poor fellow downstairs. He's breaking my heart."

Meanwhile, lest this communication strike you as wholly fruitless, I append two items that have recently struck me as amusing, even though they may not qualify as the funniest stories I ever heard.

The first tells of a German farmer who was in search of a good driving horse.

"I have got just the thing you want," said a dealer in equine perversity. "This little animal is only five years old, as sound as a nut, and he goes ten miles without stopping."

"Mein Gott!" cried the German. "He'd neffer do for me. I lift eight miles from here, and rail out horse I have to walk back two miles!"

And this one rather appealed to my sense of humor the other day. I copy it from a newspaper clipping.

"How dare you in such hot weather?" thundered Tom Daly, father of the McAroni ballads, at THE TIMES'S query—for it reached him in a torrid Summer spell. But, forbidding as was the opening sentence of his letter, it did not mean, after all, that the Irish poet who, as becomes a man from the land of Irish "bolls," knows Italians even better than he does Irishmen, was not going to give a satisfactory answer to the question. The letter went on: "I do hope the enclosed will be of some little use to you, for, to save my soul, I can't think of anything better to say." The "enclosed" read as follows:

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ARGENTINE EXPERT ANALYZES NATIONALITY LAWS

By Leopold Grahame

TO the average educated layman the subject of "international law" is a closed book. Its very name strikes terror into the mind of the college student who, by force of habit, associates it exclusively with the complexities of such problems as extra-territoriality, the usages of war, neutrality, and a number of doctrines, rules, and principles which govern the relations and intercourse of States with one another.

Even the most prominent lawyers who confine their professional activities to advocacy in the courts, or to chamber practice in matters affected by the ordinary or municipal law, are prone to regard the knowledge of international law as something in the nature of an "extra-professional" accomplishment. Yet there is at least one branch of it that commonly described as private international law, which, as a subject of study, is of such vast importance to a people so widely different in origin as those of the United States, that it should form a compulsory advanced course in every college and university in the Union, for the lay student as well as for the lawyer.

Private international law relates to such intimate personal matters—where different territories are involved—as nationality, citizenship, jurisdiction, succession, wills, marriages, divorce, contracts, military service, legitimacy, and a hundred other similar questions that must frequently arise in a community of persons chiefly of foreign birth or ancestry.

I have been led to these reflections by the perusal of a work, just published in the French language (two volumes, 1,350 pages) on the subject of "Nationality," both from the point of view of theory and of positive law, by that eminent international jurist, Dr. Estanislao S. Zeballos, who is well known in the United States as a former Argentine Minister at Washington and more recently as Minister of Foreign Affairs of his own country and a Permanent Member of the International Court at The Hague.

In this work, which comprises a series of collected and edited lectures delivered by the author as Professor of International Law at the University of Buenos Aires, Dr. Zeballos traces the development of the conception of nationality and proceeds to disclose and discuss its position in international law and in the laws of various States, ancient and modern. Beginning with the formation of States, he traverses the entire field of private international law with copious references to comparative legislation on the subject, indicating as his main point that citizenship is the chief source of nationality and that, in consequence, controversies spring up between nations growing out of conflicting claims of allegiance, particularly between claims based on nativity and claims based on naturalization.

Prof. Moore's Opinion.

As the differences of view upon this point have special applicability to the United States, I consulted Prof. Bassett Moore, who kindly placed the work at my disposal, and that distinguished authority has accorded me permission to reproduce the instructive and interesting communication he made to me in regard to this phase of Dr. Zeballos's book. Prof. Moore says:

It is unfortunate that nations have been unable to reach a general agreement for the solution of these difficulties. Such difficulties have been especially serious in the case of the United States because of the immense immigration to its shores during the last seventy years. After the formation of the Constitution of the United States almost eighty years elapsed before the United States was able to conclude any international arrangement on the subject. The

first naturalization treaties were made with the German States in 1808.

These are commonly known as the Bancroft Treaties, because they were negotiated, and signed on the part of the United States by George Bancroft, who was greatly aided in his work by the friendliness of Prince Bismarck. Subsequently similar treaties were concluded with other powers, and then the process almost suddenly came to an end, the reason being the tendency of young men on the eve of liability to military service coming to the United States, and, after obtaining naturalization, returning to their native land, so as to enjoy exemption from obligations to which those who remained at home were subject.

The naturalization treaties of the United States generally provide that the change of allegiance shall be recognized only after an uninterrupted residence of five years in the country of adoption. This is the period prescribed for ordinary naturalization in the United States, but there are special statutes under which naturalization may be obtained in a shorter time.

Such naturalization is not effective for purposes of expatriation in the sense of the treaties which required a five-year residence, and would be recognized as ridding the individual of his original allegiance only after such period of residence. An exception to this rule is found in the naturalization treaty with Great Britain. The British Government prior to 1870 adhered to the doctrine of indelible allegiance, but when Parliament decided to depart from that principle it abandoned it altogether. Consequently it is provided in the treaty of naturalization with Great Britain that adoptive citizenship shall be recognized whenever acquired.

Conflicts of Allegiance.

The United States has no naturalization treaty with France, with Italy, with Russia, with Spain, or with numerous other countries. The great obstacle to the conclusion of such treaties is evidently the system of general liability on the part of the male population to military service. Italy, for instance, recognizes expatriation after an absence of a certain number of years, but this is subject to the qualification that the individual on his return to Italy remains liable to military service if he failed to perform it prior to his naturalization.

The rule is substantially the same in France. Formerly where a Frenchman who had not performed his military service was naturalized abroad he was, if he returned to France, subjected to prosecution, and after a trial, which was usually held within six weeks, was declared to have lost his French character, and then became subject to expulsion as an alien. But as this process afforded a way of escaping military service, the French Government, early in the nineteenth century, and more recently, feeling more and more the necessity of strengthening its military organization, changed its regulations and took substantially the same position as that which is maintained by Italy.

Another case in which conflicts of allegiance exist is that which grows out of competing claims of blood and nativity. For instance, the United States claims as citizens substantially all persons who are born within its territory. At the same time it claims as its citizens all persons born abroad of American parents. As the laws of certain other countries make similar double claims, conflicts necessarily arise. In the laws of some countries the provision is made against a clash by definitely giving a superior place to the one source of nationality as against the other. In the laws of the United States no such clause is found. One solution of the difficulty is to treat the individual in such a predicament as having a dual nationality during his minority. On this principle he would be subject to the claims of whichever one of the two countries he happened to reside in, and on attaining his majority would be obliged definitely to elect which of his two allegiances he would exclusively retain.

Dr. Zeballos deals exhaustively with most of the points urged by Prof. Moore and, by way of illustrating his general argument in favor of an in-

Dr. Zeballos Finds a Great Difference Between the Conception of Them Held Here in the United States and That Which Obtains Among His Own Countrymen.

ternational codification of many of the questions arising out of the complicated subject of nationality, he cites two cases to show the diversity and extent of the conflicts of jurisdiction to which the existing system of private international law lends itself.

In the first he presents a commercial case. A merchant in Buenos Aires received from his local bank a draft on a bank at Antwerp. The payee, having proceeded to Paris, where he needed the money, indorsed the document in favor of another banker in that city. The Paris banker, who had accented to liquidate in London, re-indorsed the draft in favor of his London creditor, which constituted a third contract of cession. The London banker later presented the draft for payment to the banker at Antwerp, who, in the meantime, had become bankrupt.

Thus there became involved a series of contracts which brought the transaction, first, under Argentine jurisdiction as the country in which the contract was originally made; secondly, within French jurisdiction at the time of the first indorsement; subsequently within British jurisdiction, when cession was made to the English banker, and, finally, within Belgian jurisdiction, which had to deal with the bankruptcy of the banker on whom the document was drawn.

The second case, still more important, was of a civil order and applied to a mixed marriage and its effects in private international law. In 1874 a cause célèbre was heard in France which aroused a considerable amount of public feeling and a violent controversy among eminent jurists in the leading European newspapers and reviews. The case, which is now historic, marks the most discouraging check which private international law has so far received as a protective force in maintaining the organization of the family as well as the patrimony and honor of its members.

The "Affaire de Bauffremont."

The case is known in the legal records of Latin countries as the "affaire de Bauffremont." The Princess Caraman-Chimay, Belgian by birth, had contracted a marriage with the Prince de Bauffremont, a French citizen, and had consequently, in that way, acquired French nationality. In 1874 the Princess de Bauffremont obtained a separation from her husband by decree of the Tribunaux of the Seine, under certain conditions demanded by the Prince, one of which fixed the domicile of the Princess during the separation. In 1875 the Princess, without permission, transferred her residence to Germany, where she constituted her domicile in conformity with local laws and acquired German nationality by naturalization in the Duchy of Saxe-Altenbourg, and by virtue of the laws which conferred upon her the new nationality, she married a Rumanian subject, the Prince de Bibesco.

The Prince de Bauffremont immediately proceeded in the courts to obtain a nullity of this marriage on the ground that under the decree of separation from the Princess he had conserved all his marital rights over his wife, except the obligation of liv-



Dr. Don Estanislao S. Zeballos

ing in community. He further alleged that the German naturalization was of no effect and that his wife retained her French nationality, which she could not change without his consent, the separation from her husband being simply a *separé de corps*. The legal proceedings were protracted and painful, and subjected European institutions to a severe trial. Two distinct systems of jurisprudence were brought into conflict. The French and Belgian tribunals declared the German marriage to be bigamous, while the German courts declared it to be legitimate. In Belgium, the Court of First Instance and the Court of Appeal were also in conflict. The most unfortunate part, however, of the case was the effects upon the children, who became the innocent victims of opposing judicial decisions. The French and

Belgian courts declared the children of the second marriage to be legitimate, while the German tribunals logically declared otherwise.

It is in such cases as these that Dr. Zeballos claims the superiority of the Argentine school of private international law over those of other nations, by reason of the fact that in the Argentine Republic that department of legal science human rights are considered paramount to legal points. He proceeds to say:

Our school is today known and honored far beyond our frontiers because it furnishes the just solution of problems such as I have indicated, and attests the fact that in the Argentine Republic, which, owing to the considerable numbers of its alien population, is a vast field for the application of its experience in these matters, it has never occurred that a marriage legitimately be-

brated either between nationals or foreigners has been denied definite legal protection.

The Argentine Republic has the honor of being recognized as the first country to codify what I may term the super-national law in imposing silence upon the provisions of our national law in the case of strangers where the foreign law may be reasonably applied. Thus, for example, to cite one of many cases in which that course is followed, it has frequently happened that we have recognized the legal majority of a person of 21 years of age according to the law of his own country, while our own laws provide 22 years as the minimum age at which a citizen may exercise his full civil rights.

On the question of citizenship Dr. Zeballos draws a comparison of the difference in the definition of nationality in the United States and the Argentine Republic and refers generally to

the peculiarities in the American conception of the law of nationality. As a matter of fact the word "nationality" is not used in the American Constitution, which speaks only of "citizens" when speaking of persons born in the United States or those who have established their legal domicile in this country. This term comprehends at the same time the citizen who votes and the nationals who do not participate in the exercise of sovereignty. The woman and the child who never vote are thus nationals. "Are they also citizens?" he asks.

The American Constitution, in adopting the word "citizenship," refers, without doubt, to the juridical view of nationality in general, but it furnishes no precise definition. He calls attention to the first article of the American Constitution, which provides that a representative in Congress must have served seven years of citizenship, while to be elected a Senator it is necessary to prove a continuous term of nine years of citizenship, and the President of the United States, who must be born in the country, can only be chosen by the citizens who have the right to vote. Who these persons are, says Dr. Zeballos, is not as clearly defined as it should be and as it is in the Constitutions of other republics.

Again he draws a distinction between the United States and the Argentine Republic. In the former there must be two fundamental elements of citizenship, namely, birth within its borders and domicile, while in Argentina, it suffices to be born in the country to be a citizen. It is provided in the Fourteenth Amendment to the Constitution that all persons born within the territory and subject to the jurisdiction of the United States are citizens. It therefore results that the child born of foreign parents in the United States, subsequently taken to Europe and so domiciled in a foreign country, ceases to be an American citizen because he is voluntarily subjected to foreign jurisdiction. This point has been decided uniformly by many American tribunals, which have refused nationality in such cases. Therefore the United States admits the right of foreign parents to select for their children born on American soil a foreign nationality.

Full of Human Interest.

Although a great portion of the two volumes is devoted to a critical examination of the systems of private international law adopted in the countries of the American continent, considerable attention is paid by the author to the legislation and decisions of the courts of European states and to the treaties relating to naturalization and citizenship. Yet, while the mere mention of these intricate matters appears bewildering to the lay mind, the work is replete with human interest and with romantic incidents. It is a work teeming with brilliant, original thought and profound legal knowledge. The two volumes, which bear the title of "La Nacionalidad," (au point de vue de la Législation Comparée et du Droit Privé Humain,) have been translated into French from the Spanish by Dr. Andrés Bosc, Chief Translator of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Argentine Republic.

ENGLISH AUTHORS IN WARLIKE MOOD, SAYS BARRY PAIN, ONE OF THEM

Noted Writer, Just Arrived Here, Tells of "United Arts Force," Formed by His Confreres, Which He Will Join on His Return Home.

LARGE Englishmen with bushy black beards look more natural in little London gardens than in the spacious lobbies of New York hotels. This is one of the important conclusions drawn by a Times reporter who, some six weeks after taking tea with Mr. Barry Pain in his pleasant London home, again approached him ("bearded" is too personal a word) on the first day of his first visit to New York.

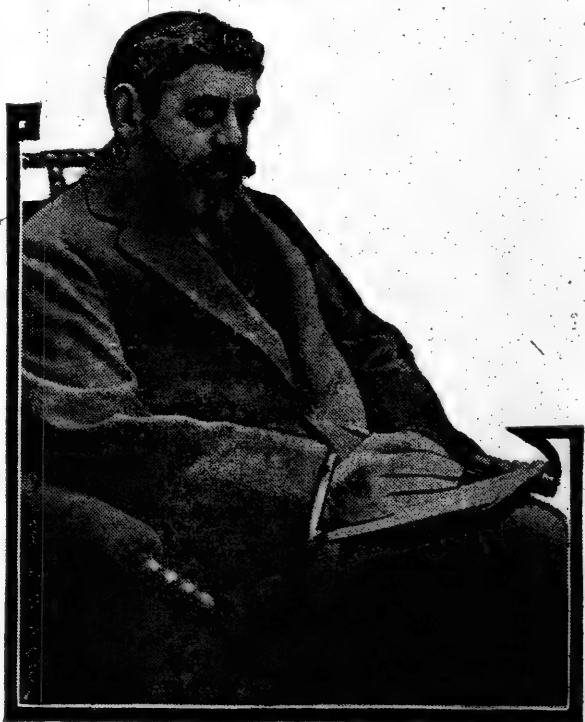
Mr. Barry Pain will not dance with daylight if you quote to him

The lines lie in my lady's bow;
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nor any other selection from that admirable series of parodies "The Poets at Tea." Nor is he eager to be known to fame as the author of that detectable bit of insanity, "Martin Luther at Potsdam." His attitude toward this famous nonsense is much like that of Mr. Gelett Burgess toward "The Purple Cow."

For Mr. Barry Pain—as one Robert Louis Stevenson knew—is primarily concerned with the difficult and subtle art of short-story writing. The author of "Stories in Grey" has strong convictions about the short story, and some of them he told to THE TIMES reporter. But first, of course, he had to talk about the war.

The United Arts Force was mentioned. "I'd be in it if I were in England," he said. "I expect to join it when I get back. It is made up, you know, of men connected with the arts—writers, musicians, painters, John Lavery, the artist, is most enthusiastic about it and so is Kéble Howard, the novelist—John Kéble Bell is his real name.



Barry Pain.

for the defense of England, they can be of use releasing territories. "About 1,200 men have joined the United Arts Force already. The War

Office has not yet given it recognition, but will do so as soon as it has a sufficiently large enrollment.

"What bothered us most in the early days of the war," continued Mr. Pain, leaning back in his chair and drawing on a cigarette that looked ridiculously small in the mighty jungle of his black mustache and beard, "was the difficulty of exchange. On Saturday, Aug. 1, I had to pay out \$7. I gave a check for that amount to the keeper of some stalls where I traded.

"In about an hour the foreman came back looking five years older and very sick. He said he had changed the check, but could not get gold in full for it. He had received one five-pound note and two sovereigns. He had been all over the city trying to change the note, but with no success.

"Now this," said Mr. Pain, "was a great shock to me. I had changed a five-pound note some years before in a Paris restaurant where I had never been before, and now this note couldn't be changed in London!

"Go to the Bank of England," I said. "You can get it changed there."

"But suppose the Bank of England won't change it?" said he.

"In that case," I said, "you'd better go down to the Embankment and jump into the river, for if the Bank of England won't change its own notes, then the whole show is over and the curtain down!"

"The London kids are funny," said Mr. Pain. "They play war all the time. In the park one day I saw a little girl and a little boy with wooden guns and newspaper helmets. The little girl aimed her wooden gun at

her brother and said, 'Bang! Now you're dead!'

"No, I ain't!" said he. And, presenting his gun, said 'Bang! Now you're dead!'

"No, I ain't!" sobbed the little girl; 'you want to do all the shooting and all the killing and none of the dying! Mother spoke to you about it once!'

"That pleased me very much," said Mr. Pain. "It's quite true."

But the conversation must be led into literary channels. So the reporter, after a vain search for a subtle and appropriate method of approaching the subject, demanded earnestly: "What effect has the war had on literature?"

"Well," said Mr. Pain, "of course it has stimulated poetry very much. Every one seems to be writing war poems. Many people who have not hitherto been known as poets are writing very strong war poems. One of the most popular and effective of them was written by a Henry Chappell, who is a railway porter."

"And what effect has it had on fiction?" he was asked.

"It has checked the flood of 'fiction,' was the answer. 'The English publishers now are publishing no novels except those by writers with big followings. And that is not altogether a bad thing for a while.

"The chief fault of modern English fiction is that there is too much of it. People write too much, and English publishers are too ready to bring out English books not really worthy to be put between covers.

"War books, of course, are selling tremendously. Bernhard's book is everywhere. I believe that Bernhard does not get royalties on the translation. I have been told that the publisher bought the rights for £30, and that he has already made £8,000. 'It is not a bad thing for the number of published books to be lessened. I have been a reviewer, a publisher's reader, an editor, and for twenty-five years I have written stories. And

it seems to me that too many stories are written.

"The amateurs, especially, are too eager to write. They write more than the professional story-writers would think of attempting.

"Once I told a young girl, who brought me some stories that she had written, that she did not work hard enough. She replied 'I write 5,000 words a week!'

"After this," I said 'write 1,000 words a week!'

Mr. Pain has positive views as to the way in which a writer should give information. "You must give the reader information without letting him know that you are doing it," he said.

"Suppose that at the end of your story the villain is to throw the heroine down a well in the garden. You may describe the well at the very beginning of the story, dwelling upon its depth, its position, its picturesqueness. But if you do this, your reader will become suspicious. He will say, 'This well is not here for its health. Somebody will be going down it directly!'

"Now, information about the well can be given skillfully in many ways. For instance, it is not necessary to mention it at all. If you speak of the rust from the chain in the drinking water, and describe the old men coming through the garden with pails of water hanging from yokes, the reader will know about the well, but not know how he knows about it.

"Or the well may be put in as a side issue. You may speak of the beauty of the syringa bushes in full bloom beside the old well. Then the reader will think it's the syringa bushes you are worrying about.

"Another way is to give your reference to the well in dialogue. Let the characters talk about it, not the novelist.

"Dialogue is the most important thing of all in story writing. We are often surprised, in real life, by what

people do, but seldom by what they say.

"The subtlest and best and most pleasing character delineation is got by making the character speak as he naturally would speak. If you want to give the effect of a shade of commonness to a character, don't analyze and describe the shade for a page and a half. It will not be interesting. It will not be real. Let the character speak as he would speak—that is all that is necessary.

"George Meredith did this admirably, and so do Kipling and Galsworthy. And in this—it seems an audacious thing to say—in this Sir Walter Scott and others of his school failed. In the ordinary historical novel all the characters talk in the same way."

Mr. Pain has not yet read the works of O. Henry—warmly recommended to him by his friend, Alfred Noyes—but he is conversant with much contemporary American fiction.

"On the whole," he said, "I think that the short stories in the leading American magazines are better than the modern English short stories. But they certainly are more leisurely than the English stories. That is one American activity in which there is no 'hustle.' I admire greatly Henry James's work. He surely is not a 'hustler!'

"I knew Bret Harte, and admire his work very much, especially his poetry. He was very encouraging to me. Once he told me that a sense of humor was nothing but a sense of proportion, that it consisted of understatement or overstatement."

"What has impressed you most on your trip so far?" asked the reporter.

"The German ships in New York harbor," said Mr. Pain promptly. "And it's pleasant to see trees again. You see, the ship has been my world for the last week. Everything on the ship has been real, and trees, houses and streets and everything that belongs to the land have been fiction."

ART AT HOME AND ABROAD: NEWS AND COMMENT

The Jarves Collection at Yale to be Saved—Activities in the Art in Trades Club—Millet at Library.

THE arrangements made for the preservation and care of the Jarves collection are now about to bear fruit, and those pictures in the collection requiring treatment to prevent their disintegration are to be put under the care of expert restorers. It is unfortunate that the word "restorer," the only title for the man who undertakes to improve the physical condition of a painting, should have assumed in the public mind a sinister significance. In the past much damage has been done by inexperienced and ignorant members of this profession, and many have come to regard the handling of a picture by a "restorer" as the unpardonable sin of expertise. There is still sufficient excuse for this prejudice to make it in the highest degree desirable that the technical processes of a restorer should be superintended by an artist sensitive to any impairment of the picture's aesthetic quality, and the Jarves collection is fortunate, indeed, in having Sergeant Kendall to perform this very exacting duty, for which he has the indispensable requisites of artistic knowledge and artistic conscience.

Mr. Kendall is taking the necessary steps to determine upon the men best fitted to the requirements of the case, and nothing is to be done that is not absolutely necessary to either the physical or aesthetic life of the paintings. In certain instances panels will need reinforcement, in other instances modern and disastrous restorations will have to be removed in order that the work of the original artist may become visible, but beyond such essentials it is not intended to go, and all the paintings will remain in the galleries while under treatment.

There is no collection in America more deserving of the scrupulous care awarded precious objects. There are 120 pictures representing the period between 1250 and 1500 in Italian art, with a few extremely interesting examples of the art of the sixteenth century. Attention last year was called to the fact that while the European galleries contained more masterpieces of the earlier period, none except those of London, Berlin, and Florence excelled the Jarves collection in representative character. The rare Byzantine paintings of the late thirteenth century, those rude, intensely significant expressions of the spiritual fervor that was still going on in a world newly awakened to spiritual forces, are twelve in number, more than can be found in any European museum except the Académie at Florence and Siena. Among them is a Tuscan-Bysantine crucifixion with the T-shaped cross remarkable in Christian art and the bent and twisted body found in the thirteenth-century enamel.

The Gothic fourteenth century is seen through more than twenty pictures. The loveliest of them is a little Sienese "Assumption of the Virgin" by an anonymous master, one of those gracious artists, tender and gay, who kept themselves free from the progressive influences of the time, yet retained vitality and the joy of religion. Here, too, is a "Crucifixion" ascribed in the catalogue to Giotto, but given by modern expertise to Lorenzo Monaco, who lived about 1400 and contributed to the young fifteenth-century spirit in which refinement and intensity of feeling united. Passion and ecstasy are controlled not by rigid formulae but by a natural dignity of temper reflected in the restraint of the gestures and in the fine balance of the compositional masses.

Of the fifteenth century pictures none so vigorously claims attention as that given to the Florentine Pollaiuolo, an attribution made in the catalogue and sustained by modern scholarship. The subject is "Hercules Killing Nessus," one that affords ample opportunity for the artist to show his extraordinary anatomical knowledge and his profound interest in the reactions of muscles in motion. Hercules is seen shooting his poisoned arrow at the Centaur, who is bearing away Dejanira, the wife of Hercules, across the stream. The beautiful play of line in the woman's figure under her thin draperies is not less stimulating than in a Botticelli nymph, and in the figure of Hercules a dynamic energy communicates the sense of enhanced vitality and physical force. The episode is placed in the Florentine environment, the background city is Florence, the river is the turbulent and yellow Arno, rushing through its fertile valley.

Pollaiuolo's artistic successor, Signorelli, was also capable of conveying the sense of physical organization and energy, but he is represented in the Jarves collection by a little "Adoration of the Magi," conspicuous chiefly on account of its jeweled color and the fine state of preservation in which it still is found.

In a wholly different mood is the noble Madonna by Gentile da Fabriano, warm and rich in color and faintly quiescent in expression, with a humor that enlivens the stateliness of the composition. This picture is a rare example of bad and good luck in restoration. Once disfigured by repainting, it was later brought back to brilliancy with no slight skill, and is now a moving piece of color.

There are some legends by Bassetti, the sprightly story teller of the Sienese School, at once naive and humorous, and there is an "Adoration of the Magi" by his pupil, Sano di Pietro, in which the procession of figures is draped like a garland against the landscape background, the most

curves beautifully echoing those of the low hills.

The collection is fortunate in possessing several of the panels painted for bridal chests, in which the fifteenth century was rich. These panels, when painted by competent artists, are marvels of dainty invention and gay, charming color. Perhaps the most entertaining in the present group is a vivacious account of a tournament in the Piazza Santa Croce at Florence. Along the side of the square opposite the spectators the windows of the palaces are open and hung with rich carpets and tapestries. Ladies, elaborately dressed, are looking down from the windows on the jousting below, the knights and judges filling the middle distance. In the foreground is a board fence. Boys and men are standing on benches to look over it, or else are peering through chinks and holes. The animation of the scene, the quick observation and witty statement, bring it close to modern feeling, but the elegance of the draughtsmanship and design place it definitely back in a century enamored of technical felicities.

The sixteenth century is represented only by mediocre examples, if we except the "Lady with a Rabbit," formerly given to Francia and now transferred to Piero di Cosimo. A fair landscape of blue hills and blue water forms the background for a head almost ruddy in color. Concerning it Mr. Mather says: "It was probably painted about 1505, when all Florence was talking of Leonardo's Mona Lisa. If it lacks the glamour and complete mastery of its famous prototype, it is none the less a very fine picture. It would grace any gallery, and if it were in a European museum it would be world famous." Its particular charm lies in the rich humanity of the expression, as far as possible from the withdrawn and cryptic smile of the Lisa, yet with a sensitive and gracious sympathy in eyes and lips that place it psychologically in the same rank with Leonardo's masterpiece.

There is still another sixteenth-century painting in the collection that may and may not be a masterpiece. At present it is a Venetian composition, dulled and vulgarized by overpainting, a version of the "Presentation in the Temple." Certain critics, Mr. Mather among them, are inclined to regard the work as a deeply injured masterpiece that will reveal its beauty when cleaned of smudgings. The name of Giorgione has even been hinted. Improbable as this possible authorship seems, even an improbability of such heroic cast is worthy of test, especially as the picture in its present condition is quite unrewarding.

These are merely fragments of a singularly integral whole. The New Haven gallery is pervaded by the bland and lovely spirit that is Italy, the soft idealism that has faded from modern art. The experts are by no means done with it, but whatever the ultimate attributions, the student of art will find here aesthetic values that all may recognize, and while one may covet for the larger museums some of the historically important examples, it is on the whole best that the collection



Portrait of a Woman by Robert Henri. (In Exhibition for the Benefit of the War Sufferers at the Pierlo Studios.)

should exist where it is, on the threshold of a great university, an introduction to the art life of many generations. No pains should be spared to preserve the individual pictures, and it is also permitted to hope that an adequate and fully illustrated catalogue may soon be forthcoming.

Activities of the Art in Trades Club.

Of one thing we are all quite certain, that this is the moment for the establishment of an American style in decoration and an American system of collaboration between designers and manufacturers. One danger, however, should be guarded against with all possible vigilance, the danger of self-satisfaction. Because we have a great opportunity to do so, we must not



Portrait by Piero di Cosimo. (In the Jarves Collection at New Haven.)

can meet it as well as some of our former competitors could have met it. Nothing is done in a moment, and the period of our preparation has been brief. It is of the greatest importance that we make our American style as rich in varied influences and as strong in personal direction as possible, since creating an art that shall express the life of the people means for us creating an art that shall express the life of many peoples gathered under one flag. The problem is not, of course, one that can be solved by rule. The life itself must develop the art as in past periods and other countries. But we can create favorable conditions and set such art as we have free from hampering prejudices and restraints. For that purpose it is necessary that there should be constant and intelligent intercourse between all the people concerned with products into which art enters.

The Art in Trades Club is an organi-

pression in general, and to strengthen the natural bond between those thus allied by fellowship and a community of interests. The club was formed six or seven years ago, and its plan originated with one hundred of the graduates of a course of instruction in house furnishing and decorating in the Young Men's Christian Association. The lectures given before the club have been by specialists in different fields, and in connection with them visits have been made to museum and private collections, as well as to factories, shops, and looms. In a general way the lectures have been divided between painters, sculptors or designers, and practical men engaged in the trades. They are addressed to an audience that can do more than any other one class to influence public taste and to pave the way for American styles. It is natural for a conservative business man to be timid concerning this odd thing "style." It is easy to make people laugh at an old joke and to make them buy a pattern only slightly different from that sold sixty years ago. It is easy to explain the virtues of a well-established style and difficult to impress them with the characteristics of a new thing. New things, moreover, stand alone until there are enough of them to make an ensemble. New American never will be happy in the same room with old Italian or new German with old French.

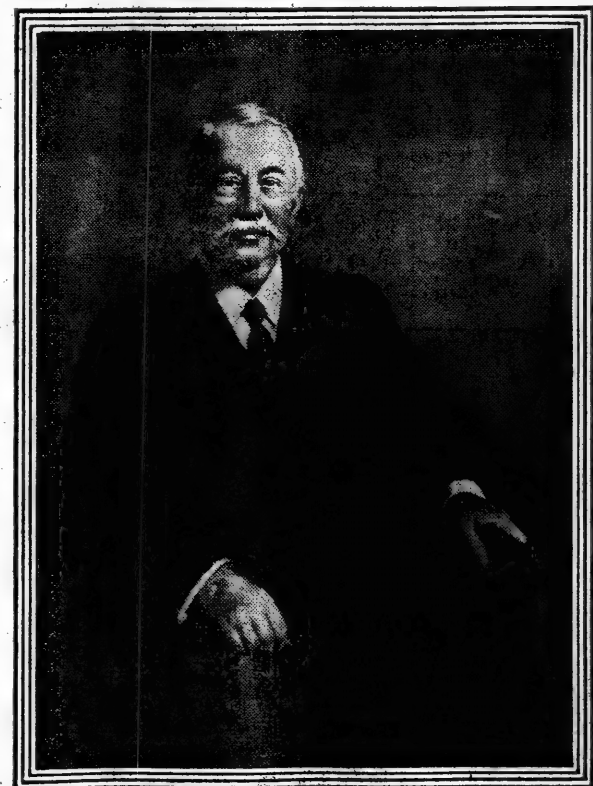
The logical way to create a new style would be to create a new architecture, and then decorations and furnishings to fit it, but even in a comparatively young country that sort of thing rarely happens. It is simpler to work from within out. It is probable that the new American style will be achieved by a more or less gradual process of evolution and adaptation, and the more life that can be put into it by free discussion and stimulating argument on the part of those commercially involved the better. One point, however, must never be forgotten if our designers are to make a place for themselves in the history of industrial art. The design must suit the public. A design of Scandinavian type could not live in the atmosphere of the Argentine Republic. A genuine artist will, of course, turn this restriction into opportunity and find his account readily in the exercise of his insight and judgment. And the better trained he is in psychology the better chance he will have for success in modern competition. The mind that has learned the value of research and critical analysis will grasp more quickly than the untrained mind the secrets of aesthetic appeal. For this reason some of the more ambitious friends of industrial art are convinced that a general education carried as far as possible before vocational training sets in is essential to a designer who wants to make more than merely a superior workman of himself. There must be, however, a great many plain workmen, a great many salesmen who know what they are selling, a great many buyers who know what they are buying, before the general public can be led into righteous ways of furnishing their homes, planting their dooryards, building their homes, modeling their city. Everything that helps any one to understand something about good design is worth while, and especially worth while is the instruction that helps toward education of the general public.

also show the stripped-to-the-bone construction of the modern school. These fresh, vigorous landscapes, farms seen from Mount Gilboa, studies of trees and gorges; views of a bay, are not so different in the manner of using the pigment from the good watercolor paintings of an earlier time; but in the significance of the forms, the intense simplification of the design so that its principal lines stand forth like the muscles of a well-trained athlete, the use of realistic material without the slightest obtrusion of its representative character, the fine emotional rhythm, we get the very flavor of modernity. Mr. Demuth has not only learned the idiom of his time, he has assimilated its thought. He expresses personal freedom in a highly personal fashion, yet the language of his work

is in art and leads away from crass imitation of old things. "The old in the new" should be the motto of the American designer. He is not himself new enough to start a style, nor has any one been since the delving of Adam. As a country we are all compact of ancient inherited forms of doing things, and the most original artist will be he who unwinds the thread of life in these old forms and weaves it into patterns suited to his special public.

At the Daniel Gallery.

Some brilliant paintings in watercolor by Charles Demuth are at the Daniel Galleries until Nov. 4. They show the charming qualities of pure color and vivacious handling that are appropriate to the medium, and they



Portrait of Benjamin Altman Presented to the Metropolitan Museum by the Executors of the Altman Estate. The Portrait Was Painted by Ellen Emmet Rand from the Only Known Photograph of Mr. Altman in Existence.

things that are part of our heritage and of our future hopes.

Paintings at the Macbeth Galleries.

A group of very good paintings by very well known artists constitutes the first exhibition of the season at the Macbeth Galleries. "Interwoven," by Arthur Davies, is an affirmation of that painter's belief in formal significance freed from representation. All that is moving in the work is so on account of the all-pervading rhythm. The forms are derived from nature, however, and the realm of the flesh-like modeling, the intense humanity of the individual figures, will interest those who are repelled by the abstract character of the design.

Charles W. Hawthorne's "Arrangement" is a reasoned primitive as

Essays in Pure Color at the Daniel Gallery—Dr. Valentiner Writes on the Work of Michelangelo.

unites it to a movement that is specifically that of today. Seen in pictures of this organic beauty, one learns to understand the austere appeal of the younger school and to enjoy its harsh vertices.

Exhibition of the Ceramic Society of Greater New York.

The Ceramic Society of Greater New York will open an exhibition of the work of its members at the Hotel McAlpin on Nov. 9. A large variety of decorated porcelain will be shown, with special attention paid to china in designs suitable to period furnishings, a decidedly new feature in modern ceramic work. In addition to table china there will be pieces for bedrooms, libraries, and porches, and the objects will include lamps and tiles. The exhibition will be shown in a setting provided by the hand-woven fabrics of the Mountain Community, and the efforts of the society to meet modern needs in many directions formerly ignored will be fully demonstrated. The Vice President, Mrs. Elling, has offered a prize of \$100 for the best bowl design.

Millet at the Public Library.

The Chief of the Prints Division in the New York Public Library announces an exhibition in honor of Jean François Millet, the centenary of whose birth occurred on the 4th of October. A number of cases in the Stuart Gallery, in the main building, at Fifth Avenue and Forty-second Street, are filled with the etchings of Millet, the woodcuts executed by his two brothers after his designs, the four large lithographs of American Indian life by Charles Bodmer, for which Millet, his friend and neighbor, drew the figures, and the usual prints and books concerned with the artist. Nearly all the material belongs to the Avery collection. "It always gives a deep, serious pleasure," Mr. Weitenkampf writes, "to come back to these plates of Millet, these visions of the French peasant, simple and large in style, and rendered in a big, classic spirit. These 'Gleaners,' 'Diggers,' 'The Shepherdess,' the unforgettable 'Peasant with a Wheelbarrow'—they are not merely illustrations of French rural life, but typical figures of the gleaner, the digger, the sower, in which the significance such actions have for us is summarized with a noteworthy force of expression. The deep feeling that lies behind these works is contagious and compelling, and the apparent simplicity of expression becomes evidently subtle if we regard the harmonious flow of line in such a composition as 'The Gleaners.' Technique, always a means with Millet, and not an end, is also always intelligently fitted to his medium. So, also, in his woodcuts, bold in execution, done in a few lines, with kinship to the work of the men of the sixteenth century. His art responds to no call of fashion. Its interest is perennial, because it is based on human ideals and sym-

far as emotion goes. Many a stiff little Flemish virgin was less a creature of flesh and blood than this girl with a lily stem and a half-acknowledged halo. But if the Fleming was occasionally uncertain about his proportions, he never was uncertain on the question of his religious sentiment. It is a forced and unconvincing suggestiveness that is thrust upon this pretty paralyzed child, who stands as though she never would move again, and who has nevertheless a haunting look of youth and life. One likes better Friesse's indolent lady in her garden chair, a French chair and a French garden, with lilies and bluebell flowers. The artist catches the charm of that civilized out-of-doors so possible in Europe, which next year we must set ourselves to emulate in our own country.

Mr. Sartain's "Along the Stream" is a pleasant reminder that one need not lose delicacy of vision with time. He is no longer a young man, but he remains a young painter. And he was very clever about getting his luggage out of Paris. Other people were paying 30 and 40 francs for men and wagons, the supply falling short of the sudden sharp demand, but Mr. Sartain, they say, went around the corner and picked up a pushcart man who was glad to juggle everything to the station for a common place sum. Other pictures in the collection are Robert E. Spencer's "Along the Creek," gray color hatched into vibration; Allen Weir's lovely "Summer-time," Childe Hassam's "In the Old House," Emil Carlsen's "In Venice," and Gifford Beal's "The Fountain." Elliott Daingerfield's "The Lone Cypress," Charles H. Davis's "Summer Morning," Ben Foster's "Afternoon in the Pines," Ivan Olinsky's "The Statuette," Henry Ranger's "Morning Noon," Chauncey F. Ryder's "The Stone Sledge," "Winter Glow" by Gardner Symons, and "Down the Valley" by Frederick Ballard Williams. The exhibition lasts until Nov. 16.

Dr. Valentiner's Book on Michelangelo.

Seldom in the history of expertise do we find united in one mind an intense response to human values and the power of detached and scrupulous analysis. Dr. Valentiner, in his book on Michelangelo, (published by Frederick Fairchild Sherman, New York,) shows that he can claim both qualities, each in a highly developed form. No one has made the mysterious giant of the renaissance live for us in the same degree. By restraining the trivial exercise of fancy where only the slightest possible support is given by recorded facts, and letting the higher faculty of imagination connect Michelangelo with the human race and its common characteristics, the author has brought him as close to us as may be in the case of a personality so aloof.

It is in the later years that men speak most directly of their personal standpoint, therefore this essay has to do with the artist's late work, the "Pieta" at Vittorbo, sketches made for his two great friends, Vittoria Colonna and Tommaso Cavalieri, the dome of St. Peter's, designed in his eightieth year, the "Pieta" in the Cathedral at Florence, and another. In all these the author finds the deepened sense of humanity, the simplified emotional quality for which he looks in the later works of a great master. "One is perhaps tempted," he says, "to assume the existence of a more subtle and complicated spirituality in the late works of the great masters. In reality the exact opposite is the case, and these works, which seem rather to belong to a more primitive era of culture than to the highest sphere of art, are characterized by a singular simplicity and directness of expression. Subtlety is not the ultimate ideal of the great masters, although it may be a mid-station of their development. Lyrically gifted men of lesser genius, whose work appeals to a small circle of the ultra-cultured, may confine themselves to the delineation of subtleties, of those intermediate states of the soul which are in reality impermanent and in the long run wearisome. The allegiance of the really great artist returns ultimately to the portrayal of those simple and powerful emotions whose appeal is universal."

Michelangelo is thus portrayed in the long, late years of his life, warmer in feeling with a deeper understanding of his fellow-creatures than he had in youth, emotionally simplified, yet fitted by his sustained and arduous training to undertake the most technically complicated tasks. He followed the habit of many men of genius in carrying easily through in his age an essay of great difficulty daringly attempted in his youth; in his case the production of a mass of intertwining figures in free or almost free sculpture. It is, however, the dome of St. Peter's that is the noble crown of the master's labor. His hand trembled, but his mind was clear and soared to a height at which his passionate efforts toward self-expression were enabled by his complete command of the scientific problems involved.

Dr. Valentiner adds to our impression of Michelangelo a vital human element by the stress he lays upon the artist's friendship with Vittoria Colonna, a friendship formed when he was 63 years old and she 46. To her we owe the sentence addressed to the artist: "Those who know your works know but your lesser part," and Dr. Valentiner rehearses the known incidents of her cordial intercourse with this shy and taciturn nature in a vein of appreciation that emphasizes the importance of her tact and understanding to the work done by him after he knew her. The fact that we see in him as much through his eager gratitude for sympathy as through his unsocial frascableness and gloom the undisciplined temper of a child only adds to our wonder at the mighty discipline he exercised over his intelligence and the land obeying it.

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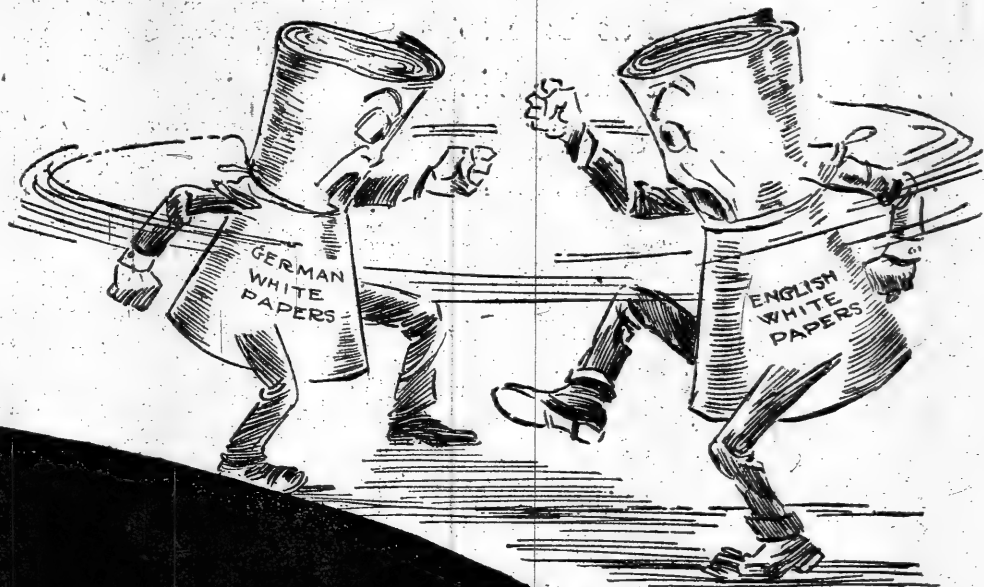
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PARTY GOVERNMENT

Prof. W. M. Sloane Traces Development
of Certain Features in the Political
System of the United States

PARTY GOVERNMENT IN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA. By William M. Sloane. Prof. of History in Columbia University. New York and London: Harper & Brothers.

IN the academic year 1912-13 Prof. William M. Sloane of Columbia University delivered a series of lectures in German at the Universities of Berlin and Munich, which were published in Leipzig. These, with some elaboration and addition, are now published by the Harpers under the title of "Party Government in the United States of America." The lectures must have been intensely interesting to the university audiences of Munich and Berlin, delivered with Prof. Sloane's characteristic animation in German, as idiomatic as his native tongue and with nice appreciation of the facts and comment that especially would appeal in a most novel subject, to intelligent and curious students. For the professor holds, with much justice, that American parties "resemble no others in any substantive way, but are indigenous to American soil." For one thing they are not and never, so far, have been revolutionary. They have fought fiercely over the interpretation of the Constitution; none of them has undertaken to change the form of Government. Even when, in 1860, the extreme wing of the Democrats of the South brought about the secession of ten slave States, they proceeded to set up a Federal Union, under a Constitution exactly like that they had tried to leave, except as to slavery. Then by war they were subdued and the States brought back into the Union the old political party life was resumed, and nothing in the framework of the national system was radically changed. That is a view of our party activity that does in fact resemble no other to which Europe is accustomed.

Prof. Sloane lays stress on the fact that the American party system did not spring directly from democracy, for the very good reason that at first, and for more than a generation from the start, our Government was not in reality democratic in the sense in which that term is now employed. It was at its origin a modified aristocracy based, to a certain extent, on family, to a greater extent on wealth and ability, a fluctuating aristocracy open from below and with slight recognition of heredity, but practically exclusive for the time, and with a fairly definite and effective class feeling animating its members. This feeling was expressed and enforced for more than a half century after independence in the restriction of the suffrage. The revolution was led, the Constitution was made, the Government for a full generation was managed by this class. Nearly all the most striking features of the Constitution—most of them have lapsed or have been diverted in practice from their purpose—were directed to preventing the growth of democracy, especially the indirect election of the Executive and of the Senate.

Party divisions began to show themselves very early, were marked in Washington's second Administration, and were violent at the close of John Adams's single term. They were as yet based on differences between the members of the aristocracy, but they followed a line of cleavage that persisted when the suffrage was extended in many new States toward the close of the first third of the nineteenth century. The general issue was that of broad, or "loose," construction,

as Prof. Sloane calls it, and strict construction of the Constitution. But he makes it very clear that the Americans of that day, like their ancestors in England and their successors today, are apt to make their theories fit their desires and needs and never think of sacrificing their needs or desires to consistency. Prof. Sloane traces in a most interesting way the varying processes by which the actual working of the Constitution was brought about by a steadily broadening interpretation, alternately supported or resisted by each of the main parties. Throughout our history, though often in great confusion and with infinite difficulty, the persisting and controlling purposes of the nation have, in Carlyle's happy phrase, "got themselves" accomplished. One generation after another has made its contribution to the vast result, often with a curiously vague consciousness of what it was trying to do and a still more vague notion of what actually it was doing. Now and again the people have done what certainly never was, or could have been, intended in the Constitution, from the purchase of Louisiana to the conquest and purchase of the Philippines. Equally they have refused to do what the Constitution intended that they must do, when, every four years, they choose a President by direct universal suffrage and not by the choice of uninstructed electors.

Two broad facts stand out in the story of this mighty evolution. One the steady spread of the democratic principle in the rapid extension of the suffrage until now it embraces practically all male adults—and many women; the other the unprecedented development of transportation and communication by which the operation of democracy has been made possible. To both of these Prof. Sloane gives adequate attention. A nearly equally important process he traces—that of the gradual change from the ideas and methods of representative to those of delegated government. It is in this portion of his volume that he shows most plainly his gifts, as a philosophic historian and observer.

The professor is not a pessimist or, though acutely critical, a carping critic. He recognizes that party government in the United States is pretty much what the people of the United States are striving more or less intelligently have made it, and that it cannot radically be changed in any short time. He recognizes also that it has wrought substantial service which is too generally ignored. For one thing, it has disciplined the great mass of ordinary men, it has induced or compelled them to act in unison—to do "team work"—while it has given scope and aim to their activities as to public affairs. Party machines have been corrupt or arbitrary and tyrannic, but when they have gone too far in that direction they have been checked or crushed. The party system, by the very qualities that, in excess, have led to abuse and evil, has worked much good. It has been immensely charged with energy, and in this country of rapid change great work demands extraordinary energy. Especially the party system has aided in the assimilation of the immigrants and their immediate descendants. It has given them an active interest, however narrow or misguided, in civic affairs. More than any one force the sympathetic current of partisanship has fostered and developed the sense of nationality, without which our Federal Republic would have dissolved in hopeless confusion and conflict.

Prof. Sloane takes a view by no means gloomy even of the working of parties in our cities. He recognizes the shortcomings and the evils, but he compares the results generally favorably with those attained in the cities of Europe where the difficulties are far less. Those are old, homogeneous, governed by tradition, possessed of a civic spirit, within wide limits independent. Ours are new, swiftly growing, with a motley and shifting population, subject to constant interference from without. Yet our "victories are noteworthy. The public order, safety to life, limb, and property are just as completely safeguarded, while the numbers of the police are relatively much less. The social evil is proportionately less. . . . The public health and the death rate, the water supply and the sewage distribution, the park systems, all compare favorably." And the prospect is cheering for much better things.

LATEST WORKS OF FICTION

Novels by H. G. Wells, Mary Johnston,
Alice Hegan Rice, Horace A. Vachell,
the Williamsons, and Others

THE WIFE OF SIR ISAAC HARMAN. By H. G. Wells. New York: The Macmillan Company.

HERETOFORE Tomorrow and Today have absorbed Mr. Wells. We expect, when we read him, to be tremendously modern, or to "dip into the future to see the Vision of the World," to paraphrase a bit. It is singular, then, to find oneself flung back into the past in his latest novel, to be busy thrashing out questions no longer being asked, to be moving in a Yesterday that already seems a generation back.

For this book was naturally written before the outbreak of war, and it is concerned with those thoughts and actions, storms and rebellions then obsessing most of England. It is a story of the woman's revolt, and there is even one window broken—though not precisely in the cause of suffrage. None the less that window is broken as a sign that the day of the masters is over, and it brings Lady Harman some shadowy concessions, a kind of phantom freedom. For Mr. Wells makes it pretty clear that as matters now stand between men and women, and between both and ideas, no real freedom is at present possible.

The book is about marriage, and its primary purpose is to show that so long as marriage is regarded as in any sense a thing of ownership, whether by the man or the woman, as it happens in the story itself, or by the woman, as it happens or even by both of one another, just so long marriage is based on a degraded idea, and must partake of that degradation. The slave idea of marriage must be eliminated, if there is to be any marriage worth the name. Given a man like Sir Isaac, the man who grasps and holds, who wishes to dominate the very thoughts, the very solitude, of his wife, a man to whom ownership is the first essential, and the woman, whether she knows it or not, is a prisoner in a prison far more fatal and desperate than that of stone and iron scorned by Lovelace. It is in such a situation that we discover Lady Harman, at about the time when she herself becomes aware of it. And it is her efforts to escape from this prison, without relinquishing her accepted duties as a wife, that make the story. Lady Harman, in fact, is in a struggle to save her soul alive, and it is this struggle we watch.

It is a struggle that grips one, all the more because Lady Harman is a woman of the gentlest and most unselfish spirit, a creature unbreakable, to be sure, but only because of her fineness.

With a subtlety, and with a deep insight into the human heart, gifts we are right to expect in Mr. Wells, but which are present only in the great novelist, we are made to realize a singular fact. It is this: That behind and animating the love Sir Isaac bears his wife is hate, and behind her hate of him is love. Superficially it is Sir Isaac who is the lover, who wants his wife near him, who is passionately jealous of her affection, who showers gifts upon her, who cries at the thought of her leaving him, who is entirely content to drop all other women for her sake. Yet under it all is murder, the killing of the real Ellen, a sick rage at that individuality that cannot be crushed out, a desperate desire to beat down whatever conflicts with anything in him, be it of the basest.

And Ellen, though she shivers at this hard, ugly, absurd little man, though she recoils from him with an ever-growing horror of the flesh, is willing to help him, desires good and not evil for him, would have him happy. Not priggishly, but instinctively, because her response toward life was one of kindness, of giving, while his was of coercion, of self-seeking.

But beside the interest of the theme, this book is full of the most amusing reflections of life and character which Wells has ever indulged in. You are constantly being surprised into delicious chucklings, you find yourself responding vividly to the author's "felicities in summing up a situation or a personality or a state of mind. There

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one of the most entertaining episodes in a very entertaining novel—they are all flesh and blood people whom it is a pleasure to meet. The book is written in a delightfully easy style, through which gleams steadily the golden thread of a kindly humor. Mr. Vachell finds this dealer in antiques and his career both amusing and appealing, and the reader is entirely in accord with him. A trip through "Quinn's" will be found well worth the making.

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Mr. Chester's story is one of his swiftly moving business romances with a conquering hero who sweeps all before him. But this time the hero, instead of being young, personable, and likable, is middle aged, of huge and awkward physique, and although of kindly heart, somewhat crude in his social instincts. He is head of a street railway enterprise in an unlocated small city and prides never also in many financial games. He falls in love with the pretty daughter of one of his business associates and sends her red room, her favorite flower, literally by the wagonload, and makes known his appreciation of her charm by giving her an automobile with one breath and a diamond necklace with the next. There is a business intrigue against him in which the girl and her father take part, but he wins finally and celebrates his triumph by carrying the girl off bodily in her wedding gown from the marriage she is about to celebrate with another man and persuading her to marry him, when presently she discovers that she really loves him after all. The tale has something of Mr. Chester's old-time dashing good humor, but it lacks much in the plausibility and the human nature that formerly marked his stories.

Mr. Jepson's novel, "Whitaker's Dukedom," is an English story growing out of that theme beloved of novelists ever since novels have been written, a physical resemblance between two people so complete that in appearance they are doubles. His poor young man, a London dealer in second-hand furniture, finds his double in a country wood, then both are struck by the lightning of a sudden thunder storm, and the other man is killed. The poor young man, finding that his double had been a Duke, cannot resist the temptation of stepping into his shoes. The story recounts his experiences as he cautiously feels his way along the blind path to ultimate success in his assumption of the dukedom.

"The Red Mirage," by L. A. R. Wylla, is a tale of the French Foreign Legion in Algeria, having a complicated plot and much incident. Part of the action takes place in London, but the greater part in North Africa—sometimes in the desert, sometimes at the headquarters of the legion. The plot is concerned with the supposed treachery of an officer of the English Army years before the story opens, and with its consequences to the next generation. There is a colorful desert background for much of the action, and an exceedingly vivid portrayal of the rigorous

discipline maintained by the officers of the legion.

SICILY ANN

SECRET ANN, by Henry Heathcote Lee, D. D., illustrated by P. Graham Smith. New York: Harper & Brothers, \$1.

As slight and snappish as a story as one might find in a long novel, so even as one might wish to find, Mrs. Lee's novel is also dainty and gay and mildly amusing. It is about the love affairs of a Virginia girl who visits her married sister in Honolulu, has a delightful time every day of her life, and attracts men and proposals of marriage as a saucer of syrup attracts bees. Although the author tells us that her age is "sweet and lewd," she still retains many of the characteristics of ten. Her creator did not, seemingly, think it worth while to give her much save surface manifestations of character, but these phases are treated with skill, and so far as there is anything to know about Sicily Ann, the reader feels when he gets through that he knows her pretty well. She is delicate and demure and has the very old lady's facility in making the suitors of the moment believe that she is particularly interested in whatever interests him. But she is also obstinate, as occasion, and then she always gets her own way by exceedingly feminine and extremely youthful methods, without regard for the consequences for herself and others. In the end, also, after all the other varied suitors have been disposed of, she gets the man she has really wanted to marry all the time, even if she had been shipped off to Honolulu to make his forget him. The action, after the opening chapter, all takes place in Honolulu, and there is a pretty background in bright, gay colors of the life and the amusements of Americans dwelling in the capital of that island territory.

GUY GARRICK

GUY GARRICK, by Arthur R. Hayes. New York: Harper's International Library Company, \$1.

The hero of Mr. Hayes's story of ultra-scientific detective work is the unraveling of a mysterious crime is the sage Guy Garrick who has figured in several of his many previous novels of crime and its detection. He photographs "the prints of automobiles in the roadway as he would the finger prints left on a window sill by a thief; he is on the lookout for the results of anesthetic bullets; he recognizes the signs at once when a desperate criminal has killed some one with a cartridge full of tallow instead of lead; when it is necessary he can examine aid by telephoning on a submarine he discovers the signs of heart disease and incipient paralysis in the handwriting of an anonymous letter; and he is able to march triumphantly straight down the trail and stage his final come with surety and an eye to dramatic effect. It is very scientific, too, that final scene, with each member of the little audience connected with a galvanometer which makes electro-cardiographs of the mental sensations and

physical reactions of each one as they watch a succession of moving pictures recounting scenes such like those which have marked the stages of the development of the case. Add the scientific detective's climax of evidence—building all the rest, is the impression made by the hammer of a pistol at the shot of a cartridge. The story starts out as if it were to be concerned only with the theft of an automobile in New York City and the endeavor of the police and the detectives to catch the criminal, and put a stop to the operation. But it quickly carries the reader into a mine of criminal plots and it gives him an exciting time as he follows Guy Garrick through the labyrinth.

THE COPY-CAT

THE COPY-CAT, AND OTHER STORIES, by Mary E. Wilkins Freeman. Harper & Brother.

A book by Mrs. Freeman is sure of its welcome. We have long ago learned to expect from her sympathetic portraits of New England characters drawn with a touch at once firm and delicate. One of the stories published under the title of their initials is "The Copy-Cat," in which fall below their predecessors, and in many respects follow the same lines. Among other human types we have the children, with whom Mrs. Freeman has made us familiar and whom by the bye, always and to the comfort of the reader, but hardly in accord with things as they are, by breaking through the hard, Puritanical shell of their parents or guardians; and we have the grown-ups of many types but nearly all with a screw loose. One or two of the stories point out, as Mrs. Deane has done, the essential immorality of unselfishness carried to an extreme, and furnish not a little food for thought. All command interest, and it is needless to say, are distinguished by the workmanship and subtle insight—though we suspect that Mrs. Freeman somewhat overaccentuates the peculiarities of the New England people she has studied and portrayed as long which is but saying that she travels in the path of Dickens rather than of Jane Austen.

THE LAST CHRISTIAN

THE LAST CHRISTIAN, by George Kilb. Turner, Philadelphia, in color. New York: Harper's International Library Company, \$1.25.

Mr. Turner's story begins in New England some thirty years ago when, according to its narrator, there was a revival in New England village churches of sermons and talks about the most gruesome features of the old theology. The fires of hell burned again as fiercely as ever, and fear of them for her dead son was about to drive into insanity the grandmother of the little boy who listened to it all and himself joined the church at an early age to escape the terrors of which he heard. He tells the story in the first person, putting much of it into dialogue. The ac-

tion moves very slowly through enough years to carry him from childhood to man's estate, and is concerned almost entirely with the slow dialoguing of the

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is that word "buffoonism," for instance. In the following observation, it is precisely the word you have often vaguely clutched after to fit a similar case:

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Then there's Gobbin, "a man with a lot of hair and that sort of loose tie that so often seems to be less of a tie than a detachment from all decent restraints." And there's Snagby, the butler at the Harman's, who, "like most well-trained English servants, dropped as many 'b's as he could when conversing with his superiors . . . just as he was always careful to wear a slightly misfitting dress coat and to fold his trousers so that they creased at the side and had a wide, flat effect in front."

But it is with Lady Beach-Mandarin that Mr. Wells has his most joyous moments. Lady Beach-Mandarin "was almost as much to meet as one can meet in a single human being: a broad, abundant, blustering personality with a taste for brims, streamers, pennants, panners, loose sleeves, sweeping gowns, top notes and the like that made her altogether less of a woman than an occasion for public rejoicing." Whenever we meet her she contributes to our delight and admiration. And there are others, many of them, all indicated and commented upon and developed with a sureness contained in the least number of effective words that yet are never strained. Mr. Wells's style has escaped from its results in this book, and has found a new freedom, this is his thought with a perfection not hitherto achieved.

One can be thankful that the book was finished before the war broke out, since it is unlikely that there will be another like it. The England of Lady Harman is now a part of the past, and the next book will reflect the new England, whatever it may be. To be sure, the larger human relationships on which the story is based will remain to engage our thought and emotion, but the special social aspects into which these are reflected will suffer modifications—modifications that must necessarily deeply affect so sensitive a mind as Wells possesses. The book is the most complete and successful of the group to which it belongs, as it is the last, and I repeat that we must be thankful that it was not crowded out of existence by the events so soon to follow upon its fortunate completion.

HILDEGARD HAWTHORNE.

THE WITCH

THE WITCH. By Mary Johnston. Houghton Mifflin Company. \$1.50.

READERS who raved over the enigmatically young charms of "To Have and to Hold" ten or fifteen years ago may not care for its author's latest effort—unless, indeed, they happen to have matured considerably in the meantime. For while "The Witch" is not lacking in interest, heart and other, it is a novel so full of the vital things of life, and so pared of its superficialities, that it requires a certain education in living properly to appreciate it.

In every tale that is not merely a moving picture, above and beyond the characters looms a large hero, or more often heroine; an abstracted, but one that dominates and animates the whole. In "The Witch," this great figure is Truth. The dark shadow of witchcraft, delusion and persecution in the England of James I. furnishes the background for an uncommon love story. There are a hero and heroine according to the flesh, fine up-standing creatures of them, who love each other with a frank sincerity and directness. But the great love and devotion of each is to Truth. They do not discuss this love with elaborate phrases, they live it. They are accused by the terrible witch-hunting preacher who "burned like a flame, a wind-tooled flame, burning blue." They feel the tide of superstition swelling about them:

Out of the deep veins, out of the elder world, olden times' superstitions had been whistled up. It had not far to come; the old world was close of kin. On the climbing road of the human mind the scenery of the lower slopes began to glow. They escape. Fate again claims them; to those less firm in the faith, Truth herself might have seemed to laugh. But through it all the words of Aderheld to Joan Heron sound:

I have seen brave men and women, but I have seen braver than you Joan. Life is very great. There are all its threads of all colors and every one that is love and happiness is a grave, neither is misery. You are brave—be brave enough to be happy. And happy they are, to the doors of

prison and beyond. For the message of the book is that real and permanent happiness can be found only in freedom of the spirit; any other kind is a candle flame in tempest. Aderheld and his Joan were great lovers; they loved truth in each other, they followed it together, and though its pursuit seemed vainly to separate them, they themselves felt that it united them instead, eternally and indissolubly. People as brave as they were could not help being happy.

Miss Johnston is not at her best when she writes of superficialities, whether historical, as in "To Have and to Hold," or social, as in "Hagar." Neither is she altogether at home in the presence of masses of detail, unsifted and uneliminated by distance, as in her stories of the civil war. But place her at grips with more vital things, things essentially of the spirit, and "The Witch" shows what she can do.

THE HONORABLE PERCIVAL

THE HONORABLE PERCIVAL. By Alice Hegan Rice. New York: The Century Company. \$1.

MRS. WIGGS of the Immortal cabbage patch and Lovers Mary, the adorable, have a new companion. No, it is not the Honorable Percival. It is the heroine of the novel named after that ornament of the British aristocracy, and Bobby is her name.

She was not christened Bobby, perhaps she never was christened at all. But Roberta was too formal for the shabby little young woman, who, astride a bronco, raced with the train across Wyoming, her black hair flying behind her in thick scarlet-ribbed plaits. Bobby suited her best.

Now, fortunately for Mrs. Alice Hegan Rice's readers, the Honorable Percival Hascombe happened to be on that train. He had been flitted by Lady Hortense Vevay, and was solacing his sad heart with an inspection of barbarous America. He was, in Mrs. Rice's delightful phrase, a convalescent from love. And Bobby, when she saw him surveying the landscape through his monocle from the platform of the observation car, flirted with him.

It is a terrible thing to make this statement about a heroine. But she did flirt with him, most outrageously. She actually blew him an adulatory kiss from her finger-tips! Of course, she was on her bronco and he was on his train, speeding away from Wyoming, and Bobby, still, nobody had ever before flirted with the Honorable Percival.

Well, the Honorable Percival was gratified, and considered the incident closed. But, to his consternation, on the first day out on his trip from "the States" to Hongkong, he found his deck chair filled with a blue and lavender steamer coat. And this steamer coat was filled with Bobby!

The Honorable Percival was annoyed. He adjusted his monocle, and endeavored to snub Bobby. But it is difficult even for British aristocrats to snub distractingly pretty young girls from Wyoming. Instead, Bobby snubbed the Honorable Percival. Then she made him fall in love with her. Then she snubbed him again. Then she forgave him. Then she—

But it would not be fair to readers of Mrs. Rice's delectable chronicle to tell what Bobby finally did to the Honorable Percival. There were romantic complications—Bobby was the daughter of the captain of the vessel, and he stalked Englishmen, especially Englishmen with monocles. Also, there was a bronzed, bronco-riding lover back in Wyoming. And Bobby's idea of the situation was different from that of the Honorable Percival.

The end of the romance is absolutely unexpected, but convincingly natural. The book is a close study of character. Mrs. Rice knows how to construct a good plot and in "The Honorable Percival" she uses that knowledge to advantage.

It seems strange to call so entertainingly whimsical a writer a close student of character. Yet characterization is her greatest power. Earnest young realists laugh through page after page of minute psychological and physiological descriptions, and in the end they feel utterly to create people as genuinely human as this over-bred young Englishman and this primitive and captivating young Western girl.

Mrs. Rice seems in this story to write merely for the joy of writing. She may not assured that the joy is contagious. It is not likely that she intended to typify in Bobby the simplicity, freedom, and worth of Western America and in the Honorable Percival the true and

courageous, but caste-ridden and highly sophisticated, mainland of Shanghai. Nevertheless, she has done this—she has accurately symbolized two civilizations, has conducted a successful experiment in what may be called symbolic psychology. But—what is more important—she has done a wholesome, vivacious, and thoroughly amusing story.

THE OPEN DOOR

THE OPEN DOOR. By Richardson Wright. Boston, Mass.: O. B. S. Co. \$1.50 net.

WHATEVER fault may be found with this Mr. Wright's first novel, it is very improbable that any one will call it commonplace. Not because its central idea is very new, but because it is so very, very old that it is one which our modern world has almost if not quite forgotten. It is around like a chapter out of the life of some medieval saint, "decades one of the principal characters." "It doesn't fit in at all with this year of 1914." Kitty Flint herself insists that this is only because "no story of that kind doesn't like to speak of attainment or reparation or expiation," but it can very safely be asserted that many readers will deny the truth of her dictum, believing that it is merely her particular method of expiation which has become obsolete, and this because better ones have been found.

For Kitty Flint, feeling that through her act "the divine scheme of things had been broken down," and that it was therefore her "duty to build it up again," spent the best years of her life "convalescing spiritually" behind the closed shutters of the house whose threshold she never crossed—the house with "The Open Door." In what seemed to the neighbors a strange contradiction, the shutters of "Miss Kitty's" house were never opened, and for the door was left on the latch every day and night in the year save one; on Christmas Day Miss Kitty locked her door. When the novel begins, Kitty Flint has been for fourteen years a voluntary prisoner in the house which her many times great grandfather built, and from which the Philadelphia suburb of Thursday, the scene of the story, took its name. Naturally, such extraordinary conduct as hers could not pass unnoticed or unremarked, especially in the town in which she had spent most of her life, and many of whose inhabitants still remembered her as a beautiful young girl, riding astride her cob in a divided skirt, to the horror of all and sundry. So her opposite neighbors, Mr. Ockstun, wife of the proprietor of "Ockstun's Curious Old Cures," those two virtuous but somewhat odd maiden ladies, the Misses Alethea and Marlene Malga, and stupid, good-natured Mrs. Batterbury, started a campaign against the closed shutters—which in their opinion were immoral, and caused what results form quite an important part of the plot. This little cottage of curiously-racked females provides the book with some very amusing pages; Mr. Wright has adjusted his wit and nerve so as permitted his sketches to degenerate into caricatures, not even when they lead Thursday into the thicket of that furor for all things Colonial which ended so unfortunately at the meeting of the Thursday Historical Society at the Museum of Columbia Institute.

These four groups are by no means the only well portrayed characters in the book. Hugh Lincoln, the lovely little boy to whom Miss Kitty "was a mother," Mr. Josephus Octavian Flagg—nick-named by Hugh "Old King of Beahan"—Sally Friggle, Mr. Adams and Officer Taylor and several others are all pleasant, human people whom we are glad to know. And Kitty Flint, the young-old woman, is adored by every one of them, and not merely by them, either, for hers was "that sort

of soul which, like some philosopher's sense of the spirit, reduced all manner of men and women to this gold." While the famous sales, where under her guidance men and women of every class and kind, mental and social, met and mingled harmoniously.

The book has some of the faults usual to a first novel. But it is cleverly written, there is humor, some deft phrasing, a feeling for character, and an interesting point of view. Altogether, it is a novel which inclines one to the belief that its author has a worth-while future before him.

QUINNEYS'

QUINNEYS'. By Herman Anshutz Vachell. George H. Doran Company. \$1.25 net.

THE many readers who are accustomed to look for good work from Mr. Vachell will not be in the least disappointed by this new and charming book, but they will certainly be more than a little surprised. For "Quinneys" is something of a new departure for the author of "Elms Down." It is the quiet, humorous, very human story of a man who inherited an antique shop in the old cathedral town of Mechester from a miserable curmudgeon of a father, whose death, as he frankly avowed, caused him not the slightest grief, although he was ready to do "what was expected in the way of a tombstone." The older Quinney had had a few good bits of old furniture and porcelain, but the majority of his stock consisted of that "rubbish" which the son abhorred from the very bottom of his soul. "Don't touch rubbish. Rubbish is beastly. Rubbish is wicked," he told his artless step-mother-in-law to be, whose taste was that of a generation which put open Japanese umbrellas in its fireplaces. For this energetic little man, who had an education and a stock of stored-up schemes all over the place and well up in many of the tricks of a trade which does not bear the best possible reputation for honesty, was an artist through and through, loving beauty, fairly worshiping the exquisite things in which he dealt. However, he had other loves, too, and his relations with the young wife for whom he bought the "Dream Cottage," and with his dainty daughter, Fay, his only child and the gem of his collection, are portrayed with tenderness and charm. There is a time, indeed, when his adoration of what Susan calls "sticks and stones" appears to have become greater than his love for sight and sound, when he seems to care more for "things" than for persons; then come the dramatic scenes of chapters of the book, wherein the lovely little man shows his knowledge of relative values.

Mr. Quinney himself, the shrewd, faintly, hot-tempered, ambitious, beauty-loving, plain-spoken little man, is of course the principal character in the book—a distinction he will merit—but there are several others not one whit less real. Susan, the devoted little wife who tried so hard to hide her jealousy of the "things" her husband adored, and succeeded for years, only to have it all come forth in one dramatic outburst; Fay, the romantic, witty, beloved daughter, for whom at the last, as at the first, her father paid a high price; the various dealers with whom Quinney comes in contact, and Susan's mother, Mrs. Middlecombe, whose experience on the night of the first term

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THE OLD WORLD IN THE NEW. BY EDWARD A. Ross. New York: Charles Scribner's Sons. \$2.50.
FROM ALIEN TO CITIZEN. BY EDWARD A. Ross. New York: Charles Scribner's Sons. \$1.
WITH POOR EMIGRANTS TO AMERICA. BY STEPHEN GRAHAM. New York: Macmillan Company. \$1.

HOW will the present war affect our immigration census? Writing long before there was even a rumor of war, Prof. Ross has made no allowance for such a tremendous disturbance in the world situation. Viewed in the light of recent events, however, some of his conclusions take on an added significance. For instance, conditions are ripe, according to his estimate formed before the present crisis, for a heavy influx from Western Asia. That this influx will be hastened rather than impeded by the war needs little explanation. With the possible alleviation of the status of the Jew in Russia, the outflow thence will probably diminish, but the streams from Asiatic Turkey, Circassia, Syria, and Arabia will increase.

In Prof. Ross's forecast, which is intensified by the happenings of the last two months, there is a significant note of warning. "The Old World in the New" is not so much a study of immigration as a study against immigration. What we have assumed into our nation since we opened our gates to the stranger was bad enough; what are about to receive, the very dregs of Western Asia, immeasurably worse than the dregs of Europe, will dilute to the last degree that pioneer stock on which the American nation should have been built. Prof. Ross's prejudice against the open door policy is frank and apparent, a prejudice amounting almost to a bitterness which only a brilliant and readable style can conceal. The influence, economic, social, or political, which this steady inflow of the poorest and neediest of other lands has created are those of unmitigated deterioration. For the high cost of living and in the same breath for the low standard of living. Prof. Ross holds the immigrant responsible. To his family must be laid our increasing illiteracy, yellow journalism, peonage, caste spirit, the social evil, city congestion, pauperism, and above all, a disheartening confusion of our political ideals. Ripe the later immigrant who has weakened the splendid pioneer stock of America. On this stock as a base might have been builded another Greece or another Rome, at any rate a unified, strong America, but the possibility of such a future is being rapidly choked by the transference of these weaker strains.

Here is no trash argument and little new evidence. Prof. Ross presents his case with forceful phrase and well-chosen example, but, curiously enough, it is this very brilliance of presentation, this overpersuasiveness, coupled with an undercurrent of bitterness and bitterness, which make the reader more than uneasy about many of the professor's conclusions. Here and there the generalizations are so broad, and so glittering that they cannot carry convictions even by the untrained, who may easily be impressed with lucid and well-chosen statistics. At the root of most of these generalizations is the writer's bias toward labor and labor's "rights."

Throughout our comfortable classes one finds high-sounding humanitarianism and facile lip-sympathy for immigrants coexisting with heartless indifference to what depressive immigration is doing to the lives of the American wage-earners and their children. If the stream of immigrants included capitalists with funds, merchants ready to invade all lines of business, lawyers, doctors, engineers, and professors qualified to compete immediately with our professional men, even judges and senators able to lure votes away from our own candidates for office, the present would be felt all along the line, and there might be something heroic in those groups standing for the equal right of all races to American opportunities. But since actually the best is born by labor, it is easy for the shielded to indulge in generous view on the subject of immigration.

With Prof. Ross, the displacement of American labor by that of the unskilled immigrant is not an objection, it is a grudge, and it is in this unfortunate tone that his book is written. He is not merely a slant toward labor interests; he goes the whole forty-five degrees, sweeping with him all the facts that bear out his case, brushing aside or remarking those that don't. For in-

stance to dismiss the "dramatic unclassical" of the farm workers of New York and Chicago as no evidence whatsoever against his assertion that organized labor always suffers at the hands of the immigrant, is not only bold but unscrupulous, and above all, not in the least conducive to trust and confidence on the part of any reader in possession of the facts in the case. Prof. Ross overreaches himself in more than one respect; it would be far safer if he stuck closely to subjects concerning which no one knows very much anyway.

In curious contrast to this energetic volume is a bit of autobiography from another professor, Edward A. Steiner, who holds the Chair of Applied Christianity at Grinnell College, Iowa. Prof. Steiner is one of these undesirable alms who so arouse the Wisconsin professor's ire. "If mine were an unusual case," he writes, "this record would not be worth the making." He holds that he is very little different from the Slav people, from whom he came; his story in America, as he relates it, contains all the regulation chapters—awful shop, mills, mines, the lower courts, jail, drink, the open road with all its dangers. Prof. Steiner cannot well push too far this claim that he is an average immigrant, for to rise from the position of the ordinary vagabond to that of professor in a progressive college is by no means an average record; but his plea for the others is little impaired thereby; it carries far more conviction than Prof. Ross's broadsides. It is purely a sentimental plea; the pictures which he draws are, many of them, too florid and too highly colored with emotion to be very palatable to a people, the reading section of which is still largely Teutonic, but it arrests the attention, if nothing more, and bears the stamp of sincerity.

To this virtue Stephen Graham's book, "With Poor Immigrants to America," dare not lay claim. Here is the same sort as Prof. Steiner's narrative—sketches of the steerage, of the east side, of the mines, of all with which the immigrant comes in touch, but from the view of a not very thoughtful onlooker. Mr. Graham wrote these, originally for publication in a Russian magazine, and it is conceivable that to the Russian reader they might seem entertainingly picturesque. The American public, however, must find them rather flimsy and unimportant—a series of photographs, and not a very good lens at that.

An Idler in Spain

J. E. Crawford Fitch went to Spain from his home in England expecting to write a serious book about the life and times of the famous Spanish painter, Goya. He changed his mind somewhat soon after reaching Barcelona, and set off on what he calls a Goya pilgrimage, travelling about the country and studying the painter against the background of present-day Spain. The fruit of the pilgrimage appears in an entertaining book entitled "An Idler in Spain," which is part art criticism and part graphic portrayal of Spanish life and scenery. The book is illustrated with photographic reproductions of Goya pictures. (McBride, Nast & Co. \$2.)

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Prof. Muensterberg Gives Result of Scientific Research

PSYCHOLOGY: GENERAL AND APPLIED. BY HUGO MÜNSTERBERG. New York: D. Appleton & Co.

IN an earlier day psychology was literally, a "discourse on the human soul." When it was finally admitted to the sciences the demand for exactitude banished any so vague a will o' the wisp as the soul. Now, curiously enough, the soul has returned and taken up her abode beside color theories and association problems, a natural result following on an accelerated study of the problems of personality and a marked tendency in modern thought away from materialism. Prof. Hugo Münsterberg is notoriously averse from positions in any but the most advanced current in the stream, and his new textbook in psychology, the first formal work from his pen for many years, gives the soul and her functions ample room.

"The soul," says Prof. Münsterberg, "is the self conceived as a system of purposes which remains identical with itself in developing its potential acts as real experiences in response to the acts of others and to the objects of the world." The soul is self-conscious; it is free, it is immortal, it is not substance, it is not object, it is not in time or space. All of this is assuredly familiar in a textbook on psychology for the simple reason that such a helpful fiction as a soul must be sought outside the confines of our actual experience. But psychology without a soul is only one side of the shield, contends Prof. Münsterberg. The causal psychologist, the man who in the most artificial fashion has picked to bits the great confusion of our consciousness, has, after all, done nothing more than explain. He has brought us information without understanding and has been forced to leave wholly out of account such "over-individual obligations" as truth, beauty, religion, and morality. The understanding of our mental life is the business of the purposive psychologist, and he is as amply justified in calling such a construction as the soul to his aid as the physicist who postulates ether.

Obviously enough, this is letting down the bars in thorough-going fashion. Where philosophy begins and psychology ends was always a sufficiently dubious problem. It begins to seem that the further we retreat this ideal of a well-defined boundary line, the nearer we shall be to the truth, but while the generosity of outline which Prof. Münsterberg has bestowed on his new textbook may be commendable, how much the discourse on "purposive psychology" will make for clarity in the mind of the student of psychology is a matter for conjecture.

Not only in the direction of "pur-

posiveness" does Prof. Münsterberg enlarge the domain of psychology. The psychology of the group and psychology in application comprise two important sections of his book. To the first of these, the student and even the lay reader will look forward with considerable interest for the mental life of the social group has long been neglected in the interests of the mental life of the individual. Such study as has existed has been concerned mainly with the relation of the individual to other individuals, of one self to a group of selves. The only person who has conceived of the crowd as a psychological entity is Gustave Le Bon, and his over-fanciful conclusions have done little more than touch the border of the problem. Prof. Münsterberg's analysis of this question is disappointing. It does little more than sum our present information concerning social relations, and it leaves M. Le Bon practically alone in the field, which he has created.

The section of his book which deals with applied psychology is, however, excellent. It condenses the former volumes which have resulted on Prof. Münsterberg's study of practical psychology in the departments of industry, education, law and medicine. Prof. Münsterberg has been a pioneer in the work of turning what has been a pure laboratory science into the study of community life, and it is in this direction that he speaks with the most authority.

Throughout his aim has been to place the study of psychology on as broad a base as possible. The book is primarily a textbook to be supplemented by intensive study of specific problems. It sketches outlines only; it gives no room to exposition of the structure of the brain and the sense organs, and it takes the widest possible sweep. This aim is most praiseworthy; no one would quarrel with Prof. Münsterberg's desire to establish a study of mental states a little different from that awarded minerals and plants. But this ideal of generosity has been extended to vocabulary with the result that as a textbook Prof. Münsterberg's work is inexorably prolix. We do not ask an "uncritical rush toward mental states," we do not decry the slow and painstaking approach to the subject of inquiry, but in a book which is to be studied rather than read, a knotty consciousness is not only permitted but best. We do not ask Prof. Münsterberg to evolve pruned abstractions in the style of Immanuel Kant, but we do ask for our information in as small compass as possible.

A long list of "popular" works has left its mark on Prof. Münsterberg's style, an unfortunate result in the case of so important a work as this latest. For this textbook is richer by far than many of the somewhat brilliant but empty essays on various aspects of our modern life with which the Harvard professor has surprised the public in the last ten years; it holds the result of his best thought, and the fruit of a continuous and genuine scientific research. That it should be awarded such overclouded by a vast number of unnecessary words is most deplorable.

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hold of the old, stern religion upon the minds of the people, the introduction among them of the doctrines of Christian Science, at first with much secrecy, and finally with open and general acceptance, and the turning of their attention from church affairs to their own pleasures and enjoyments. All this is set upon the mind and soul of the minister who has watched over his flock for many years that his intellect wavers and breaks under the burden, and when presently he dies the young man says, "And with him went, for me, a generation—a generation of strong and honest men." A gentle, restrained love story, between the narrator of the story and the minister's daughter, runs quietly through the book. But its main concern is with the village people, their several attitudes toward the old religion and toward the new influences that were undermining it. Among them are some very true delineations of character, and the whole story makes an interesting study of a local phase of social development.

SOLDIER OF THE LEGION

A SOLDIER OF THE LEGION. By C. H. and A. M. Williams. Doubleday, Page & Co. \$1.25 net.

Most of us have been so familiar from since our early youth with that "Soldier of the Legion," who was born at "Blagen on the Rhine"—it seems an odd combination nowadays—but this new member of the famous corps, though French by birth, had been all his life a resident of the United States, and when the story opens is a Second Lieutenant in the 34th Cavalry, stationed at Fort Worth, with nothing further from his thoughts than enlistment among those of whom "no questions are asked." However, he was destined to fill the arduous rôle of hero in a novel against which no one can possibly bring the reproach that it is lacking in plot, and from the very first chapter, when he is summoned from a ball to the bedside of a dying woman, from whose lips he hears a confession which changes his entire life, he has adventures in abundance. No less than six remarkably beautiful women play more or less important parts in his career, women of all sorts and kinds, from a popular actress to the lovely daughter of the Aga of Djisera, whose love-story is strangely interwoven with his own. And the "Soldier of the Legion" proves himself worthy of the name bestowed upon him by one of them—St. George.

Most of the tale is laid in Algeria, at Sid-el-Abbes, headquarters of the Legion, in the surrounding desert, and at the Aga's oasis. There is romance in abundance, and though the reader is occasionally conscious of the use of whip and spur on a faded imagination the narrative moves on at a fairly lively pace.

THE MONEY MAKERS

THE MONEY MAKERS. A Story of Today. By Charles Klein and Arthur Hornblow. Illustrations by Paul Starr. New York: G. W. Dillingham Company. \$1.25.

Charles Klein's play of the New York business man who has a late reviving conscience has been turned into a novel by Arthur Hornblow. The story follows closely the lines of the play, which tells of the absorption of the money-mad financier in the game of making more and more money, his second marriage to a much younger woman, and the coil of cross purposes and bitter animosities in which he and she and his children become involved when a late awakening sense of justice leads him to endeavor to make restitution of his ill-gotten gains. But while keeping the outlines

of the action and much of the dialogue intact, Mr. Hornblow has filled out the gaps between the scenes and introduced much that is new in order to produce the necessary sense of background and make the movement smooth and continuous. In style he has endeavored to jump in sympathy with the fine spirit of the play.

BETTY'S VIRGINIA CHRISTMAS

BETTY'S VIRGINIA CHRISTMAS. By Mary Elliot Seaver. Doubleday, Page & Co. \$1.50 net.

A very pretty, very sentimental little love story with a charming, brave-hearted, twenty-year-old coquette for its heroine and a rich and "dashing young officer" of the United States Army to play the part of the hero, is Miss Seaver's contribution to the inevitable flood of Christmas fiction. It is at Christmas time that Betty Beverley, once of stately Rosehill, now of humble Holly Lodge, first meets Lieut. John Hope Fortescue, son of the wealthy Northerner, who bought Rosehill when the mortgage was foreclosed, and Col. Beverley, Betty's grandfather, obliged to sell the beautiful old home which had been his father's and his grandfather's before him. There is a delightful description of Virginia Christmas festivities in the early '80s, the period chosen for the tale; Betty and the gallant young Lieutenant go to the jolliest of dances, where the music is furnished by old Uncle Caesar, Isaac Minkins, who "combined the profession of driving a fish cart in the daytime and fiddling in the evening," and a youth who "performed upon the concertina." Then there are wonderful suppers, a hunt breakfast, and altogether one is much inclined to envy these joyous, hospitable Virginia gentlemen.

Naturally, the course of true love does not run entirely smooth; a quarrel comes and a parting, and more than one Christmas elapses before Betty does the honors at the Rosehill ball, but everything turns out all right in the end, as was to be expected. Meanwhile the reader has time to become acquainted with Kettie, the lovable little negro boy, who came hungry and ragged to Holly Lodge, and there received his first Christmas stocking, with Aunt Tulp, and Uncle Caesar, and the splendid old Colonel, and all the other characters of this charmingly written, say little romance.

DIANE AND HER FRIENDS

DIANE AND HER FRIENDS. By Arthur Sherburne Hardy. Doubleday, Page & Co. \$1.25 net.

France is the scene of all these little tales of Mr. Hardy's, many of which have already seen the light in magazines. Diane de Wimpring appears in several of them, while some are principally concerned with the Countess Anne, a great lady who should have lived in the days of the ancien régime, and others with Inspector Joly of the Paris police. The first story in the volume tells how Diane replied to an insult in a most unusual way, the second gives an account of the deathbed confession of the Countess Anne, and the third brings Diane and the Countess Anne together, showing how Diane chose what she believed was a sad truth in preference to a tact falsehood. Then we learn how it came to pass that the Countess Anne employed a murderer as her head gardener, and make the acquaintance of Inspector Joly, who plays a leading rôle in five out of the seven remaining episodes. And the book closes with a great service done Diane by the man who was once her adversary.

Each of the eleven stories is complete in itself, and they are all written in a rather graceful, fastidious, and undramatic style, quite appropriate for many of them, but somewhat out of place in those which might properly be called

detective stories. Diane herself is an attractive little girl, with her eyes open, her shiny look, and her ability to shoot home—literally! It is easy to understand why her husband adored her, and the Countess Anne addressed her as "my dear child." There are several other agreeable characters in the book, and some pretty descriptions of French life.

BATTLE ROYAL

BATTLE ROYAL. By W. De Vries. John Lane Company. \$2.50 net.

Anton van Waghe of the civil service is about to leave the little town of Macassar in the Dutch East Indies, on his way home to Holland, when this novel begins. He had spent ten years in the East, done good work, and earned his right to a year's leave, yet he would hardly have taken it had there not been a woman waiting for him—the woman to whom he was passionately engaged, and whom he expected to bring back with him as his wife. He was at peace with himself, despite the memory of a past intrigue with a certain Mrs. Deunman—an intrigue which had resulted in his being obliged to depart from Batavia, where she lived. Convinced that Marie Deunman is but a "light woman," he believes his old passion for her dead, and is astonished to find it awaken again as he draws near to the woman which is still her home. And there in Batavia they meet, and there new and unexpected complications arise.

Such value as the novel possesses, however, consists neither in its plot nor in its characters, but in its descriptions of a country about which the majority of people know little or nothing. These descriptions are carefully and painstakingly written; there is an abundance of detail, and the author is apparently fully acquainted with the life which he portrays. It is a pity that he has not the ability to make his account seem real and vivid to the reader.

LIFE AND DEATH

THE GAME OF LIFE AND DEATH. By Lincoln Colcord. The Macmillan Company. \$1.25 net.

Mr. Colcord's "Stories of the Sea," suggest Joseph Conrad, not that they are in any way an imitation of that great writer, but that, like Conrad, Mr. Colcord is penetrated by the spirit of the sea and the mystery of the Orient, and, like the author of "Yuth" and of "Lord Jim," he makes his readers see and feel with him. Each of the dozen tales making up this volume is dramatic and poignant; told, too, with a subtle art which leaves not a little to be read between the lines. Much as has been written of the character of the Oriental, Mr. Colcord gives us a new insight into it, but, certainly, a new insight into its inscrutableness, as something not to be plumbed by any accidental lead and line. The stirring tales command an

almost painful interest. Very beautiful and pathetic is the closing story, "Home," and the "Story," that reminds one of Stevenson's "Home is the sailor, home from the sea." It is a book that will linger in the memory long after its life are closed.

THE FLAMING SWORD

THE FLAMING SWORD. By George Gibbs. Illustrated. D. Appleton & Co. \$1.50

Mr. Gibbs makes a fairly interesting story of a young man who, having wasted his substance and himself in riotous living, tries to take his life by the indirect method of rowing out into a squall, is rescued and nursed back to health by the lightning girl, and—well, all know the rest of it. Matters are complicated by his relations with "a show-girl" who was the companion of his days of dissipation, and who loved him far beyond his deserts, "not wisely, but too well." As always, it is the woman who pays and we take small pleasure in leaving "Mora" in the arms of her lover, while "Maile" has in his being obliged to turn to "the lights of Broadway" her solitary stage. The book holds much dramatic incident, but it refuses to grip the reader or to enlist his sympathetic interest in its characters.

THE SOUND OF WATER

THE SOUND OF WATER. By Margaria Spalding Gerry. Illustrated. Harper & Brothers. \$1 net.

"The Sound of Water" is a strange story of a mystery which, it is safe to say, no reader can guess until it is revealed. To keep the secret of the supposed crime the author has fallen into an error almost as fatal as that of permitting it to leak out prematurely. She has made the central situation and all the details too impossible for credulity. We perceive at once that, save for the requirements of the tale, there is no reason why the suspected man should not promptly have told the simple truth, knowing concealment to be the most damning evidence against him. However, any mystery, though clumsily contrived, is certain to lure a number of readers. A medical mystery holds a special fascination for the laity, and this story is sufficiently well told to command the interest of its readers, in spite of the obvious defects of its machinery.

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TOPICS OF THE WEEK

ONE cannot help thinking that in his article on "The Reading of Books Nowadays," appearing in the November number of the Atlantic Monthly, Mr. GEORGE P. BERRY takes rather too gloomy a view of the contemporary public's interest in literature. He recalls that in his earlier days "the young people with whom I most associated were reading such books as DARWIN'S "Origins of Species," PRESTON'S "Other Worlds Than Ours," and GOSSET'S "Short History of England," and many others of a similar character." These books were discussed by himself and his companions, most of whom were encouraged to accumulate works of this kind for their libraries. At a later date he recalls the vogue of the poetry of TENNYSON, LONGFELLOW, WHITTIER, BROWNING, SWINBURNE, together with such works as KID'S "Social Evolution," HENRY DRUMMOND'S "Natural Law in the Spiritual World," FISKE'S "Ideas of God," MARX'S "Capital," and HENRY GOSSET'S "Progress and Poverty." But today he finds little of this widespread interest in serious literature. The young people with whom he is familiar are so absorbed in various amusements that "there is little time left them for serious pursuits." This "tendency of the times for mere amusement," fostering "the butterfly habit of mind," Mr. BERRY attributes to "the play method" of teaching in school, "strengthened by the habits of a society which votes continued earnest conversation a bore." To these observations, derived from his own personal experiences, he adds the testi-

mony of the librarians who are reported as trifling as "that there is a very considerable falling off in circulation of all classes of books at present, and they attribute this to the counter-attraction of the movies," a statement that is corroborated, according to Mr. BERRY, by at least one publisher, who adds "cheap magazines, the increasing use of the automobile," &c., to the causes for the supposed decrease of interest in serious literature.

THE idea that the movies and other forms of popular diversion enumerated by Mr. BERRY have had an injurious effect on the circulation of books is not, of course, a new one. Its validity, however, is somewhat impugned by a lack of definite information on the subject. So far as mere argument goes there are those who contend that the appearance, for instance, of "Ivanhoe" in the movies creates new readers for Scott's masterpiece, and that this form of popular amusement is thus in many cases doing good publicity work for books. But statistics are what one really needs before a correct estimate can be formed of the amount of book-reading done today as compared with that of a few decades ago. Allowing for the increase in population we doubt very much whether more books were sold thirty years ago than the average shown for the present decade. There are more publishers now than there were then and it is safe to say, judging by statistics that are obtainable, that the number of books published annually has greatly increased in practically every branch of literature. Why should this be if there is not an increasing demand for books? Social conditions, however, have undoubtedly changed, and it is less easy to gauge the popularity of a book than it used to be. The complexity of modern life, broken up into a multitude of communities each with its distinctive interests, scarcely admits of the same widespread interchange of opinion regarding some vital book of the day that Mr. BERRY notes as having been characteristic of his younger years. Just now tango and maxixe may be the dominant themes in some social circles—but that does not prevent other groups of men and women from pursuing as their avocations, as they undoubtedly do, questions of literature, science and art. Mr. BERRY's paper on contemporary reading is a valuable contribution to a subject that is near to the heart of all booklovers. If it inclines to a degree of pessimism greater than the facts seem to warrant, it is fruitful in suggestion and will doubtless be of value to those who strive for increased efficiency in the making and handling of books.

IT seems strange that at this late day there still remains unpublished verse by a poet so dearly loved as TENNYSON—stranger still that a poem by him entitled "A Call to Arms," exhorting his countrymen to rise in defense of their native land against a foreign foe, should now make its appearance for the first time. Such a poem, however, was recently published by The London Spectator. It was given to the latter by the present Lord TENNYSON, it was set to music by Lady TENNYSON and Sir FRANCIS BURNES, and has already been sung on public occasions in London. The first stanza, striking the keynote for the others, runs as follows:

O! where is he, the simple fool,
Who says that wars are over?
What bloody portent flashes there
Across the Straits of Dover?
Nine hundred thousand slaves in arms
May seek to bring us under;
But England lives, and still will live,
For we'll crush the despot yonder.
Are we ready, Britons all,
To answer foes with thunder?
Arm, arm, arm!

This, and the two stanzas that follow,

may not be of a very high order of poetic excellence. The poem as a whole is far from the great Lancelotti at its best, a fact that may account for its remaining unpublished until now. But the circumstances surrounding its publication, the direct stirring quality of the lines, easily account for its present popularity in England.

IN a discussion of anti-militarism as a theme in recent fiction, Miss COLASOU, writing in this month's number of The Bookman, makes the somewhat startling assertion that "there is little or no anti-military fiction, in the narrower sense, written anywhere except in Germany." In support of her contention, Miss COLASOU cites ARTHUR SCHNITZLER, the Viennese dramatist and novelist, whose short stories and plays, notably "Freiwild," have shown a decided anti-military tendency. Then there are OTTO EDWIN HARTLEIGH, in "Rosen-Montag"; A. F. BERNHEIM, in "Sagfesteich"; LAURENCE, in "In a Little Garrison"; HERMANN SUHRMAYER, in "Pritschen"; WILHELM LAMMERS, in "The Human Slaughter House," and BARONESS BERTHA VON SUTTKER, in "Die Waffen Nieder." The latter book, it will be remembered, won the Nobel Peace Prize and is usually considered the most effective of recent attempts among fiction writers to portray the evil influence of war upon the individual and national life. An interesting fact pointed out regarding some of these writers of anti-military fiction is that their books were published at considerable risk to themselves. One recalls, for instance, that the last days of BARONESS BERTHA VON SUTTKER were not free from the persecution that might easily be expected from so military an environment as hers, and we are further told that LAURENCE resigned from the army on account of his book. One of these German writers and their books, the list, as Miss COLASOU compiles it, is less ample—GELA'S "Le Diable," STEPHEN CRANE'S "The Red Badge of Courage," ALFRED NORTON'S "The Wine Press," KATHERINE TRAHER'S "In the Vanguard," H. G. WELLS'S "The World Set Free," and FREDERICK PALMER'S "The Last Shot." The list on other side is necessarily incomplete. Many writers of fiction during the last two or three decades, of whatever nationality, have written incidentally, if not directly, of the horrors of war. That German writers taking this for their theme are in the majority is, after all, entirely natural. The German novelist, if he would depict life in Germany, is bound to give prominence to militarism and the idealism that goes with imaginative writing rarely view war with favor. But for the American novelist to devote himself to writing anti-military fiction would be an absurd bit of anachronism.

ON the 29th of this month the Holiday Number of The New York Times Review of Books will be published. Many circumstances have combined to make the coming holiday season one in which books will have a wider appeal than ever to the gift-buying public. The epoch-making events of the year intensify the desire for varied kinds of information that naturally finds its best fulfillment in literature. Illegal as it may seem at first glance, a war of such magnitude as the one that is being waged in Europe increases the number of book readers in America. And yet it is natural enough. Such a war impinges upon an almost endless number of interests, and to become intelligently conversant with the latter more than the usual amount of study is needed. Indeed, publishers have already found this to be true, as is proved by the increased demand on the part of the public for books of a

character that do not usually come under the classification "popular." With this special demand the vogue of books in all departments of literature has increased, and there is even evidence that the ideal holiday gift will be, to a greater extent than in former years—the book. It is to furnish practical assistance in the selection of suitable books for the season that the Holiday Number of The Book Review is being planned. Its principal feature will be a carefully selected list of 300 of this season's leading publications. The list will be classified and a brief description of the contents will be given under the title of each book. Special articles will be prepared describing this season's gift books and other publications of a like timely interest, the whole furnishing an eminently practical guide for the holiday book buyer.

IN A FEW WORDS

THE Faculty at Princeton University announces that Alfred Noyes, although at the beginning of the war it was feared he could not come, will begin his work next semester as Visiting Professor of English Literature.

CYRUS TOWNSEND BRADY'S story, "The Little Angel of Canyon Creek," has been filmed for moving picture production and will be shown in New York this month.

MARIE SKUDLOFF, author of "The Life Story of a Russian Exile," who was sent by the Russian Government to Siberia for her life, but escaped to this country, says that, although she has fought the Russian Government all her life and is on principle opposed to war, she would, if she were a man, join the army of the Allies, because "Prussian militarism has been one of the supports of Russian autocracy, not only morally, but materially."

A. B. M. HATKINSON, author of "The Clean Heart" and "The Heavy War-rior," who was in India, the son of a distinguished English officer, studied medicine in early manhood, but soon abandoned that profession for editorial work in London, and since the publication of his first novel has devoted himself entirely to the writing of fiction.

Mrs. OWEN HARRIS has gone to Europe to write a series of magazine articles on the woman's side of the war.

PIERRE DE COCONVILLE'S posthumous book, "The Wonderful Romance," was finished just before her death. In France it had gone, up to the opening of the war, through forty-seven editions.

RALPH CONNER, who has a new Corporal Cameron story cut this Fall called "The Patrol of the Sun Dance Trail," is in private life the Rev. Dr. Charles W. Gordon, pastor of St. Stephen's Presbyterian Church, Whitpain.

RUSH WALPOLE, author of "The Duchess of Raze" and other realistic stories of English life, is a son of the Bishop of Edinburgh and a cousin of the Earl of Oxford. He lives half the year in a tiny fishing village in Cornwall, where he does most of his work.

According to F. LAURISTON BULLARD'S "Panama War Correspondent," it was an American, George William Knafelz, who was the first recognized war correspondent. He did untiring work in the Mexican war several years before William Howard Russell went to the Crimea.

GEORGE VAN SCHICKEL, author of "Sweepstakes Cove," is a practicing physician in New York City who has spent much vacation time in Newfoundland, where the scene of his novel is laid. He is now at work upon another story of life in that region.

THOMAS G. BROWN, author of "Landmarks of a Lawless Life," has received a letter from the editor of The Journal of the Japanese Bar Association saying that he had translated part of the book into Japanese and is publishing it in the Journal.

KATE DOUGLAS WIGGINS' "A Child's Journey With Dickens" is to be translated into Italian.

NEWS OF BOOKS

Prominent Publications in Various Fields of Literature

THE Century Company is preparing for early publication "The New Man of Europe, 1911-1913," by Herbert Adams Gibbon, author of "The Foundation of the Ottoman Empire." Mr. Gibbon takes up the diplomatic negotiations which preceded the Balkan wars, discusses their significance and their blunders, and shows how the constant interference by the European powers made the present war inevitable. The book will have several maps and a bibliography.

The George H. Doran Company is announcing for immediate publication several additions to its list of timely books on the great war. The new books include "The British Army from Within," by E. Charles Vivian, the novelist, author of "Divided Ways," who formerly served in that army; "The French Army from Within," by an ex-soldier of France; "France and the Next War," by Commandant J. Colin, which is at once an answer to Bernhardi's "Germany and the Next War," and a frank account of France's long preparations, and "Jena or Sedan," by Franz Beyerlein, an army story of which over 250,000 copies have been sold in Germany. It is a realistic picture of German Army life, and puts boldly the question of whether the German Army is decadent. To the Pocket Book Series of Doran war books the following are to be added: "Aircraft in War," "The Triumphant Retreat to Paris," "The Russian Advance," and "Hacking Through Belgium."

The John Lane Company has ready for immediate publication an American edition of "Songs of the War." Among the poets represented are G. K. Chesterton, Justin Huntly McCarthy, Stephen Phillips, Rudyard Kipling, William Watkin, and Sir Owen Seaman. The profits of the book, in both England and America, are devoted to the Prince of Wales's Fund for the Red Cross.

A new edition, to be published next week, of Frederick W. Hollis's "The Peace Conference at The Hague," is announced by the Macmillan Company. This was one of the first books published on the subject of universal peace, and the renewed interest in it, caused by the European war, has made necessary the new edition.

At the end of this week Little, Brown & Co. will have ready the new edition, the tenth, of "Bartlett's Familiar Quotations," edited by Nathaniel Haselbain. This is the first revision the book has had for nearly a quarter of a century. The new volume will contain quotations from nearly 200 of the more important writers of the last few decades not included in the previous editions.

For early publication the Macmillan Company announces "How to See a Play," by Richard Burton, President of the Drama League of America. The purpose of the book is to give much counsel and advice to the reader as will help him get out of his theatregoing more pleasure and benefit.

The selected "Poems" of Clinton Scott, chosen from his work for the thirty years during which he has been writing verse, is to be published by Houghton Mifflin Company this week.

The Yale University Press is bringing out this Fall a translation in verse by Leonard Bacon of "The Song of Roland," which endeavors to present an accurate translation and to preserve the spirit of the original.

Maurice Maeterlinck's "The Unknown Guest," a discussion of the subconscious self, is ready for publication by Dodd, Mead & Co.

"Maria of the Lowlands," by Angel Guimera, will be the eighth volume in

the Drama League Series of modern plays. The translator is Wallace Fitzpatrick, who also writes a preface, while an introduction is furnished by John Garrett Underhill. Doubleday, Page & Co. are the publishers. The play was first produced in New York by Harrison Gray Blake in 1908. It is now shown in moving pictures.

Archibald Henderson's "The Changing Drama," which surveys the whole dramatic current during the last half century and points out and explains its significant changes and movements, is announced for publication this week by Henry Holt & Co.

Hiram K. Moderwell's "The Theatre of Today," takes up the presentation of the modern drama, describing and explaining the new forces in theatrical production and their broader use. It is ready for publication by the John Lane Company.

"English Dramatic Poetry," by Prof. Felix E. Schelling, the latest issue in the series entitled "Channels of English Literature," is ready for publication by E. P. Dutton & Co.

"Footnotes to Life" is the title of a volume of short essays by Dr. Frank Crane, ready for issue by the John Lane Company.

Samuel McChord Crothers is the author of "Meditations on Votes for Women," to be published soon by Houghton Mifflin Company.

A new catalogue, No. 2, new series, of "Autograph Letters, Historical Documents and Manuscripts," has just been published by P. F. Madigan, 801 Fifth Avenue, New York. The work contains over a hundred pages, its contents being arranged under three headings: "Presidents of the United States," "In the order of their succession," "Civil War," its items referring to both Federal and Confederate Generals, and a miscellaneous division whose items are literary and historical, American and foreign. Mr. Madigan finds this classification warranted by the increasing number of collections in the two branches of Americana, the Presidents and the civil war.

The Macmillan Company has ready for publication a new novel by E. V. Lucas called "Landmarks." It is said to be quite different in form from Mr. Lucas's former stories, which have been marked by a laconic and discursive style. In this he has adopted the swift selective methods of the moving-picture scenario and has presented the story of his central figure in a series of significant episodes. The Macmillan Company announces also for this week a new fiction volume by Algernon Blackwood entitled "As Incredible Adventure."

A new "Corporal Cameron" story by Ralph Connor is to be called "The Patrol of the Sun Dance Trail," is promised for this week by the George H. Doran Company. It will deal with the uprising, some years ago, in Canada of Indian and half-breeds led by Louis Riel, and it will tell, so it is said, for the first time the inside story of that trouble.

A novel by Philip Gibbs, whose graphic tales from the fires of war to "The New York Times" have attracted much attention, will be published next week by the Devin-Adair Company. It is called "Beauty and Nick" and deals with the efforts of a young man to reunite his parents, after they had been divorced for a dozen years, and the results of his romantic quest.

A Christmas story by Alice Duer Miller, "The Burglar and the Blizzard," will be one of the November publications of the Hearst International Library Company. It is illustrated by Charlotte Harding.

A volume on civic protection for young people will presently be published by the Macmillan Company. It is called "Safeguards for City Youth at Work and at Play," and is by Louise de Koven Bowen, with a preface by Jane Addams. The author has been connected with various organizations for the care of children in Chicago, and in the book she gives a survey of her experience with suggestions for improvement.

BOOKS WORTH READING

HERBERT WILLIAM CONN, Professor of Biology in Wesleyan University, gives what he calls the other side of eugenics in his book entitled "Social Heredity and Social Evolution." The author disavows any desire to discourage "agitation for a better inheritance by the best possible control of marriage," but he thinks the eugenicists are overlooking an influence which weighs more heavily in determining human progress than the laws of inheritance on which eugenics is based. He deals with this influence in his book, concerning which he remarks in his preface:

It is the purpose of this book to show that the laws of the evolution of animals and plants apply to human evolution only up to a certain point, beyond which man has been under distinct laws of his own. It is our purpose to show that while the human animal may doubtless have been developed under the laws which have brought about the evolution of the rest of the living world, the human mind has been developed under the influence of a new set of forces which have had little or no influence in developing the animal kingdom.

The new set of forces to which Prof. Conn refers he calls "social heredity," and it acts, he says, with practical independence of the laws to which the eugenicists are directing attention. (Abingdon Press. \$1.50.)

The edition of Chaucer's works in modern but well-written and appropriate prose, by John S. P. Tatlock and Percy Mackaye, which first appeared two years ago, is put forth in a new edition, and deserves a word or two of new comment. "The Complete Works of Geoffrey Chaucer, Now First Put into Modern English," (Macmillan), is nearly complete enough first, justifying its title, except in the view of a very few students of English literature who demand all or none. One or two short poems the authenticity of which is doubted are omitted, as well as the translation of "Le Roman de la Rose," not all of which is Chaucer's, if he did any of it. Prose translations of small consequence to the student of Chaucer as a Younger of English literature are omitted also, while "The Tale of Melibee" and the "Parson's Tale" are abridged for other good reasons. But there is practically all of Chaucer here, and it is presented in a very attractive way, which will suit the general reader if not the philologist. Commendation that storehouse of romance, "The Canterbury Tales," is not called for. It is all here, and in the best of print, with illustrations that suffice. The minor poems follow, and the "Troilus and Criseyde" has its place in the volume. There is an informing sketch of the poet, together with a glossary and notes. Naturally, the glossary is brief. An attractive title for this book would be "Chaucer Without a Glossary."

An anthology for campers and for all others who love the world's wildernesses is published in a little volume entitled "The Gypsy Trail." The compilation is the work of Mary D. Hopkins and Pauline Goldmark, and they have taken their selections from the poets of all the ages, from the time of Euripides to the present day. For the most part the chosen verses are in English, but there are some German.

French, and Latin quotations. The collection is under sub-titles: "The Call of the Open," "The Joy of the Road," "Inland Waters," "The Sea," "The Hills," "Evening," "Autumn," and so on. (Mitchell Kennerly. \$1.50.)

A study of conditions surrounding New York girls of the working class, of ages ranging from 14 to 18 years, prepared for the Association of Neighborhood Workers of New York City by Harriet McDowell Daniel, of the Union Settlement, is published in a little book entitled "The Girl and Her Chance." The facts Miss Daniels presents furnish an impressive demonstration that the class to which they relate needs help, and indicate lines along which those who are disposed to respond to the existing needs may profitably direct their activities. (Fleming H. Revell Company.)

In "Hashimura, Toga, Domestic Scientist," Wallace Irwin gives us a new series of sketches about our old and amusing friend, the Japanese kitchen boy and maid-of-all-work. Hashimura holds his own as a comical chronicler of funny experiences. (Hearst International Library Company. 75 cents.)

A volume entitled "How to Cook and Why" has been contributed to Harper's Home Economics Series by Elizabeth Condit and Jessie A. Long, both members of the teaching force of Pratt Institute. It is not a cook book, but a treatise in which the authors set forth in a simple way the scientific principles underlying the provision of good food at the smallest possible cost; it was written, we are told, as a response to the needs of "the girl of high school age and the average housekeeper." (Harper & Brothers. \$1.)

An admirable course of instruction for those who wish to write well is provided in "A Guide to Good English," a textbook and a work of reference prepared by Robert Palfrey Utter, Associate Professor of English in Amherst College. The author has had large experience as writer, editor and teacher, and through it he has learned what the aspiring but unpracticed writer is apt to need in the way of instruction; he responds to the need with notable directness and lucidity. (Harper & Brothers. \$1.20.)

The first installment of a history of the European war which The London Times will print and publish in pamphlet form contains a preface setting forth the plan and purpose of the scheme, a chapter recounting the political antecedents which led up to the war and another dealing with the German Army and German strategy. Both of these latter are written, of course, from the English point of view, but the former gives an excellent résumé and interpretation, from that viewpoint, of German home and international policies from the beginning of the present Kaiser's reign, while the second chapter describes the organization of the German Army, the means by which it had been brought to the state of readiness with which it entered upon the war, and the German plans for the early part of the campaign. The pamphlet is fully illustrated, with portraits and views and has several maps. Subsequent issues to appear weekly will carry on the story of the war as it develops.

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THERE was never greater variety in any one volume of miscellaneous tales than in "The Diamond Story Book," the contents selected and edited by Penhryn W. Coussens, (Duffield & Co., \$1.50). The folklore and fairy tales of many countries have been studied, literature has been searched, and the lives of heroes and saints have been put into new form to make 415 pages of interesting reading matter. There are illustrations in color by Ethel Greene. The young people who like wonder tales will be delighted to find all this new material and old matter in a strange dress. "Stories from Northern Mythology," which tell of Thor and Odin, Siegfried and Brunhilda, and the mighty heroes of the north peoples commence with a chapter on "How All Things Began," and finishes with "The Twilight of the Gods." It is by Emilie Kip Baker, (Macmillan Company, \$1.25, illustrated). Very interesting is "The Romance of Piracy," (Lippincott, \$1.50, illustrated). It is a history of pirates or sea robbers from the very earliest days. It tells of the Vikings, of the Arabs, Turkish, and Chinese pirates, and there is also the true history of Capt. Kidd. Brought out by the same publishers is another exciting book of adventures, also true, "Adventures of Missionary Explorers," by R. A. M. Ibbotson, (G. P., \$1.00), a book of tales for children. "The Great Ball on Which We Live," by Charles R. Gibson, and by the same writer "Our Good Slave Electricity," (\$1 each). A practical, helpful book, with many illustrations and diagrams in the text, is "Harper's Everyday Electricity," Don Cameron Shafer, (Harper's, \$1).

The name shows that there was something warm about Christopher Beck's "The Crimson Aeroplane," (Lippincott, \$1). It is "hot stuff" as the boys say, and as early as the second chapter the adventures begin and a man clinging to a reef in a raging sea is saved by a clever boy with the aeroplane, who swings a rope to him, carries him off, and drops him in a hay field. That is only a beginning.

"The Boy Emigrants," by Noah Brooks, a new edition of an old book, (Scriner's, \$2), is a real study of life on the plains in the boy's words, more carefully written and of more real interest than many boys' books. It is a story of two boys from a large family, who find that there are too many of them at home; their own words, as Barnard says, "the pie won't go round," and the book gives the history of travel by emigrant train to the West in search of gold. The really beautiful colored illustrations are by H. T. Dunn. A book which gives a summary of its contents in its title is "Buffalo Bill and the Overland Trail, Being the Story of How Boy and Man Worked Hard and Played Hard to Blaze the White Trail," by Waggoner, (Lothrop, Lee & Shepard, \$1.25). There is a chronology table at the beginning of the book giving an outline of the life of William Frederick Cody, Buffalo Bill. Two English stories by the same publishers, thick volumes with colored illustrations, are "Ian Hardy, Naval Cadet," and "Ian Hardy, Midshipman," by Commander E. H. Curry, R. N., (\$1.50 each). Also from the Lippincott's is an exciting Canadian tale, with adventure-telling pictures, "Gilderoy's Tenderfoot, a Story of Redskin and Prairie," by Robert Leighton, and "A Hero of the Mutiny," an East Indian story by Ecott Lynn, colored illustrations, (each book \$1.50). A couple of typical American books are "Bert Wilson in the Rockies" and "Bert Wilson on the Gridiron," by J. W. Duffield, (Sully & Kleinteich, 60 cents each).

"Tell-Me-Why Stories About Animals," by C. E. Claudy, (McBride, Nast & Co., \$1.25), are just what the name implies—they are stories in answer to the questions of the small boy, the questions and answers all in, all telling just what one would like to know. The interesting colored pictures are by Thomas Wren. "A Book of Fairy-Tale Foxes," a small volume, full of small stories of that wily animal the fox, is made up from favorite folklores tales, edited by Clifton Johnson, with clever pictures by Frank A. Mankivell,

(Houghton Mifflin Company, 75 cents.) Two other books of animal stories by Howard R. Garis are "Uncle Wiggly's Automobile" and "Neddie and Beckie Stubtail," (R. F. Fenn & Co., each 40 cents.) Uncle Wiggly is a wise old rabbit and Neddie and Beckie are little bears, the children of the big bears, Mr. and Mrs. Stubtail. Beckie's dolly is named Isabella. Trolleycar Jambo is there are colored pictures. "The Bugaboo Men," by Louise Rand Badcom, are funny creatures, like nothing one ever saw before, grayer, all white on gray-colored pages of the book, with a rhyme opposite each picture. (Sully & Kleinteich, \$1.)

Older girls will be delighted with "Little Women Letters from the House of Alcott," a book compiled by Jessie Bonstelle and Marian de Forest, (Little, Brown & Co., \$1.25). While it is said to be for older people who read and loved "Little Women," it is also of Louisa M. Alcott's books it will also delight the girls of today. It gives an insight into the home life of the Alcotts and the "little women" through the letters written to the children, familiar of some of them given, and gay and improving rhymes to celebrate birthdays and other special occasions. There are pictures, the Alcotts homestead at Concord, Mass., and portraits.

"Talks to Freshman Girls," by Helen Dawes Brown, (Houghton Mifflin Company, 75 cents), is a small book of small essays which will give the girls for interest of their own. "Imagina," by Julia Ellsworth Ford, with delightful illustrations in color and black and white by Arthur Rackham and Lauren Ford, is as one may guess, an imaginative tale. A lonely boy, artist and poet, with the heart of artist and poet, tells the story, his story. Imagina is a beautiful vision of the boy's dreams, but a goal to him in the flesh later, a girl, a maiden with red gold hair. A sweet little story of a small English-German girl who visits her uncle in Germany is "Peep-in-the-World," by F. E. Crichton, (Longmans, Green & Co.). There is a pleasing fairy tale atmosphere that is to be found in many German books.

"The Universe and the Mayonnaise," by T. Brailsford Robertson, (John Lane Company, \$1.25), is a book of short science stories, with black and white marvellous sketches and full-page colored pictures. A good girls' book is "Fairmount's Quartette," by Elita Anthony Baker, (Little, Brown & Co., \$1.30). It is the fourth book in the series telling of lively but purposeful girls and their friends. A college story is "Jean Cabot in Cap and Gown," by Gertrude Fisher Scott, (Lothrop, Lee & Shepard, \$1).

An unusual and interesting book, with many colored illustrations, is "Legends and Stories of Italy," by Amy Stedman, (Putnam). There is a religious significance to the legends, as there is to "A Knight of the Cross," by Lawrence B. Saint, (Jacobs, \$1.50). This is a modern "Pilgrim's Progress." There are a number of colored illustrations. There are many colored pictures, too, illustrating "In Fairyland, Tales Told Again," by Louie Chisholm, (Putnam). These are the old familiar stories, but retold as a mother puts them into familiar language for her own little people.

"Lost in the Fur Country," by Di Lang, is an interesting tale of early Indian days. Twins, a boy and a girl, are stolen and brought up in different Indian camps. The boy finally discovers his sister and together they return to their white parents. In the meantime they have learned to love the Indian parents of their adoption. (Lothrop, Lee & Shepard, \$1.) "The Treasure Finders" is the history of the discovery of four countries, including Columbus and America, by Oliver O'Connell, (Duffield & Co., \$1.25). The pictures are old-time illustrations. "Lefty of the Bush" is a lively baseball story by Burt L. Standish, (Barre & Hopkins, 90 cents.) "Ned Brewster's Caribou Hunt," by Chautney J. Hawkins, (Little, Brown & Co., \$1.20), is a name which tells the story of the book. The pictures are all from photographs in the caribou country.

American Biographies

Two interesting volumes have been added to the series known as the American Crisis Biographies. One of the volumes contains a narrative and critical survey of the life of Daniel Webster, written by Frederick Austin Ogg, Professor of History in Simmons College, Boston; in the other volume an account is given by Colyer Meriwether of the career of Raphael Semmes, the famous privateer and commerce destroyer, who commanded the Confederate cruiser Sumter and Alabama. Both these books are well and fairly written. (Philadelphia: George W. Jacobs & Co., \$1.25 per volume.)

RUSSIAN MUSIC

Two Histories of a Subject of
Increasing Interest

THE RUSSIAN OPERA. By Rosa Newmarch. New York: F. Dutton & Co., \$1.75.
A HISTORY OF RUSSIAN MUSIC. By Mr. Montagu Nathan. New York: Charles Scribner's Sons.

BOTH these books owe their appearance this year no doubt to the extraordinary interest that has been taken in the Russian opera company in London and Paris in the last two seasons. Nothing quite like the excitement that filled the Drury Lane Theatre in London night after night had been witnessed in the recent history of that venerable temple of dramatic art over productions of a sort of music that a few years, or, perhaps, as it seems, a few months ago, would have outraged the ears and horrified the souls of even the most cosmopolitan of London audiences. Part of this was due, no doubt, to the extraordinary power and vividness of the performances given by the Russian singers and pantomimists, but there was something in the disclosure of the unfamiliar music of the newest, as well as a somewhat older school of composers, that set and possessed the listeners' souls. What it was may be divined by those who heard "Boris Godunoff" in New York.

Mrs. Newmarch's thoroughly competent presentation of the history of this operatic music is, therefore, welcome. She has long been known as one of the musical writers in English most familiar with the subject at first hand, and her previous books have acquired authority. There has been a good deal written about the work of the modern Russian school of music, but the earliest beginnings and the latest developments of that school have received much less consideration. Mrs. Newmarch confines herself to the operatic literature, but her study takes her back to the dawn of music in Russia, to the music of the primitive Slavs, the "gleemen," the Biblical plays, the early ballet, and the first public theatre in Russia in 1705. The first Russian operas were for the most part echoes of contemporary Italian art, and, indeed, were mostly composed by imported Italian musicians. There seems to be some uncertainty as to the first Russian national opera, but before the end of the eighteenth century numerous operas had been produced by native Russians. It is inter-

esting to find one of them, by Pouchin, called "The Americans," the Americans being red Indians. In many of these operas native folk songs were used, but they were crowded out by the increasing cosmopolitanism of Russian society till Glinka came to sound the national note more clearly and to establish the real starting point of the Russian school of later times.

There are chapters there on Dargomysky, Rubinstein, Balakireff, and his circle of the "five" so often spoken of, besides himself, Moussorgsky, Borodin, Cui, and Rimsky Korsakoff—and of these there are many interesting personal details given. There is a chapter, of course, on Tchaikowsky, and the more recent and most recent composers, as well as the leading operatic artists of the present time, receive attention. Mrs. Newmarch's plan includes the analysis and description of the most important operatic works of the Russian school. Her book on the whole affords a valuable addition to our knowledge of a musical development that has been described rather fragmentarily hitherto.

Mr. Montagu Nathan undertook at about the same time to fill the same gap, but his book does not enter into a study of the earlier period. He begins with Glinka and his immediate predecessors and traverses from this period much the same ground as Mrs. Newmarch, but he writes with something less of authority, with a less confidence in the use of original sources, and with apparently the necessity of resorting to translations and other second-hand information that Mrs. Newmarch has no need of. Mr. Montagu Nathan notes as one of the developments since Rimsky Korsakoff a "decline of nationalism" in Russian music. Glazounoff, Ljadoff, Liapounoff, Arensky, his pupils and friends, all show a neglect of the native element in their works, and it may also be said that none of them are first-class men. As for Tchaikowsky, the author will not allow his music a trace of nationalism nor the composer a high and lasting place. He did use folk tunes, but in the western tradition his music "reflects hardly anything more than his own very distinct personality—a personality lacking in more than one characteristic attribute of the Russian."

The latest product of the Russian school, Stravinsky, Mr. Montagu Nathan considers to be one who shows "how a national manner may pass from the primitive to the secondary stage" without hampering the composer's development or inspiration. Scriabin and some of the less prominent of the composers, with Stravinsky, bring the book to a close. There is an appendix containing a series of short notices of composers not dealt with in the rest of the book.

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ANSWERS BY THE EDITOR

R. F. K.—Can you tell me something of the life and position of a poet of Alfred Noyes? I, as reported, he is to occupy a chair in one of our colleges. A list of his poems, etc.

Alfred Noyes was born in Staffordshire, England, Sept. 18, 1860. In 1885 he married Gertrude, youngest daughter of the late Col. B. J. Dunsen, United States Army. He was educated at Oxford. In 1913 he gave the Lowell Lectures in America on "The Sea in English Poetry." He has contributed poems and criticism to various periodicals. His publications are: "Lays of the Poets" (1902); "The Flower of Old Japan" (in tale in verse) 1903; "Poems," 1904; "The Forest of Wild Thyme," 1905; "Drake" (in English epic) 1906; "Forty Singing Seamen," 1907; "The Magic Casement and Minstrelsy of the Scottish Border" (editor) 1908; "The Enchanted Island and Other Poems," 1909; "Collective Poems," two volumes, 1910; five volumes in America, with additional poems; "William Morris" (English Men of Letters) 1908; "Robin Hood," 1912; "Tales of the Marmalade Tavern," 1913; "The Wine Press" (in tale in verse) 1914; "The Sea in English Poetry" (essays) 1912; "A Tale of Old Japan," set to music as a cantata by Coleridge-Taylor and performed by the Royal Choral Society in 1912 and 1913. His recreations are rowing and swimming. He ranks high among English living poets. We have not room for a "list of his poems, etc." He was elected a member of Princeton Faculty in April, 1914, and is to deliver lectures at that university each year on modern English literature.

HELEN S. MEYERSON.—Can you tell me about Margaret G. Hays and any information about where I can find her poems pertaining to juvenile life? Mrs. Hays's books have been published by F. S. Stokes Company, New York; J. B. Lippincott, Philadelphia, and G. W. Jacobs & Co., Philadelphia.

MARY P. COWLER.—Will you kindly tell me what poem of Tennyson's has this line in it: "Follow the gleam."

The poem is called "Martin and the Gleam."

THOMAS WELLS.—I am trying to locate a poem by Emily Brontë, "The Linnet in the Rocky Delta." I would appreciate any assistance you might render in finding the same.

The song asked for by our correspondent is printed in Stedman's "Victorian Anthology" and also in Stevenson's "House Book of Verse."

Mrs. L. C. EDMONDSON.—Please let me know where I can purchase a book called "Our Daily Paths," written by F. S. Arthur and published more than forty years ago, in the studies. He also edited T. S. Arthur's Magazine. I think he was a Congregational minister.

The book is out of print. A copy might be obtained by advertising for it, or in

a second-hand book shop. These out-of-print books turn up from time to time at auction sales.

J. M. WOOD.—Can you tell me where I can find the poem "The Child in the Judgment Seat." The last verse is all that I can remember. It runs thus:

"Go make thy garden fair as thou canst. And never thou shalt be alone; And perhaps the one that is next to thee."

May we see it and mend his own? The author of the poem asked for above is Elizabeth R. Charles. It is printed in Best Selections No. 8, published by the Penn Publishing Company of Philadelphia, and also in Lincoln Literary Collection, published by the American Book Company, New York.

H. C. F.—Can you tell me where to find the words of the Christmas poem, "Anne and Willie's Prayer"?

The poem is printed in "Practical Public Speaking," by Prof. S. H. Clark of the University of Chicago, and F. M. Blanchard, which is published by Charles Scribner's Sons, New York, and in several other collections of verse.

ANSWERS FROM READERS

JOHN H. BAXTER.—The poem asked for by "H. C. F." in the Aug. 9 number of *This Times Book Review* is entitled "Cleopatra's Dream," and was written by Thomas S. Collier. It is as follows:

Stalks the sun below the desert,
Golden glows the sluggish Nile,
Purple flames the sunset and the
Lights up every ancient pile.
Where the old gods now are sleeping:
Jeha and Cleopatra greet me;
Guard me, help me, give me courage
Like a Queen to meet my fate.

"I am dying, Egypt, dying."
Set the best of thy army marching
I will cheat him of his glory.
Though beyond the stars I roam;
Shall he drag this beauty with him?
While the crowd his triumph cheer?
Jeha and Cleopatra greet me;
Guard me, help me, give me courage
Like a Queen to meet my fate.

Though he hold the golden scepter,
Rule the Pharaoh's sunny land,
Where old Nile rolls resistless
Through the swamps of slivery sand.
He shall never say I met him
Fawning, abject, like a slave;
I will foil him, though to do it
I must cross the skylike waves.

Oh, my hero, sleeping, sleeping—
Shall I meet you on the shore
Of Phutian shadow? Shall we
In death meet and love once more?
See follow in your footstep
Scorn the Caesar in his might;
For your love will be both
Into realms of death and night.

Down below the desert sinking,
Fades Apollo's brilliant car;
And from out the distant east
Breaks the bright gleam of a star.
Venus, Queen of Love and Beauty,
Welcome, Venus, bring me
Dying, free, proud, and triumphant,
The last sovereign of my race.

Dying, dying! I am coming.
Oh, my hero, to your arms
You will welcome me, I know it
Guard me from all rude alarm.
Hear! I hear the legion coming
Hear the cry of triumph swell,
But proud Caesar, dead I scorn you,
Egypt, Antony, farewell.

Answers to this appeal were also received from F. C. Brennan, New York, and Lawrence, Kingston, N. Y.

W. L. C.—The poem asked for by Ellen T. Walker in the Sept. 13 issue is "Dreamers of Dreams," by William Herbert Carruth, and is contained in a small volume of Prof. Carruth's poems, "Each in His Own Tongue, and Other Poems," published by G. F. Putnam's Sons, New York.

JOHN R. DRIBCOLL.—The first poem included about by "H. C. F." in your issue of July 12 is an anonymous one which appeared in the *Philadelphia Record*, published by Cowperthwait & Co., Philadelphia, Penn., forty years ago. The poem follows:

BRING BACK MY FLOWERS.
A child sat by a limpid stream,
And gazed upon the tide beneath;
Upon her cheek was joy's bright beam,
And on her brow a blooming wreath.
Her lap was filled with fragrant flowers.

And, as the clear brook babbled by,
She scattered down the rosy showers.
With many a wild and joyous cry,
And laughed to see the mingling tide.
Upon its onward progress glide.

And time flew on, and flower by flower
Was cast upon the many stream.
But when the shades of eve did lower,
She woke up from her blissful dream.
—Bring back my flowers! she wildly cried;

—Bring back the flowers I flung to thee!
But her voice alone replied,
As danced the streamlet down the lee,
And still amid night's gloomy hours
In vain she cried: "Bring back my flowers!"

O maiden, who on time's swift stream
Dost gaily see the moments flee,
In this poor child's delusive dream
An emblem may be found of thee!
Each moment is a perfumed rose,
Into thy hand by mercy given.

That thou its fragrance might dispose
And let its bloom rise to heaven;
Else when death's shadow e'er thee lowers,
Thy heart will well, —Bring back my flowers!

A. R.—In reply to F. W. Carruth's query in your issue of Aug. 9, I would say that the lines he quotes are to be found in "Songs from an Italian Garden," by A. Mary F. Robinson, London, reprinted in *The Biscuit*, August, 1908, published by Mowbray & Portman.

I give below the third verse of the poem, by Mowbray & Portman:

Love is a bird that breaks his voice with
Singing.
Love is a rose blown open on its stalk,
Love is a bee that dies of its own stinging.

And love the time that comes upon a pall,
Love is the dream toward a quickness
Bringing
Enchanted fishermen that bear his
Call;

Love is broken heart-farewell—the
Singing
Of dying hands. Ah, do not love at all!

A. W. DEKON.—In answer to your correspondent A. D. Douglas, who inquires of J. C. Suck, the novelist, I may say that he lives in Nottingham, England, and spends most of the summer playing cricket at Skegness, on the Lincolnshire coast. For various amateur clubs to which he belongs. At one time, I believe, he was the star of the Nottingham Daily Guardian. His address up to two years ago was West Bridgeford, Nottingham. It may be interesting to know that Sir James Barrie, the novelist and playwright, was another Nottingham player. The *Daily Express*, and that there is a well-known inn, The Iron Kettle, next door to the office, where he used to go for home-brewed beer.

LAWRENCE.—The verses, "To the Vanquished," printed in *This Review* of Sept. 6, were written by George H.

Breadhurst and published in *Memories* for November, 1908.

ALICE M. CATHCART.—In reply to M. A. F. who in your issue of Sept. 27, wishes to know the author of the line:

It were better to sit and to spin on a stone
The whole year thry with a babe at the knee
With its brown hands reaching ceaselessly
Than to sit in a girdle of gold and alone.

would say that the author is Joaquin Miller and the lines can be found in his poem, "Tales of the Amazona," Part IV.

ROBERT BARBOUR.—The poem about which Jean Ship inquired in your issue of Oct. 11, is complete as it stands. But in my copy, the fourth line reads: "The lion stands by his shore alone." The poem appeared in *The Spectator* under the title, "Quid Leone Fortius," anonymously, and was reprinted in the *Evening Post* for June 1, 1908.

APPEALS TO READERS

E. G. SPERRY.—Can any of your readers tell me the name of the author of a novel which I read within the past year and which I believe was written comparatively recently? The story deals with a Hudson Bay settlement in the Canadian woods and the heroine is accused by the factor of stealing the records of the settlement. She is imprisoned by the factor, but eventually released, and finally, after an attack on the settlement by the Indians and various other adventures, she marries him. Also, can some reader give me the name of the hymn in which the following lines occur:

And the tears of the sower
And the song of the reaper
Shall mingle together in joy by and by.

SIMON GOLDSTEIN.—I recall a recitation descriptive of gruesome preparations made by a would-be suicide, which ends up humorously in that the self-murderer was only getting ready to shave. I remember having seen it in an old number of *Harper's Magazine*. But forget the date. Can any of your readers furnish me with a copy or direct me to its whereabouts?

J. R. BLACKMORE.—Will some reader kindly give the title of the poem from which the following lines are taken, and the name of the author?

There is nothing here on earth deserves
Half of the thought we waste about it.
And thinking but destroys the nerve.
When we could do so well without it.
So never sigh when you can sit.
But laugh like me at everything.

WILLIAM C. EDWARDS.—Can any of your readers tell me the author and title of a book which has this unique and prophetic dedication? It was published about thirty years ago, I think.

To R. T. Bush, whose vision kept
Saw through the maddening
And read in Europe's checkered some
The proper tone and shading.
While the old world's horrors
Saw blinding desolation.
And in the new world's brighter hope
The rescue of the nation.

Who, are this book began.
Was the first to indicate it—
Be his the pleasure or the pain—
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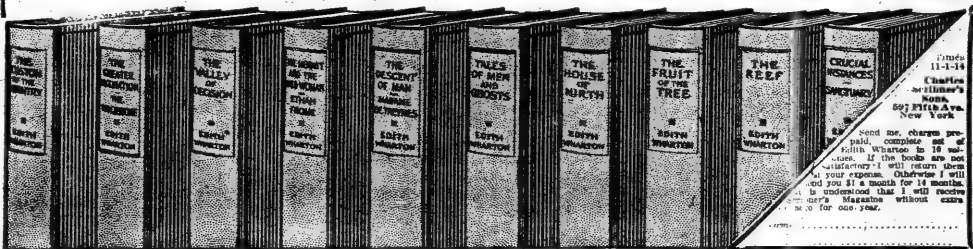
Over in Earle right now—a woman sits in a little room stitching, stitching—hour upon hour—day after day. She is Edith Wharton, American citizen, writer of books, society woman and traveler.

With her in this little room sit other women—also stitching, stitching, as the hours slip by. They are the sewing women of the great French dressmakers who have been thrown out of work by the war.

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SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 1914.

DR. VON MACH PRESENTS GERMANY'S CASE
BEFORE THE "SUPREME COURT OF CIVILIZATION"

Harvard Professor and Author of "What Germany Wants" Replies to James M. Beck's Article in Last Sunday's Times, Carefully Analyzing the Evidence in the "White" and "Orange" Papers.

By Edmund von Mach.

HON. JAMES M. BECK has eloquently argued the case of the Allies against Germany and Austria-Hungary, and submitted his findings with confident assurance of their acceptance by the Supreme Court of Civilization. Carried away by his zeal he has at times used terms not warranted by the evidence, such as "the irrepressible Kaiser," "stupid falsehood," "duplicité," and the like, but since the court can be trusted to disregard such expressions no further attention will be paid to them.

To a certain extent this article is not a reply but a continuation of Mr. Beck's argument, for wherever our personal sympathies may lie, we are all equally interested in discovering the truth. In the final settlement of peace American public opinion may, will, have a prominent voice. If it is exerted on the strength of a true understanding of European events, it will contribute to the establishment of a lasting peace.

As to the evidence submitted Mr. Beck seems to err in believing that Governments are accustomed to publish in their various white, gray, or orange papers "the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth." This is nowhere done, for there are many bits of information which come to a Government through its diplomatic connections which it would be indelicate, discourteous, or unwise to give to the public. The official documents on American foreign relations are "edited." They are understood to be so by Congress, Parliament, the Reichstag, the Duma, &c., and no charge of dishonesty can be maintained against the respective Governments on that score.

If the Chancellor says that Germany was using her good offices in Vienna, this is as valuable a bit of evidence as the reprint of a dispatch in the "White Paper" unless we wish to impugn her veracity, and in that case the copy of a dispatch would be valueless, for he might have forged it. The entire argument, therefore, against Germany and Austria, based on what Mr. Beck calls the "suppression of vitally important documents," is void, unless you will apply it equally to Great Britain and the other countries.

In Sir Edward Grey's "White Paper" Mr. Beck has missed no important documents because he looked at England's well-prepared case through sympathetic eyes, and it did not occur to him to ask, "Where are all the documents bearing on Italian neutrality?" Does he believe that England was so little interested in the question whether she would have to fight two or three foes, and whether her way to Egypt and India would be safe or threatened? There are many dispatches to and from Rome included in the "White Paper," but not a mention of Italy's position.

The first paper contains a letter to the British Ambassador in Berlin concerning the Austro-Serbian relations. Is it not probable that Sir Edward Grey's attention was called to this question by his Ambassador in Vienna? Where is his letter? Or if Sir Edward thought of it himself, why did he not mention his conversation also to Sir M. de Bunsen in Vienna? Where is this note? Are we to assume that Sir M. de Bunsen made his first report on July 23, although Sir Edward Goeben in Berlin had an interesting report to make a day earlier?

We can thus go through the whole British "White Paper" and discover the omission of many interesting documents.

No. 38 is a letter from Sir Rennell Rodd in Rome, dated July 23 and received on July 27. He had no doubt sent also a telegram. What did it contain, and why was it not published under the date of its arrival instead of the letter which had been delayed in transit?

Where Is No. 28?

In No. 20 Sir Edward Grey refers in a telegram to Sir R. Rodd to what "I had said to the German Ambassador." Such a reference could have a meaning for Sir R. Rodd only, if he had been informed of this conversation. There is no dispatch printed in the "White Paper" containing this information. Possibly it was so entwined with other instructions, which Sir Edward Grey did not care to have known, that it could not be published. Was it perhaps sent to the printer first as No. 28, and removed at the last moment when it was too late to change the subsequent numbers? Or if this assumption is wrong, what was printed originally as No. 28? Where is No. 28? There are other omissions, and one especially noteworthy one between Nos. 80 and 106 which will be discussed later.

Viewed in this light the English "White Paper" loses much of the value of a complete record, which it has had in the eyes of many. There is absolutely no reason to doubt the accuracy of those dispatches which have been printed, but it becomes incumbent upon the searcher after the truth to inquire whether the existence of unprinted (in the case of the German "White Paper" Mr. Beck used the term "suppressed") papers may not at times alter the interpretation which should be given to those that are printed.

anywhere concerning the advice given to Italy by the Allies, and the gradual steps leading up to Italy's decision to remain neutral; nor any hint as to the day when her decision was communicated to England and the other powers. It would be futile to speculate on this subject. Since, however, the Queen of Italy and the wife of the Commander in Chief of the Russian forces are sisters, and since it was in the interest of the Allies to keep Italy neutral, it is not unreasonable to assume that an exchange of opinion took place between Italy and the Allies concerning the conditions under which Italy would remain neutral.

If the actual opening of hostilities could be so managed that Germany could be called the aggressor, then Italy probably declared that she would not enter the war. This is a very important phase of the case, and the omission from Sir Edward Grey's "White Paper" of all dispatches dealing with Italian neutrality is much to be regretted.

Since we are dealing with the Italian dispatches here, it may be advisable to consider at once all the communications which are published as having passed between Sir Edward Grey and the British Ambassador, Sir Rennell Rodd, in Rome. They are numbered 19, (perhaps 25), 29, 35, 36, 38, 49, 67, 83, 84, 80, 81, 82, 100, and 106, of which the important numbers are 38, 57, 64, 80, and 82.

On July 23 Sir Edward Grey was informed that the gravity of the situation lay in the conviction of the Austro-Hungarian Government that it was absolutely necessary for its prestige, after the many disillusionings which the turn of events in the Balkans had occasioned, to score a definite success. (No. 38.)

Austria, in other words, believed that to let the murder of her heir-apparent go unpunished would have meant a deathblow to her prestige, and consequently, as any one familiar with her conditions will agree, to her existence. Russia, on the other hand, on July 23 said (see No. 17, report from Sir G. Buchanan) that she could not "allow (note the word) Austria to crush Serbia and become the predominant power in the Balkans, and if she feels secure of the support of France, she will face all the risks of war."

Russian Interference.

These two dispatches to Sir Edward Grey tell the whole story in a nutshell. Austria believed, rightly or wrongly, that it was a question of life or death for her, while Russia claimed the right of preventing Austria from becoming the predominant power in the Balkans, and actually threatened war. Russia did not claim to be concerned with the justice of Austria's demands on Serbia.

No such definite word of Russia's intention was sent to Germany, for on July 28 Sir M. de Bunsen reported Germany's confident belief that "Russia will keep quiet during the chastisement of Serbia." (No. 32.) On the next day Sir Rennell Rodd reports from Rome (No. 57) that the Minister of Foreign Affairs believes that "if Serbia will even now accept it (the Austrian note) Austria will be satisfied" and refrain from a punitive war. He, moreover, believes—and this is very important—that Serbia may be induced to accept the note in its entirety on the advice of the four powers invited to the conference, and this would enable her to say that she had yielded to Europe and not to Austria-Hungary alone.

Since Italy was to be one of the four powers, the Minister's belief was doubtless based on accurate information. There is then as late as July 27 no claim made by Serbia that Austria's demands are unreasonable. She only hints at yielding to Austria alone. Austria, in the meanwhile, (No. 57) repeats her assurance that she demands no territorial sacrifices from Serbia.

On the next day, July 28, Sir Rennell Rodd reports (No. 64) that "Serbia might still accept the whole Austrian note, if some explanation were given regarding move in which Austrian agents would require to intervene." Austria, on her part, had explained that "the cooperation of the Austrian agents in Serbia was to be only in investigation, not in judicial or administrative measures. Serbia was said to have willfully misinterpreted this." (No. 64.)

From these reports it appears that the difference between Austria and Serbia was on the way to a solution. Austria claimed that her demands were just, and Serbia did not deny this. Austria further claimed that her prestige, her very existence, demanded the prompt compliance with her requests by Serbia. She explained in a satisfactory way the one point on which Serbia had taken exceptions, and Serbia was on the point of complying, and would have complied, if the powers had been willing to let her do so. Such a conclusion of the incident would have strengthened Austria's prestige, and assured

the punishment of the murderers of the Serajevo.

The reason why Serbia was not allowed to submit was Russia's remark, quoted above, that she would not "allow" Austria to become the predominant power in the Balkans. It was, therefore, Russia's task to prevent Serbia from accepting Austria's note. Since war was her alternative, baldly stated to England from the first, she had to do three things: first, to secure as many allies as possible, secondly to weaken her enemies, preferably by detaching from them Italy, and thirdly to get as much of a start in her mobilization as possible.

The treaties between Russia, France, and Great Britain, unlike those between Germany, Austria, and Italy, have never been published. Whatever their wording may be, Russia was at first apparently not absolutely sure of the support of France (No. 17), and France, it would seem, was unwilling to tempt fate without the help of England. That England should be willing to join such a combination for such a cause seemed so preposterous to Germany that she did not believe it. Without England no France, without France no war, for alone Russia could not measure herself against Austria. Austria would not have attacked her of her own free will, but if Russia had attacked Austria, the whole world knew from the published treaties that Germany was bound to come to the assistance of Russia. It would have been too easy to wait until Russia had finished her cumbersome mobilization. For even if she had her whole army of many million men to the frontier, Austria and Germany together were strong enough to stem her advance.

Russia's only chance, therefore, when Serbia was on the point of yielding, and Austria had almost re-established her prestige, was to secure the help of France, but this meant also the promise of England.

The demands made on England by Russia, some of which are quoted in the "White Paper," are too well known to deserve repetition. This was the chief thing that counted, to get England's promise. The next was to detach Italy from her allies (but of this there are no documents available), and the third to gain time for her mobilization. All the other suggestions and counter-suggestions, which fill the English "White Paper," are insignificant, as soon as the fundamental positions of Austria and Russia are understood.

Germany has claimed that England promised her support to Russia and France on July 30, or in the night of July 29, and to prove it has published the letter from the Belgian Minister in St. Petersburg to his Minister of Foreign Affairs, printed in translation in The New York Times on Oct. 7. This letter, which has not been officially denied by the Allies, states that the promise of England's support gave the Russian war party the upper hand, and resulted in the order of complete mobilization.

Strangely enough, and doubtless by an oversight, the English "White Paper" contains two dispatches (Nos. 80 and 106) which seem to confirm the accuracy of M. de l'Escaillé's statement, viz., that England promised the Russian-French combination her support.

On July 29 Sir Rennell Rodd wrote to Sir Edward Grey (No. 80) that the Italian Minister of Foreign Affairs had told him "there seemed to be a difficulty in making Germany believe that Russia was in earnest." As Germany, however, was really anxious for good relations with ourselves, if she believed that Great Britain would act with Russia, and France, he thought it would have a great effect. In a later dispatch of the same day (No. 86) he deprecates Russia's partial mobilization, which he fears has spoiled the chances of Germany's exerting any pressure on Austria.

Germany Renews Efforts.

But on the next day, July 30, these remarkable words occur: "He (the Italian Minister) had reason to believe that Germany was now disposed to give more conciliatory advice to Austria, as she seemed convinced that we should act with France and Russia, and was most anxious to avoid issue with us." (No. 106.)

Readers of the "White Paper" will look in vain for an explanation of such a change of heart on Germany's part. What does "now" mean in the last letter? And why does Germany seem "convinced" that England will act with Russia—if not that she has heard of the promise mentioned by M. de l'Escaillé, as given early on July 30 or late the 29th? The dates agree, and unless Sir Edward Grey publishes further papers to explain the change that had taken place between July 29 and July 30, one seems forced to accept this explanation.

What is Germany's attitude? Does she rush into war? Not at all, for she is "most anxious to avoid issue" with England (No. 106). Germany knew that Russia had begun to mobilize. Every day, every hour counted, for

against the masses of Russia she had only her greater speed to match. She knew that England had gone over to Russia, although she was probably hoping that the alliance between the Saxon and the Slav was not yet irrefragable. Still, the prospects were dark. But in spite of this the efforts were renewed to see what could be done in Vienna.

The famous exchange of telegrams between royalty began in the evening of July 29, and here it is wise to halt for a moment. On July 30 the Czar telegraphed to the Emperor in reply to the Emperor's expression of regret that Russia should be mobilizing, as follows: "The military measures in force now were decreed five days ago." That is, according to the Czar, the Russian mobilization had begun on July 25. On July 27, however, the Russian Minister of War, M. Suchomlinov, had declared to the German Military Attaché "on his word of honor" that no mobilization order had been issued. July 25, however, it will be remembered was the day on which Sir G. Buchanan had reported from St. Petersburg that Russia will "face all the risks of war" if she can feel sure of the support of France.

On July 31, Russia mobilized her entire army, which led to Germany's ultimatum that Russia demobilize within twelve hours. No reply was received to the request, and orders for the mobilization of the German Army were issued at 5:15 P. M. Aug. 1, after the German Ambassador in St. Petersburg had been instructed to declare that owing to the continued mobilization of the Russian Army, a state of war existed between the two countries.

Kaiser Tried to Keep Peace.

In order to understand this step one should read the book "La France Victorieuse dans la Guerre de Drame" (France Victorious in the Next War), by Col. Arthur Boucher, published in 1911. Col. Boucher has stated the case baldly and so simply that every one can understand it. His substance is this: "Alone France has no chance, but if, together with Russia she will win against Germany. Suppose the three countries are beginning mobilization on the same day. Germany finishes first, France second, and Russia last. Germany must leave some of her troops on her Eastern frontier, the rest she throws against France. All France has to do is to hold them for a few days. (Col. Boucher mentions the exact number of days. This book is not at hand, and the writer prefers not to quote from memory.) Then Russia comes into play, more German troops will be needed in the East, the French proceed to an attack on their weakened enemy, and La France sera victorieuse."

Everything hinges on just a couple of days or so. A couple of days! And how much of a start had Russia? She had begun on July 25; on July 27 definite news of the Russian mobilization was reported in Berlin, although the Minister of War denied it "on his honor." On July 30, England was understood to have promised her support to Russia, and the Czar acknowledged that Russia had been mobilizing for the past five days. Five days! And Col. Boucher, expressing the opinion of military experts, had counted on victory on a much smaller margin!

Do the Judges of the Supreme Court of Civilization realize the almost superhuman efforts in the interest of peace made by the German Emperor? Russia has a start of five days, and on July 31 a start of six days. Can we not hear all the military leaders imploring the Emperor not to hesitate any longer? But in the interest of peace the Emperor delays. He has kept the peace for Germany through the almost thirty years of his reign. He prays to his God, in whom he has placed his trust through all his upright life with a fervor which has often brought him ridicule. Also, he still believes in England, and hopes through her efforts to be able to keep the peace. He waits another day. A start of seven days for Russia! The odds against Germany have grown tremendously. At last he orders mobilization. For a longer delay he would not have been able to answer to his country. As it is, there are many people who blame him severely for having waited so long.

But William II. was right, for when the world will begin to realize the agencies through which he must have passed during these days of waiting, and the sacrifices he made in his effort to preserve peace, it will judge Germany rightly, and call the Emperor the great prince of peace that he is.

But, it has been said, why did he not avoid war, either by forcing Austria to yield to Russia, or if she refused, by withdrawing from her? In common with the whole of Germany, he probably felt that Austria's position was right. Serbia herself, as has been seen above, did not claim that she was unfairly treated, what

ever outsiders thought of Austria's demands, and Austria was fully justified by past events in believing that it was with her a question of life and death. Should Germany sacrifice her faithful friend under such circumstances, and for what? For the arrogance of Russia, who would not "allow" her to re-establish her prestige in a righteous cause? The word "righteous" is used advisedly, because in the early stages of the controversy nobody, not even Russia, nor Serbia herself, denied the justice of Austria's demands. The writer is informed that even the liberal English press found no fault with the course taken by Austria, although it commented adversely on the language used in the note.

What would have been the result of peace bought by Germany at such a cost? It would have alienated her only faithful friend without laying the foundations for a lasting friendship with her opponents. This at least was Germany's honest belief. She may have been wrong. History more probably will call her right. To desert Austria might have postponed the war, but when it would have come Germany would have stood alone, and, worse, she would have lost her self-respect.

This claim may sound strange in the ears of those who have just witnessed and will never forget the suffering of that beautiful little country, Belgium. They hold that since Germany invaded Belgium, it is Germany who broke a treaty and who is to blame.

Mr. Beck considers this to be so self-evident that he deems it unnecessary to advance any proof. He quotes the Chancellor's speech, and, moving for a quick verdict, declares his motion of guilty carried. The matter, however, is not quite so simple for the man who is seeking for the whole truth. Let us look at the facts.

Belgium was a neutral country, just as any country has the right to declare itself neutral, with this difference: that in 1839 she had promised to five powers, Great Britain, France, Russia, Austria, and Prussia, that she would remain perpetually neutral. These five powers in their turn had promised to guarantee her neutrality. She was, however, a sovereign State, and as such had the undoubted right to cease being neutral whenever she chose by abrogating the treaty of 1839. If the other great contracting parties did not agree with her, it was their right to try to coerce Belgium to keep to her pledges, although this would undoubtedly have been an infringement of her sovereignty.

The Treaty of 1839 was a treaty, just like the Treaty of 1871, with this difference, that the latter treaty was concluded between two powers, and the earlier one between five powers on one side and Belgium and Holland on the other. This gave certain rights to all the signatory powers, any one of whom had the right to feel itself sufficiently aggrieved to go to war if any other power disregarded the treaty.

Rights of Neutrals.

There was once another neutral State, the city and district of Cracow, also established by a treaty to which Great Britain was a signatory. Three of the signers considered the conditions developing in Cracow to be so threatening that they abolished Cracow as an independent State. Great Britain sent a polite note of protest, and dropped the matter.

Since that time, however, two Hague conferences have been held and certain rights agreed upon concerning the rights and duties of neutrals. The Belgian status of inviolability rests on these rules, called the conventions, rather than on the Treaty of 1839. During the Franco-Prussian war of 1870 Mr. Gladstone very clearly stated that he did not consider the Treaty of 1839 enforceable. Great Britain, therefore, made two new treaties, one with France and one with Prussia (quoted and discussed in Boston Evening Transcript, Oct. 14, 1914) in which she promised to defend Belgian neutrality, by the side of either France or Prussia, against one of them who should infringe the neutrality.

These treaties were to terminate one year after peace had been concluded between the contestants. A treaty, like the one of 1839, however, which was considered unenforceable in 1870, can hardly be claimed to have gained new rights in 1914. In calm moments nobody will claim that a greater sanctity attaches to it than to the treaty in which Alsace and Lorraine are ceded forever to Germany.

No, it is the Hague conventions to

which we must look. The first convention (1864) contained no rules forbidding belligerents from entering neutral territory. In the second conference it was thought desirable to formulate such rules, because it was felt that in war belligerents are at liberty to do what is not expressly forbidden. At the request of France, therefore, a new set of rules was suggested, to which Great Britain and Belgium offered valuable amendments. The rules were finally accepted, and are today parts of international law. They read: "Article I. The territory of neutral powers is inviolable. Article II. Belligerents are forbidden to move troops or convoys of either munitions of war or supplies across the territory of a neutral power."

These articles, together with the whole convention called "Rights and duties of neutral powers and persons in case of war on land," have been ratified and therefore accepted as law by the United States of America, Austria, Belgium, France, Germany, Japan and Russia, and other minor powers. Great Britain experienced a change of heart, and although her own delegates had moved these articles, she refused to ratify them, when she ratified most of the other conventions on Nov. 27, 1909. (A table showing the ratifications of conventions has been published by The World Peace Foundation, Boston.)

The Case of Belgium.

Since Great Britain did not accept these articles as law, she was not bound by them, for the principle of the Hague Conferences is that a nation is bound only by those laws which it accepts. The remarkable fact, therefore, appears that the only one of the big nations which had refused to accept these articles, and which, therefore, might have moved her troops across a neutral country and have claimed that she could do so with a clear conscience because she broke no law which was binding on her, was Great Britain. And the world now sees the spectacle of Great Britain claiming to have gone to war because another power did what she herself could have done, according to her own interpretation, with impunity. Japan has broken the international law by infringing the neutrality of China, but Great Britain can claim that she did not break a law by doing exactly what Japan did.

It is not asserted here that the citizens of Great Britain are not absolutely sincere in their belief of the causes which have allied them with the Russians and the Japanese, and the Indians and the Zulus, and the negroes and the French and the Belgians against Germany. Their Government, however, should have known that the presumption of insincerity exists when one charges against others a crime, which one would have felt at liberty to commit one's self. Yet, more, the British Government knew better than anybody else that Germany had not even committed this crime; for according to all laws of justice no person or nation can claim the inviolability of a neutral when he has committed "hostile acts against a belligerent, or acts in favor of a belligerent" (Article XVII of The Hague Conference of 1907.)

The question, therefore, arises, "Did Belgium commit acts in favor of one of Germany's opponents, if not actually hostile acts against Germany?" In order to understand Germany's charge that Belgium had committed such acts, attention must be directed to one of the most unfortunate stipulations of the Treaty of 1839, which compelled Belgium to maintain several fortresses. This meant that a small neutral people, sandwiched between two great powers, had to keep itself informed on military affairs, instead of being able to foster a peaceful state of mind, which is the surest guarantee of neutrality, the Belgians were forced to think military thoughts.

In the eighties and early nineties they suspected France of designs on their integrity. Since then a change in the popular feeling has taken place and in recent years the instruction of the Belgian artillery, for instance, was entrusted to French officers in active service. These officers were constantly at home and very properly concerned with solving military problems such as a future war with Germany might present. What was more natural than that these same officers, when they were detached for a few months or years to Liège or Namur or Huy, taught their Belgian charges to prepare against a German attack, and to look upon the French as their friends and the Germans as their enemies? If conditions had been different, and German officers had been in charge of Belgian fortresses, the Belgian guns in practice would always have been trained on imaginary French invaders.

If this is understood, it will be seen that in the case of war the actual neutrality of the Belgian garrisons would naturally be determined by the position taken by that nation whose officers they were. The Hague conventions to

officers had been in charge of the Belgian fortresses. And this might be entirely independent of the professed wishes of the Belgian people or their Government. If French officers in active service remained in the several fortresses, or even only in one, after the beginning of hostilities, and if the French campaign plans contemplated an attack through Belgium, then Belgium had committed an "act in favor of France" by not forcing the French officers to leave, and had forfeited the rights and privileges granted by The Hague Convention of 1907 to a neutral State.

Did French officers remain in Liège or in any other Belgian fortress after hostilities had begun, and did France plan to go through Belgium? Germany has officially made both claims. The first can easily be substantiated by an investigation of the prisoners of war taken in Belgium. Until an impartial investigation becomes possible no further proof than the claim made by the German Government can be produced.

The second charge is contained in No. 157 of the English "White Paper" in these words of instruction from the German Foreign Secretary to the German Ambassador in London: "Please impress upon Sir Edward Grey that German Army could not be exposed to French attack across Belgium, which was planned according to absolutely unimpeachable information."

Sir Edward Grey has attacked Germany for invading Belgium, but has nowhere denied that Germany had the unimpeachable evidence she said she had, and which of course nullified any previous assurance from France.

It is not known whether Sir Edward Grey was shown this evidence or not, but if the preservation of Belgian neutrality was Great Britain's chief concern, why did she not offer to negotiate treaties with Germany and France as she had done in 1870. It will be remembered that then she bound herself to join with either of the contestants in defending Belgian neutrality against the attacks of the other.

As the case stands today, on the evidence of Sir Edward Grey's own "White Paper" and speeches, Great Britain is making war on Germany because:

1. She broke the treaty of 1839, although her own Gladstone had declared this treaty to be without force; and although the status of neutral States had been restored in 1870. The Hague Convention from the uncertainty of treaties to the security of international law.

2. Great Britain makes war against Germany because Germany has broken Articles I and II of Chapter I of The Hague Convention referring to neutrals, although Great Britain has refused to recognize these articles as binding upon her own conduct.

3. She makes war on Germany, although she has never denied the correctness of Germany's assertion that she had unimpeachable proof of France's intentions of going through Belgium, which, together with the solemn of French officers in Belgium constituted the offense which, according to The Hague Convention, deprives a so-called neutral State of the privileges granted in Article I.

It is impossible to say here exactly what these proofs are which Germany possesses, and which for military reasons she has not yet been able to divulge. She has published some of them, namely the proof of the continued presence of French officers on Belgian soil, and has given laws, however, of the several army corps which France had planned to push through Belgium.

The case then stands as follows:

1. Was the inviolability of Belgium guaranteed by Articles I and II of The Hague Convention? Yes.

2. Had Germany ratified these articles? Yes.

3. Would Belgium have forfeited the right of having her country held inviolable if she had committed "acts in favor of France," even if these acts were not actually hostile acts? Yes, according to Article XVII of The Hague Convention.

4. Belgium committed "acts in favor of France," and was Germany, therefore, justified in disregarding the inviolability of her territory?

The Main Question.

This is the important question, and the answer must be left to the Supreme Court of Civilization. The question of the balance would seem to point to a justification of Germany. Yet no friend of Germany can find fault with those who would wish to defer a verdict until such a time when Germany can present her complete proof to the world, and this may be when the war is over.

Throughout this argument the famous passage of the Chancellor's speech in the Reichstag has been disregarded. It reads:

"Our troops have occupied Luxembourg and perhaps are already on Belgian soil. It is contrary to the dictates of international law. It is true that the French Government has declared at Brussels that France is willing to respect the neutrality of Belgium so long as her responsible colleagues are not invaded. The wrong—I speak openly—that we are committing we will endeavor to make good."

1870, did not consider the 1839 treaty enforceable, but saw the guarantee for Belgium in The Hague Convention. He did not wish to offend Belgium by announcing to the world that she had lost her rights as a neutral because of acts of violence by France, for when he spoke he was still of the opinion that she would accept the German offer which guaranteed to her both her independence and integrity.

And just as Serbia would have accepted Austria's note if Russia had permitted her, so Belgium would not have resisted the German demand if it had not been for England.

This can be proved by the British "White Paper," Nos. 153 and 155. In the former the King of the Belgians appointed to the diplomatic intervention of your Majesty's Government to safeguard the integrity of Belgium, being apparently of the impression that Germany wished to annex parts; if not the whole, of his country. The London reply advises the Belgians "to resist by any means in their power, and that his Majesty's Government will support them in offering such resistance, and that his Majesty's Government in this event are prepared to join Russia and France in demanding that the Belgian Government at once common action for the purpose of resisting use of force by Germany against them, and a guarantee to maintain their independence and integrity in future years."

Has Mr. Beck really not noticed in this promise the omission of the word neutrality? By the Treaty of 1839, Belgium enjoyed not only independence and integrity, but also perpetual neutrality. Does Great Britain offer to fight Germany on the basis of the Convention of 1839? No. Because hereafter the word neutrality is dropped from her guarantee, and since she alone of all the great powers has not ratified the articles of The Hague Convention concerning neutrals, she alone will be able to disregard the inviolability of Belgium soil, even though Belgium kept strictly neutral in a future war.

And what finally does she guarantee? Independence and integrity! That is exactly the same that Germany has promised to China. The difference is that to be dragged through the horrors of war, and the good name of Germany as that of an honest nation had to be sacrificed. China, however, has hated and murdered had to be started, that Belgium might get on the battlefield from the insufficient support of Russia and France. China into China, Germany had freely offered her independence and integrity.

Casual readers would not miss the word neutrality from Sir Edward Grey's guarantee, because they do not differentiate between the words integrity, independence, and neutrality. Great Britain and her ally Japan, however, have no such scruples. Sir Edward Grey, as he said in the Reichstag, may be said to have violated China's neutrality, but not her independence, nor so long as they refrain from attacking any Chinese territory, her integrity.

Fixing the Blame.

Nobody familiar with the careful work of Sir Edward Grey can for one moment believe that Sir Edward had inadvertently dropped the word, just as little as Mr. Ramsay MacDonald and other British leaders. He had, however, inadvertently dropped one of the two remaining words, integrity and independence, when he told Parliament of Germany's guarantee.

When the blame for the horrible conflict contained in the various "White Papers" is assigned, these facts must be remembered:

1. Belgium was by treaty bound to maintain fortresses.

2. France tempted her to commit "acts in favor of herself, by which Belgium forfeited her rights to the protection of The Hague articles governing the rights and duties of neutrals."

3. England urged her to take up arms, when she had only asked to have her integrity guaranteed by diplomatic intervention. (Nos. 153 and 155.)

4. Germany promised her independence and integrity and peace, while England, quietly dropping her guarantee, invited her to take up arms, promised her independence and integrity, and war.

5. And Sir Edward Grey was able to sway the leaders of Parliament himself, only because he misrepresented Germany's guarantee and having dropped, in his note to Belgium, the word "integrity," dropped another of the two remaining words, integrity and independence.

This is the case as it appears on the evidence contained in the various "White Papers." Austria was attending properly to her own affairs; Serbia was willing to yield; Russia, however, was determined to humiliate Austria, or to go to war. Germany, proved a loyal friend to her ally, Austria; she trusted in the British professions of friendship to the last, and sacrificed her valuable neutrality in the interest of peace. France was willing to do "what might be required by her interests," while Great Britain yielded to Russia and France, promising them their support without which France, and therefore Russia, would not have decided on war.

As to Belgium, Germany told Sir Edward Grey that she had unimpeachable evidence that France was planning to go through Belgium, and she published her evidence concerning the French officers who remained in Belgium. Although Belgium had thus lost all rights attaching to her state of neutrality, Germany promised to respect the neutrality of Belgium, and to pay for any damage done. She preferred, however, to listen to Great Britain, who promised to defend Belgium, and who when Germany refused to accept their support without which France, and therefore Russia, would not have decided on war.

Unlike Mr. Beck, who in the same article pleads his case as the counsel for the Allies, and sees his way to the Supreme Court of Civilization, the present writer prefers to leave the judgment to his readers as a whole, and further still, to the whole of the world. Now is he in a hurry, for he is willing to wait and have the judges weigh the evidence and call for mercy if they consider insufficient what has already been submitted.

Snapp judgments are ever unattainable. They have to be reversed. The present case, however, is too important to warrant a hasty decision. The final judgment, if it is based on truth, will very strongly influence the nature of the peace, which will either establish good-will and stable conditions in the world, or lead to another and even more complete breakdown of civilization.

A Review of the Official Publications, Especially of the English Documents, Prepared in Germany and Translated for The New York Times Under the Direction of Dr. Bernhard Dernburg.

The following is presented as a complete defense of the German position in the present war and is based upon the official publications of the German Government. It was prepared in Germany and forwarded to Dr. Bernhard Dernburg, who had it translated for The New York Times. Dr. Dernburg gives this statement his full approval and accepts complete responsibility for it.

TWO of the five great European powers that are at present engaged in war, Austria-Hungary and Russia, whose differences for years have been constantly increasing in sharpness, and after the tragedy in Sarajevo became impossible to be bridged by diplomacy, conjured up the frightful struggle.

With these two, two other powers are so closely united by alliances that their participation in the war also was unavoidable; they are Germany and France.

There are two other great European powers whose relations to the two foremost groups before the war were very much alike in the essential points. Just as Italy was politically tied by alliance to the Central Powers, so England was with the Franco-Russian Alliance. Hence it was uncertain how these countries, each geographically removed from the main body of the Continent, would act in a war, and it seemed quite possible that both would decide to remain neutral.

As a matter of fact, the Italian Government came to the view that such a stand would be for the best interests of its country.

This decision might have made it considerably more easy for England to also maintain her neutrality, which from political, economical, and ethical reasons would have been advantageous and natural for the Island Empire. To the surprise and indignation of all those Germans who for years had been working toward an adjustment of the conflicting interests of both countries—among these ought to be mentioned, above all, the Kaiser and the Imperial Chancellor—the Liberal British Ministry immediately declared war on Germany, and did not confine itself to a naval war, but, in keeping with agreements reached years ago between the English and the French General Staffs, as is now admitted, equipped an expeditionary army, thus considerably strengthening the French forces.

The question arises, "What reasons for British politics to this monstrous step?"

Much has been written during the last weeks from the German side, criticizing most sharply and with great justification the motive of the London Cabinet. In the following discussion we will confine ourselves to an impartial review of the documents published by the English Government itself in its own defense.

The essential part of this justification is contained in the "Correspondence Concerning the European Crisis" placed before the British Parliament shortly after the start of the war, which is known as the British "White Paper." In amplification are to be considered the "White Book" placed by the German Government before the Reichstag and the "Orange Book" published by Russia.

THE RUSSIAN MOBILIZATION.

IN a public speech, delivered Sept. 19th, the Secretary of the Treasury, Mr. Lloyd George, according to the report of The Westminster Gazette, which may be considered as his organ, characterized the quarrel between Germany and Russia in the picturesque manner which this statesman prefers, as follows:

"GERMANY—I insist that you stand aside with crossed arms while Austria struggles your little brother."

"RUSSIA—Just you touch this little boy and I will tear your ramshackle empire limb from limb."

We will not waste words in considering the flippant form here used in a discussion of an unpeppably bloody and world-historic conflict. But this expression is very pregnant form makes Russia appear in the light in which the London powers—that is, the British people, viz., in the role of the noble-hearted protector of persecuted innocents, while Germany, supporting and egging on Austria-Hungary, is shown as morally responsible for the war.

Cites English Documents.

This, also, is the chain of thought in the speech of the British Prime Minister in the House of Commons on Aug. 4. Translations of this speech have been spread by the British Government in neutral countries in hundreds of thousands of copies under the title "The Power Responsible for War Is Germany."

Now, we claim that the British "White Paper" itself furnishes irrefragable proof that not Germany, which up to the last moment offered the hand of mediation, but Russia is responsible for the war, and that the Foreign Office at London was fully cognizant of this fact.

Furthermore, the "White Paper" shows that England's claim that she entered this war solely as a protector of the small nations is a fable.

The documents reproduced in the "White Paper" do not begin until July 20, and only a few introductory dispatches before the 24th are given. The first of the very important reports of the British Ambassador at St. Petersburg, Sir George Buchanan, to the Secretary of State Grey is dated on that day; on the same day the note addressed by Austria-Hungary to the Serbian Government had been brought to the knowledge of the European Cabinets, and the British Ambassador conferred with the Russian Minister of Foreign Affairs, M. Sazonov, over this matter. The Russian Minister also took part in the conference. When the latter and M. Sazonov in the most insistent way urged to Buchanan that England should join with Russia and

France, must assume a threatening attitude toward Austria-Hungary and Germany, the British Ambassador replied:

"I said that I would telegraph a full report to you of what their Excellencies had just said to me. I would also add, however, that the name of his Majesty's Government, but personally I saw no reason to expect any declaration of solidarity from his Majesty's Government that would entail an unconditional engagement on our part to support Russia and France by force of arms. Direct British interests in Serbia were nil, and a war on behalf of that country would never be sanctioned by British public opinion."—British "White Paper" No. 1.

The British Ambassador thereupon asked the question whether Russia was thinking of eventually declaring war on Austria. The following was the answer:

"M. Sazonov said that he himself thought that Russian mobilization would be a real step to be carried out; but a council of Ministers was being held this afternoon to consider the dispatch continues:

French Ambassador and M. Sazonov both continue to press me for a declaration of complete solidarity of his Majesty's Government with French and Russian Governments."—British "White Paper" No. 6.

This shows plainly that the Russian mobilization must have been planned even before July 24, for otherwise M. Sazonov could not have spoken of the necessity of carrying it through.

It is furthermore very remarkable that the Russian Minister on this early day spoke of the mobilization in general, and not of the partial mobilization against Austria-Hungary.

Finally we find that the British Government was fully informed at the very latest on July 24—it may have had before it previous documents, but they are not contained in the "White Paper"—concerning Russian mobilization and thereby the development of Russian and French politics that had to be anticipated.

Russian Aggression.

Had there been any doubts concerning these matters on the part of the British Government, the continual urging of Russian and French diplomats must have made things plain. Russia's aggressive policy, and not the Austrian declaration of war on Serbia, which did not come until five days later, led to the European war. Serbia meant so little to England, although England traditionally poses as a protector of small nations, that the British Ambassador in St. Petersburg was able to describe England's interest in the kingdom on the Sava as "nil."

Only later, after the beginning of the war, England warmed up to Serbia, and in the aforementioned speech Mr. Lloyd George found the most hearty tones in speaking of the heroic fight of this "little nation," although he was obliged to admit simultaneously that its history is not unmarked by blood.

On the day following that conversation, on July 25, the British Ambassador had another talk with M. Sazonov, during the course of which he felt obliged to express to the Russian Government a serious warning concerning its mobilization.

On my expressing the earnest hope that Russia would not precipitate war by mobilizing until you had had time to use your influence in favor of peace, His Excellency assured me that Russia had no aggressive intentions and she would not mobilize until she was forced on her. Austria's action was in reality directed against Russia, and aimed at the destruction of the present status quo in the Balkans and establishing her own hegemony there. He did not believe that Germany really wanted war, but her attitude was such that it would lead to war and we would in the end be dragged into war.

I said all I could to impress prudence on the Minister for Foreign Affairs and warned him that if Russia mobilized without a declaration of war, it would be tantamount to giving Russia time to carry out her, but would not mobilize until she was forced on her. His Excellency replied that Russia could not allow Austria to crush Serbia, and, because of the tremendous power in the Balkans, and if she feels secure of the influence of France, she will face all the risks of war, she assured me once more that he did not want to precipitate conflict, but unless Germany could restrain Austria I could regard the situation as desperate.—British "White Paper" No. 17.

A more convincing contradiction of the claim that Germany fell upon unexpected Russia can hardly be imagined. Sazonov's conversation with the British Ambassador shows that Russia had decided from the beginning to bring about the war, unless Austria would subject itself to Russia's dictation.

Now, Russia was not alone concerned about Serbia, but from its viewpoint Austria-Hungary must not maintain the preponderant position in the Balkans.

Sure of French help, Russia was determined to war against this. The reports of the British representative do not suggest with a word that Germany was responsible for the war; on the contrary, Sir Buchanan again, on his own account, warned the Russian Government to keep aloof from military measures, in his conversation with M. Sazonov on July 27, although the "White Paper" does not show that he had received any instructions by Sir Edward Grey.

His Excellency must not, if our efforts were to be successful, do anything to precipitate a conflict. In these circumstances I trusted that the Russian Government would defer war mobilization as long as possible, and that troops would not be allowed to cross the frontier when it was issued.—British "White Paper" No. 44.

Just as it was known to the British Ambassador that the British Government had been left no doubt to the Russian Minister of War concerning the fact that measures of mobilization against Austria must be considered by Germany also as very threatening toward itself, during the next days news of the Russian mobilization arrived in quick succession.

On the 29th mobilization of Southern and Southwestern Russia was ordered, which was extended on the 30th to twenty-three provinces.

On the night of the 30th to the 31st, while the efforts of the Kaiser to maintain peace were continuing and were receiving friendly attention in Vienna, in St. Petersburg the mobilization of the entire Russian Army

was ordered. Even as late as 2 P. M. on the 31st, however, (German "White Paper," Page 18, of New York Times reprint), the Kaiser telegraphed the Kaiser that the military measures now being taken were meant for defensive purposes against Austria's preparations, and he gave his pledge as far away from desiring war.

In the face of such evident duplicity of Russian politics, a further delay such as was desired by Sir Maurice de Bunsen would have been for every German statesman a crime against the security of his own country.

On the other hand, upon what German measures did the Russian Government base its order for mobilization? The British "White Paper" proves how frivolously steps leading to the most serious results were ordered in St. Petersburg. On July 30 Sir George Buchanan telegraphed:

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Proofs Lacking.

On the other hand, Buchanan's telegram of July 31 (British "White Paper" No. 113) states:

"Russia has also reason to believe that Germany was making active military preparations, and she cannot afford to let her get a start."—British "White Paper" No. 113.

So, from one day to the next the "absolute proof" changed to a reason for the assumption. In reality, both were assertions that lack all proof.

The finishing part of a telegram sent by the British Ambassador in Berlin to Sir Edward Grey on July 31 deserves special mention:

"He [the German Secretary of State] again asserted that both the Emperor William, at the request of the Emperor of Russia and the German Emperor, received the receipt of the night being urged Austria to show willingness to continue discussion—Austria's attitude being recorded on Aug. 1st M. Schebeko informed me that Austria was ready to submit to mediation these points of its note to Serbia which appeared to be irreconcilable to the independence of Serbia."—British "White Paper" No. 121.

Therefore, the German Chancellor, in his memorandum placed before the Reichstag, stated with full justification:

"The Russian Government has smashed the laborious attempts at mediation made by the British and German Governments. It has refused to accept our mediation efforts to the utmost and advised Vienna to make any sacrifice to the independence of Serbia, by the mobilization, endangering the peace of Europe."—British "White Paper" No. 121.

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Operators Trade Bronx Flat House for a Midtown Loft—Many Suburban Deals.

Several good deals closed the week's realty market yesterday, with a better degree of activity than had existed for the preceding two days. In the Morning Heights section on the west side an important sale was announced by the purchase by an investor from Mrs. Lillie B. Hyde of the nine-story apartment house at 452 Riverside Drive, known as the Mira-Mar. It covers a plot 78.1 by 100.

The assessed value is \$325,000. It was acquired by Mrs. Hyde in February, 1911, from the builders, B. Crystal & Son. The Douglas Robinson, Charles S. Brown Company were the brokers in the transaction.

A Manhattan-Bronx Trade.

The seven-story store and loft building at 136 and 138 West Twenty-second Street has been sold by the International Distributors Corporation to the Brown-Welch Realities.

The structure is of recent construction and occupies a plot 41.3 by 98.9 on the south side of the street, between Sixth and Seventh Avenues.

In part payment the Brown-Welch Company gave the northeast corner of Washington Avenue and 167th Street, a six-story flat, on plot 29 by 127. The latter house, together with a number of other properties, was acquired by the selling company last month in a trade.

Brooklyn Borough.

The two five-story new-law flats at 2,148 and 2,152 Webster Avenue, each on a plot 87.6 by 105, have been sold to an investor by Charles A. Weber for Mathilde Boselman. He has also sold for Anna Young 1,316 and 1,318 Fulton Avenue, a three-story dwelling on a plot 44 by 203, and for a client to Ernest Schels 344 Tinton Avenue, a two-family dwelling on a lot 20 by 92.

Brooklyn.

Frank A. Seaver & Co. have sold the plot, 80 by 100, on the north side of Seventh-street, about 120 feet west of Seventh Avenue, to the Johann Construction Company, which will immediately begin the erection of two-family dwellings.

Friday & Lehmann have sold to an investor for Jacob Schauf the three-story apartment house at 323 Eldert Street; also a four-story flat at 288 Sumpter Street for George Wehner, the two-story two-family house at 1,186 Madison Street for Herman Huber, and a three-story flat at 1,078 Decatur Street for the estate of Elizabeth Hayes.

New Jersey.

Herman Warshaw has sold the three-story flat house and his private residence on Grove Street and Howe Avenue, Passaic, N. J., to H. T. Scott-Huntington. In exchange the buyer gave 1,040-acre plantation at Beebe, Ark. The trade, which was negotiated by the H. & H. Company, involved about \$200,000.

Big Sale on Staten Island.

John May has purchased through Cornelius G. Kolff the Aneco G. Bruntner house on Howard Avenue near Louis Street, Grymes Hill. The property contains about three acres, with a large residence, gardeners' lodge and garage, and will be improved by the new owner for use as a bachelor's apartment house, ready for occupancy in the Spring.

Sell 1,100 Sea Shore Lots.

A parcel of 1,100 lots of Manhattan Beach property has been sold by the Manhattan Beach Estates to the Manhattan Beach Realty Company. The property sold consists of all the improved lots west of Jeffrey Street.

Commercial Leases.

The Duroes Company has leased the three-story building 128 West Eighty-third Street for Linda S. Rau to the A. and B. Express for a term of years.

Rice & Hill have leased to Louis Weiglin the store at 156 West Forty-fifth Street, and the store at 636 Lexington Avenue to Anthony & Cadezas.

Dwellings Leased.

The four-story dwelling at 82 East Eighty-first Street has been leased by John J. Kavanagh to Archibald C. Balfour.

Charles Field Grifflin & Co. have rented for the Quaker Ridge Estates the residence property known as "Weybridge," at Scarsdale, N. Y.

A. S. Walstrom-Gordon & Forman have leased for J. Theo. De Munk his house at Doremus Avenue, Glen Rock, N. J., to Mrs. Henry Kehr of Manhattan.

Hughes & Whitty have leased, in conjunction with Pease & Killman, the residence of Charles W. Edwards, situated at 90 Highland Avenue, Glen Ridge, N. J., consisting of eleven rooms, three baths, and double garage, to E. L. Harrington, Manager of the Travelers Insurance Company.

Office, Newark, N. J., Lease.

Glenn & Pease, Inc., of Newark, N. J., have leased for a term of years for John G. Gregory of Far Hills, N. J., a new metal, brick and Indiana limestone, mill-construction, semi-detached factory building at 700 to 710 Westinghouse Avenue, Newark.

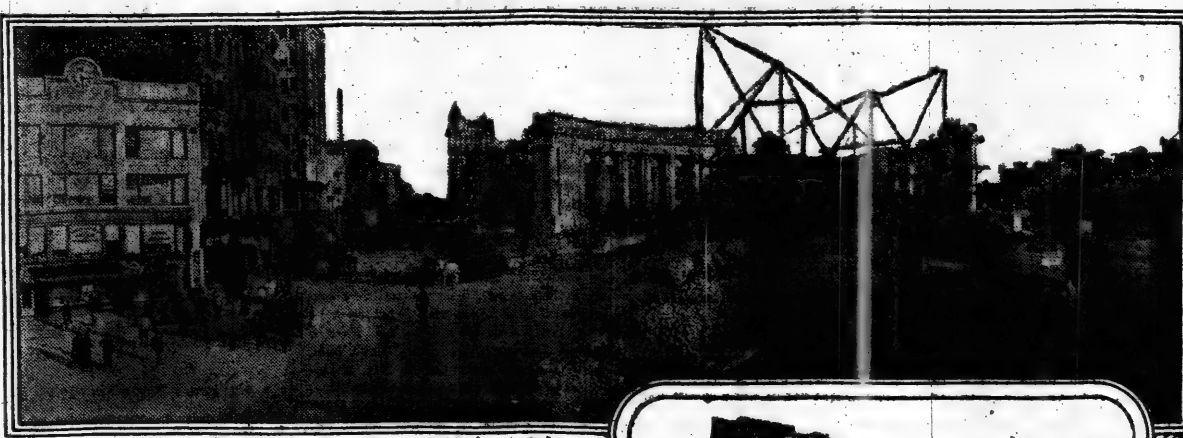
The lease is for J. W. Boardley's plant of Greenwich Street, New York City, manufacturers of pure food specialties. The lease calls for an annual rental of \$138,000, and includes an option to purchase the property within one year.

Passes Overdue.

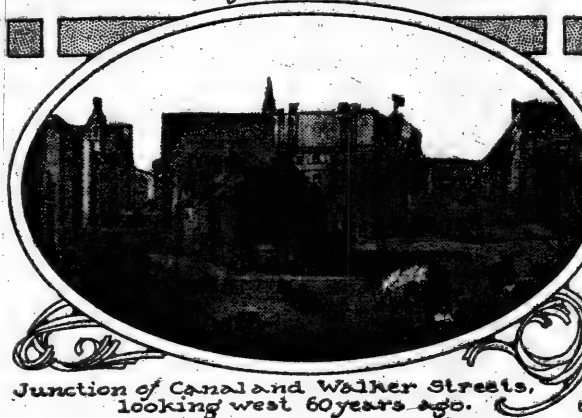
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CANAL STREET DESTINED TO BE GREAT WHOLESALE CENTRE WITH NEW TRANSIT FACILITIES AND BRIDGE COMPLETION

New Buildings Around Unfinished Manhattan Bridge Plaza Indicate Growing Commercial Development East of the Bowery—Wide Thoroughfare from River to River a Benefit to Wholesale Trade—Bound to Hold Big Business in Its Natural Location, Says Frank Lord.



Manhattan Bridge approach as it is today, Bowery and Canal Street.



Junction of Canal and Walker Streets, looking west 60 years ago.

A substantial character and which is likely to be considerably enhanced when the bridge work is completed.

It is further indicative of the confidence in the future business progress of Canal Street toward the west that property in the Broadway section has not been diminished in assessed valuation for 1915, although practically, without exception all of the Broadway property immediately north of Grand Street to Twenty-third Street has been materially reduced. The recent purchase by William McKinney of the six-story lots at 24 and 26 White Street, with the abutting structure at 25 Walker Street, sold through the Charles F. Noyes Company, shows a favorable investment interest in the vicinity of the Seventh Avenue subway.

"Canal Street is about to take its real place on the map and serve its manifest destiny in holding the wholesale trade of New York in its

natural location," said Frank Lord, Vice President of Daniel Birdsell & Co., yesterday.

"The first natural downtown centre is at City Hall, where the Hudson Terminal, the Brooklyn Bridge, the Subway express station, Chambers Street Ferry, and cross-town cars pour a great tide of population into the great civic centre and make it for all time one of the most important centres of New York," added Mr. Lord. "Chambers Street does not furnish, however, a free thoroughfare across the city for east and west traffic and it is not until Canal Street is reached that a great cross thoroughfare is found. Here we have a street where the tide from east to west can flow freely and this is the 'Canal' in a 'Panama' sense is not inappropriate. There is no point below it where the tide and flow of the tides of a great city can have free play. Canal Street is free from river to river and is wide enough for com-

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"The vital necessities of the wholesale trade of any city is easy access-

bility, free shipping, with good sales-rooms and warehouses at moderate rents.

"The 'moving' cause of the uptown movement was primarily lack of easy transit. Downtown owners had opposed a Broadway subway, pushing it over to Centre Street, where it does not serve as a free and quick means of travel between the hotels and terminals and the wholesale district. This is being remedied at the cost of many millions by the building of a great business subway that will tie the banking, hotel, and business sections together and make it possible to reach any of them in five to ten minutes' subway travel, where it now requires fifteen to twenty-five minutes by a circuitous way. Canal Street will be the centre of it all by reason of its new cross-town subway reaching the east side and the west side with a minimum of effort and expense.

"Next to the lack of quick and easy transit, the reluctance of downtown owners to furnish modern warehouses is responsible for the uptown movement, but this was of little influence compared with the failure to secure quick transit on Broadway on the west side of the city. Downtown owners scoffed at the idea of their fine five-story buildings, 'built in 1868, with excellent rope 'hoists' in the 'main' entrance, and with fine 'drum' stoves (owned by the tenant) and approved farm plumbing, not being all that the most enterprising merchants of the new world could ask.

"As a result, many firms moved uptown to an expensive location and where their expense accounts have grown faster than their 'new business'.

"The location of the Studebaker Company at Broadway and Canal is a shrewd move of an enterprising concern to be at the crossways, and, with the coming of real rapid transit, suitable buildings will be provided. Land values are low, and the landlord has lost much of his old-time loftiness.

"This does not mean that the great development of the uptown district will be halted. There is a natural demand for fine salesrooms uptown, and the great commerce of New York will continue to furnish the right kind of tenants for every new building built uptown—but the unnatural movement of businesses that deal in large volumes of low or medium-priced goods, the great dealers in staples, boots, shoes, dry goods, glassware, crockery, ironware, paper and paper goods, etc., will stay where they belong, and not burden their wares with overhead charges that would make the German and English competitor grin with satisfaction if they had any 'grin' left on their shelves."

FOURTH AVENUE SUBURB.

Country Residence on 40th St. in 1831, with Rich Fruit Garden.

About eighty years ago the Forty-second Street district, now known as the Grand Central zone, was a pleasant suburb of the real City of New York, a few miles below. The following interesting notice from a daily paper of September, 1831, presents a sharp contrast between conditions in that year and those that now prevail in one of the busy centres of Manhattan:

"For Sale—The residence of the subscriber at Kip's Bay, three miles from the City Hall, at the corner of Fourth Avenue and Fortieth Street, accessible from the old Boston Road. Thirty varieties of grapes with extensive arbors and in full bearing, and a choice collection of other fruit trees have been planted and cultivated with great care and are in a thriving condition. The house is large and commodious, being fifty feet front and fifty-five feet deep. The outhouses are all in good condition and capacious. For a family desiring a country residence few surpass this for convenience of locality and beauty of prospect. If the Harlan Railroad, as is contemplated, there is no place on the whole route so desirable for an extensive boarding establishment as the above described premises."

This Fortieth Street country residence belonged to Charles Starr.

MONEY FOR HARBOR WORK.

Staten Island Secures a \$400,000 Appropriation.

Allotments have been made for harbor improvement by the Secretary of War upon the recommendation of the Chief of Engineers out of the lump sum of \$20,000,000 appropriated by Congress for carrying on work already begun.

The allotments made for improvements in this city are as follows:

Gowanus Bay, Bay Ridge, and Red Hook Channel, \$150,000
Hudson River Channel, New York Harbor, \$125,000
Harlem River, \$50,000
Hudson River, \$75,000
Staten Island Sound, \$40,000

The resolution authorizing the removal of Coenties Reef to a depth of thirty-five feet has been amended in the House so as to authorize dredging at the expense of the city for another five feet.

Reefs Harbor Plots.

An auction sale of Reefs Harbor plots will be held in the Brooklyn Exchange Salesroom, 189 Montague Street, by the J. J. Johnson & Co. auctioneers, on Wednesday, November 11.

RIISING VALUES IN FIFTH AVENUE RETAIL ZONE.

Assessments Show Increases from Thirty-fifth to Forty-second Streets of 20 to 42 Per Cent.

Mention was made a short time ago, in connection with the sale of the long vacant Lewis plot on the northeast corner of Fifth Avenue and Thirty-seventh Street, for a price reported as \$1,800,000, that the Tax Commissioners had added considerably over \$300,000 to its assessed value for the coming year. In other words, what was assessed in 1914 at \$1,800,000, will pay taxes in 1915, unless the new owners obtain a reduction, on \$1,830,000. This is the largest increase on an individual piece of property in Manhattan's most expensive uptown realty centre and it naturally attracted comment among brokers and others interested in property along the avenue from Thirty-fourth to Forty-second Street.

A value of \$1,830,000 for a vacant corner averages \$208.60 a square foot, a rate which only a few years ago would have been considered an insane price even for Fifth Avenue. Flaring on the \$1,800,000 valuation, which may be a trifle more than was paid, the square foot average comes to about \$185.

An interesting comparison might be made with the Knox building on the southwest corner of Fortieth Street. This plot is smaller, being 33 by 110, while the Lewis corner is 74.1 by 125. In 1901 Edward M. Knox bought the land from the Kip estate for \$450,000. It created a sensation in realty circles at the time and averaged \$121 a square foot. For the 1915 assessment the land stands at \$750,000, giving a square foot tax value of \$297. When the building the entire property is assessed at \$950,000, an increase of \$500,000 over last year.

A study of the assessed values for these gilt-edged blocks of retail business between Thirty-fourth and Forty-second Streets reveals the fact that a larger percentage of increase has been made in this section than anywhere else in the city. While the increase on the Lewis corner was 43 per cent. over 1914, it was evidently due to the necessity of bringing it up to the valuations in the immediate vicinity, but it is also interesting to note, and it may surprise some of the Fifth Avenue business people to learn, that increases on many other parcels range all the way from 30 to 37 per cent, a raise in tax values within twelve months that may be termed remarkable in view of general realty conditions.

Perhaps the best way to appreciate these new Fifth Avenue valuations will be from the following table, in which the 1915 assessments are contrasted with those for 1914 on several parcels from Thirty-fifth to Forty-second Street. Except where especially mentioned, the values represent land and improvements, but it is needless to say except where the buildings are new the increases have been paid solely upon the land:

Increases have been made on every parcel within these blocks. In the block between Thirty-fourth and Thirty-fifth Streets little change has been made. Most conspicuous is the reduction of about \$300,000 in the building value of the Knickerbocker Trust Company, whose land value on the northeast corner of Thirty-fourth Street is placed at \$1,450,000, an increase of \$10,000 over last year, but with the bank buildings the total assessment is \$1,620,000, as against \$1,825,000 for 1914.

Next to the Lewis corner the highest individual increase has been made on the Goebel plot on the southwest corner of Thirty-seventh Street, recently improved with a new building. The land value for 1915 is \$1,610,000, as against \$1,170,000 for the present year, an increase of 37 1/2 per cent, or an average of \$178 a square foot. The new structure just completed, and its high rental value, have doubtless contributed in some measure to the big realty increase.

It will be noticed from the table that very substantial increases have been made in the Thirty-fifth to Thirty-sixth Street block. Taking for example one of the inside plots, 385 Fifth Avenue, adjoining the southeast corner of Thirty-sixth Street, its entire assessment, including the old five-

PLANS FOR CITY'S GROWTH.

Distribution of Population and Business a Serious Problem.

President George McAneny of the Board of Aldermen asks the co-operation of all citizens in the work of the City Planning Committee of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

President McAneny cites the routes of the dual subway system, which will tend to distribute rather than concentrate the city's population, as an instance of beneficial city planning.

"Within the present boundaries of Greater New York there are large undeveloped areas. When the population has doubled, the built-up portion of the city will cover twice the area included within the present built-up section.

"For every dollar at present invested in buildings and public improvements there will need to be an additional dollar invested in order to provide for the increased population, industry, and commerce. This means that the city and private individuals together will spend several billions of dollars in city building.

"That this vast expenditure may result in a maximum of advantage to the commercial and industrial interests of the city, and may promote the health, safety, and general welfare of its inhabitants, is the chief aim of city planning.

"The public has already had an intimation of what is intended in the report of the Heights of Buildings Commission. That there will be a general limitation on heights is practically certain.

"The Aldermen probably will impose that in the new building code. But New York needs a system of distributing along the lines of both height and occupation."

The right to "district" the city, Mr. McAneny explained, was conferred upon the Board of Estimate by the last Legislature, provided that it first appointed a commission to investigate and report after public hearings. The Merchants' Association of New York recently appointed a committee to co-operate with the City Planning Commission.

Realty Notes.

The Woodstock Taxpayers' Association at its last meeting adopted a resolution requesting the Union Railway Company to provide a waiting room at Third Avenue and 161st Street.

The members of the brokers' staff of M. & L. Rose, recently organized, held their first annual dinner at Rensselaer's last Thursday night, Lewis W. Flaunbacher is President and Adolph F. Koshar, Secretary.

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Apartment House Owners and Realty Agents Organize to Secure Legislation.

LETTERS TO CANDIDATES

Member of Committee Says All Apartment House Switchboards Are Operated at a Loss.

A determined effort is being made by owners of apartment houses and real estate agents to have the next Legislature force a reduction of the rates charged for telephone service and equipment in Greater New York.

An organization has been formed, known as the Owners and Agents of Apartment Houses, of which Charles A. Du Bois is Chairman, which has drawn up a letter, signed by many of the civic and taxpayers' associations in Manhattan and the Bronx, and which is being sent to the candidates for the Senate and Assembly, asking their attitude toward the procuring of such legislation.

Eugene S. L. Moses, Secretary of the J. Romaine Brown Company, a member of the new organization, disclaiming the situation yesterday, said: "This question has been before the Public Service Commission for nearly a year, but so far the only result has been a 10 per cent. cut, thrown out as a sort of 'pop' to public opinion by the telephone company."

"The commission holds semi-annual hearings, at which there is a good deal of loose talk indulged in by both sides, it is true, but in the long run the property owner doesn't seem to make any headway toward stopping a loss of from \$300 to \$400 a year in every house that uses a switchboard and extensions in the several apartments.

"Look the figures square in the face for a moment, and you will see why we feel forced to call on some one to help us. Take as an example an average six-story building, 100 by 100, with six apartments on a floor, or thirty-six apartments in the building. Its phone equipment would be:

A switchboard, (annual cost) \$20
Three trunk lines at \$24 each, \$72
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So we start with an annual fixed charge of \$236

We would have to contract for 20,000 messages at least, for which the company charges us 30c each (and for which we collect 25c each). Now, assuming that we use 20,000 messages, our charges for messages would be \$6,000. To this we must add the service of an operator at \$30 per month, or, per year, \$360.

Making an annual cost of (to run the phone) \$6,396. Now, if we collect 50c for every one of our messages, our gross revenue would be \$10,000.

And we would be out \$3,396. The fact is, however, that for many reasons we don't collect for all the calls the company charges us. We mean, and I am quite sure that any other agent will bear me out, if we make a deduction of 35 per cent. in the collection item, amounting to \$2,283.

It would run our losses up to \$5,113.

"The more apartments in a building, of course, the greater the loss. It is clear at a glance that the principal reason why we run behind so heavily is because of the high fixed charges—\$36 for switchboard, \$24 for each trunk line, and, worst of all, \$6 for each extension. Help us to cut down and get rid of these charges and we can run our telephone without losing much money—and that is all we ask.

"We don't want to make a profit; we want 'phones for the convenience of our tenants. We don't ask the telephone company to pay us for developing their business; but we are getting very tired of acting as their salesmen and paying for the privilege.

"In a recent talk with one of the telephone company's able representatives I was told that the estimated cost the company about \$17 each. Admitting this was so, I asked whether it would be fair to assume that after a charge of \$6 a year had been made for four years, the extension would not be written off the company's books.

"Even a hardened 'phone man could hardly deny that. Then allowing some proper charge a year for the upkeep of the extension, what becomes of the balance of \$9?

"Following along this line, I made a proposition to the company to buy the extensions and maintain them as the property owners' cost. The telephone company laughed my offer aside, and the Public Service Commission said that that was one of the matters to come up at a future hearing. Perhaps it will—let us be optimistic and hope so."

REVISOR ORDINANCES.

Committed to Work on Many Provisions That Conflict.

The City's Code of Ordinances, comprising several thousand separate sections and ordinances, is in many respects most unsatisfactory.

Some of its provisions are obsolete. Others are so badly expressed that their construction and enforcement are difficult. In other cases, ordinances and regulations of the various city departments, which have the force of ordinances are in conflict, so that a proper observance is impossible.

Owing to this complexity and confusion, it is a matter of great difficulty to ascertain exactly what the local law is upon some subjects, and as a result many of the provisions are necessarily disregarded.

The present Board of Aldermen has appointed a committee on Codification, which is completely re-arranging the existing ordinances upon an admirable plan of classification, and is re-writing those obscure in expression so that the intent of the law shall be clearly stated.

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tor cyclists of European armies will show
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original form as a means of rapid loco-
motion for a single dispatch rider and in
the later development, with the side
seat or side car attachment as a mobile
way of carrying observation officers
about a field of operations more quickly
than on horseback, have been tested
here incidentally.
Experimental use has been made of
the machines in the regular service as
well as in the National Guard of several
of the states. A serious study of the
possibilities of the machine had not yet
been made as it has been abroad. Such
men in the service as are a little ahead
of the sometimes dilatory movements
of our military authorities have specu-
lated already on the possibilities of the
service, and are waiting with interest
detailed statements of the conduct of
the campaign in Europe in order to see
what part the machine has played
and how far expectations as to their
utility have been realized.
Private letters from Europe tell par-
ticularly of the raising of a volunteer
force of motor cyclists in Great Britain,
in which part the machine has played
a prominent part. The volunteers are
forward offering their services to the
military authorities. Within forty-eight
hours of the call for volunteers an
excess of 2,200 riders above the number
required offered their services for the
duration of the war, or until the end
of the year, or until the end of the
service. This in spite of the fact
that the remuneration offered for the
service was but 35 shillings (\$7) a week
with a gratuity of \$10 paid immediately
on acceptance of the volunteer for his
machine and a promise of 25 additional
shillings for any other reason than
the acceptance of the volunteer for his
machine. The number of men and
machines offered was 2,200. The
expeditionary force is not made public,
details being suppressed at the request
of the War Office, as are those of all
other branches of the service.
It is known, however, that there was
sent out with the expeditionary force
a company of Irish motor cyclists,
as one of these have written from
France, that they were to leave at
once on such service. This letter of
farewell was written by a man who
was in connection with the corps of
riders to which he was attached is that
the company was sent to the front for
service in the civil war that seemed to threaten
Ireland, and for service against the
German expeditionary force in the
volunteers for service against Germany.
"We are all armed with repeating
rifles of the carbine type," writes this
young man, "and all are efficient as
sharpshooters. The machine is a wonder
the potting of officers at fairly long
range, and from cover, as well as scout-
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ranges for some time. The machine is
of the efficiency of our guns to a dot."
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with the army of Duke Albrecht of
Wurtemberg saw the corps at work at
the army maneuvers of the Spring. His
brother, a Captain of cavalry detailed to
the motor cycle corps, told him the
German expeditionary force was moving
men a most efficient aid in case of
war, which at that time was not
seriously contemplated.
According to the plans worked out in
Germany, the motor cyclists were to be
used as messengers between an advancing
or scouting party and the officers at
the army base, much of which has
been done in the past by the use of
naming pigeons, when communication
by telephone or telegraph was not pos-
sible, or other means of signaling be-
tween the front and the base available.
The speed and certainty with which
the motor cyclists move over mountain
trails and the good military roads make
them more dependable than the more
important messages are transmitted
in triplicate by three members of the
corps, on the wings of the birds. One
of the riders will be able to get from
the front to the base uninjured. The
plan was tried out by the motor cyclists
and worked out satisfactorily even in
districts where traps had been laid to
catch the cyclist; one of the birds al-
ways managed to get through to head-
quarters without capture.
Staff aids de camp have been taught
the use of the motor cycle in all the
armies of Europe, so that they may be
utilized as rapid messengers between
brigade, division, or corps headquarters
to the officers in the field directing the
movements of the troops. The motor
cyclists are also used to carry the
officers carrying the orders are less con-
spicuous on a motor cycle; they ride
closer to the base, and are therefore
less in danger of being spotted than
when on horseback. The motor cyclists
are also used to carry the orders to the
officers of the Italian Army in par-
ticular worked out by practical tests
this "element of safety" in the cir-
cumstances where other methods of
communication were assumed not to be
available.
In the advance of the German Army
through Belgium both Germans and Bel-
gians have used the motor cyclists largely
in scouting work. Aeroplanes, used by
the eyes of both the invaders and de-
fenders, have been used to locate the
advance armies, and then through the
services of motor cyclists have been
able to locate the advance armies, and
certainly with the bodies of cavalry
whose duty it has been to how the way
for the motor cyclists to the front. The
motor cycle corps for the same purpose
Whether Austria and Russia are now
using these scouts is not definitely
known, although it is probable that in
this country, no details of army operations
being at hand as yet.
With the side cars attached to these
rapidly moving machines they were used
in the transfer of surgeons from reserve
corps to the front where the services
of the doctors were needed to attend
the wounded. These side-car machines
are also being used to move the wounded
from the field to the hospitals in the
rear, doing the more humane work
rapidly than it could be done by
stretcher bearers or ambulances, thus
adding materially to the effectiveness
of the hospital train and relieving the
men of that duty. Nurses have been
point to another when motor cars
are used. Supplies were also car-
ried in the carriers attached to these
high-powered machines.
As the motor cycle follows the air-
ship fleet and precedes the cavalry col-
umn while an army is in motion his
work is dangerous in the extreme. Only
men who are absolutely devoid of fear,
reckless and yet cool-headed, able to
think and act quickly in emergencies
are used in the dispatch-bearing and
scouting end of the service. A soldier
looking for excitement and profit is
not the man for this service. The
British Army officers have used a
motor cycle with the best of re-
sults in the stringing of field telegraph
and telephone wires and rapid installa-
tion of this means of communication
in the field. In army associations, the
motor cycle has been used especially

BRITISH FACTORIES BUSY.
Orders for Manufactures Which
Formerly Went to Germany
Now Placed at Home
The war was quick to stimulate the
internal trade of England at the re-
sponse of Germany, according to a re-
port of the Department of Commerce
from United States Consul Albert Hal-
stead, writing from Birmingham, Eng-
land.
It had been customary prior to the
war with Germany, Mr. Halstead says,
for large quantities of electrical ap-
paratus and appliances to be used in Great
Britain, and purchased not only in the
completed form, but in parts from Ger-
many. This has been a cause for much
complaint by manufacturers of such
apparatus in the United Kingdom.
Shortly before the war, however, Mr. Hal-
stead is informed, with German factories for
installation in Great Britain. As a result
of this, the war has been a cause for
much complaint by manufacturers of such
apparatus in the United Kingdom.
It is interesting to remember," ob-
serves Mr. Halstead, "that two of the
largest factories for making electric
generating plants, etc., in the United
Kingdom are branches of the German
concerns. A complete change has occurred
in the past few months. The plants
which were formerly sent to Germany
and Austria with manufacturers in
Great Britain, are now being sent to
Germany and Austria for the British
makers.
Consideration is being given to the
effect of the war upon the iron and
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cles—he is also well liked; in war times,
however, he is simply Cloquet the Bel-
gian—the man behind the mitrailleur—the
mad with the beautiful, speedy, sub-
marine-like motor car—the car that is
gray like the morning mist—which is ap-
propriate, for Cloquet's work is the work
of the early bird—that of catching the
worm.
"Cloquet is as fond of catching worms
as the most inveterate angler. As soon
as the dawn arrives he starts out with
three French soldiers—in his silent,
speedy car, he starts out from—well,
shall I say Censenville? He scours the
roads for miles around.
"Some mornings he is only out for
about an hour before he returns with his
bag—yesterday it was ten, six were dead,
four were seriously injured, ravenously
hungry, and minus ammunition.
"You see those two trainloads of am-
munition did not arrive—but there is a
big hole in the railway track where the
French shells hit the German trains.
"Cloquet speaks perfect English,
which is a veritable godsend to me with
my very imperfect French, and he tells
me with his good-humored smile, that
it is 'good sport'; yet, with a modest
shrug of his shoulders: 'I have been
very, very lucky.'
"He has had three drivers killed in
the car with him on these early morn-
ing exploits, yet he has every faith in
his own good luck. 'Look, Monsieur,'
and he points to a couple of silvery
streaks showing on his mitrailleur,
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There are several good routes, but that over the Boston Post Road

field 53.9. Bear left into Fairfield Avenue 53.0, cross a bridge 54.1, and go under the railroad 55.8; then right turn into State Street and at a bank turn left into Main Street into Bridgeport 67.1. Go two blocks, turn right into Wall Street and at once go under the railroad; cross draw-bridges 58.0 and 58.4.

Take the next left fork into Connecticut Avenue 58.5, follow the trolley on Stratford Avenue 60.7, turn left with trolley into Main Street 61.1, and at a water trough turn right with the trolley tracks in Stratford 61.4. Go across a bridge 62.0, and at Bait's Corners go straight on and leave the trolley tracks 63.2. Pass the green in Milford 65.0, and at the Public Library turn left with the trolley 66.9. Go under the railroad and at the Town Hall take the right fork into River Street 66.1, cross a bridge and go up a hill, then take the left fork 66.3, again take the left fork go down hill, and cross a bridge 73.8.

At a cemetery take the extreme left road, Dayport Avenue, 74.0. Bear right 74.5, turn right into Oak Street 74.9, and at once turn left into Broad Street. Turn right into George Street 75.0, and at once turn left into College Street, which follows to Chapel Street in New Haven 75.1.

Turn right into Chapel Street and take the next turn left into Temple Street. Turn right into Trumbull

road 100.0, through West Warren 107.1, and Warren 109.4. Go over the railroad 109.6, and at once take the left fork, bear left over the railroad 171.5, bear left 172.2, take the right fork 172.9, then bear right in West Brookfield 173.8 and bear right 176.0 to Brookfield 176.9.

Bear right up hill, go one block, and at a church turn left into Main Street, bear right 176.1, bear left 176.8, cross a railroad 178.5, take the left fork 179.0 and go through East Brookfield 179.4. Bear left 181.0, then at a water trough take the left fork 181.9 and follow the trolley through Spencer 182.2 and through Leicester 187.3. Go straight on and leave the trolley 187.5, follow the trolley 187.9, and run through Cherry Valley 189.3. Go straight on into Main Street, pass the Post Office, and at the City Hall, turn right into Worcester 193.6.

Go under the railroad, and at the station, bear left 194.1. Take the left fork into Shrewsbury Street 194.2, cross a causeway between lakes, then take the left fork into Maple Avenue and go straight on through Shrewsbury 199.2. Take the left fork 201.9 at a water trough take the right fork 203.7, go through Northboro 203.8. Cross the railroad, then bear right 204.8, cross and leave the trolley 207.0 and at once take the right fork up hill bear left 208.7, bear right in Marlboro 209.3.

From here follow the trolley, at a water trough take the left fork 209.8 and at a second water trough take the right fork 210.1, take the right fork 210.7, bear right 214.8, cross the railroad 216.7 through South Sudbury 217.1. Cross the railroad and a bridge 219.5, cross another railroad and go straight on, crossing the trolley at Wayland 220.1. At a church go straight on through Weston 223.7.

Avoid a road on the right 223.7, cross the railroad at Stony Brook 223.9. Follow the trolley through Waltham 226.8, cross the railroad at Beaver Brook Station 227.5. Go straight over the railroad 229.2, at the square turn left into Mt. Auburn Street in Watertown 229.8. Bear right over the railroad at Mt. Auburn Sta-

TELLS OF ELECTRIC FIRE APPARATUS

Philadelphia's Experience with Tractor-Hauled Engine Has Been Good.

WORKED AT LOW COST

Electric Vehicle Association Convention Told of Operating Details in Service.

Before the recent convention of the Electric Vehicle Association of America, a paper on electric fire apparatus was presented by George S. Walker, showing the experience of Philadelphia. It said in part:

"The very many obstacles that present themselves in the changing of horse-drawn to the motorized apparatus of a large fire department are such that we were compelled to use our utmost endeavors to secure that method of propulsion for our apparatus that would give us speed, reliability, and efficiency, together with ease of operation."

"One of the first, and no doubt the greatest, problems that confront us is the proper selection of apparatus to use, and, of necessity, compelled to teach the firemen the selection of apparatus that would possess to the greatest degree the qualities of manageable, restricted speed, with ease of operation. Also, the latitudes of Philadelphia are such that in some severe winter weather, at times deep snows, frozen fire hydrants, impeded traffic, etc."

"The possession of twenty-three steam fire engines that could and should be changed from horse-drawn to tractor-drawn—all of these were important factors in the selection of apparatus that would possess to the greatest degree the qualities of manageable, restricted speed, with ease of operation. Also, the latitudes of Philadelphia are such that in some severe winter weather, at times deep snows, frozen fire hydrants, impeded traffic, etc."

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motor in each wheel, the armature frame is an extension of the axle and carries the inside and outside disk which forms the wheel. The two motors are 100 volts, 50 amperes, or 50 volts each, locally starting, and 5 horsepower. Momentary overload capacity 200 per cent. The armature shaft carries on each end a bevel pinion, which in turn engages in a gear ring on the inside face of the wheel, that is, there is a gear ring for each pinion and the gear ratio is 18 to 1. The motors are 2-pole, parallel wound, and are controlled with a 5-point controller of the street railway type, that is, having five speeds forward and reverse. Lamp equipment consists of two 100-watt electric searchlight, two combination electric and oil side lights, one combination electric and oil tail light. This apparatus was delivered and tested in June, 1913, and, owing to various delays, was not put into service until Oct. 24, 1913.

The battery of this tractor, 40 cells, has now been in service over a year, and upon recent examination showed very little deterioration, the only repairs made to same have been about six terminals and about ten rods, six of which were broken by an accident, and vibration.

"The only mechanical repairs that have been made on the tractor" was replacing a steering quadrant which was broken from striking a curb while trying to avoid a collision with another truck, and on another occasion the skidding of the engine on a wet pavement caused repairs to be made to the dash, fender, and mudguards.

"During the winter, and at times when the snow was unusually heavy, and particularly during the time when the tractor was used for the New York and Philadelphia on all the railroads was held up, this apparatus performed its duty without fail, and in one instance it was taken to a fire hydrant where it was impossible to get with a lighter steamer with horses. During most of the winter service there were no skid chains used on the wheels, which shows the enormous traction effect of the motor."

"The drivers look after the charging and filling of the batteries with distilled water, and such little attentions as the apparatus requires, such as oiling the motors, wiping the brushes and commutators. The drivers in charge of this apparatus never had any previous experience in the operation of motorized automobiles of any kind. They were instructed by the demonstrator who came with the tractor, and since that time have acquired the necessary skill in their own responsibility."

"Our experience has been that the cost of operation of this apparatus for current has been on an average of \$4.50 per month. This takes care of the fueling of the batteries and maintaining a full charge at all times. The charging is made periodically by the fire department, depending on the amount of mileage made. Cost of repairs has not been in excess of the cost of current. Battery deterioration has not been into consideration. The actions of No. 20 are all being corroborated by the good performance of our other four battery apparatus."

GIVES COLD WEATHER TIP.

Chairman S. A. E. Says Alcohol is Best Anti-Freeze Liquid.

Referring to winter motoring, Joseph A. Anglada, Chairman of the Metropolitan Section of the Society of Automobile Engineers and President of the Cyclear Club of New York, said last week:

"Every motorist operating a water-cooled car should realize that cylinders and radiators are liable to freeze when the temperature falls below 32 degrees Fahrenheit. This necessitates the addition to the cooling water of a safe and economical medium which will lower its freezing temperature. Salt, calcium chloride, and glycerine have been tried, but are objectionable because of eventual injury to parts, due to corrosion, electrolytic action, and decomposition. Proprietary substances should be avoided unless their constituents are disclosed."

"My experiments prove that denatured alcohol (tax-free ethyl alcohol) is the best for the purpose, because it is manufactured and sold under the supervision of the United States Government. It is uniformly pure, besides being harmless, efficient, and cheap. A quart to each gallon of water in the cooling system is sufficient to prevent freezing when the temperature reaches zero. By increasing the proportion of denatured alcohol the freezing temperature of the mixture is lowered and it is possible, by using equal parts of denatured alcohol and water, to prevent freezing at as low as 55 degrees below zero."

"Another advantage in the use of denatured alcohol is its value as a carbon remover and engine cleanser. The cylinders of the engine can be kept free from carbon and the valves and piston rings maintained in first-class condition by pouring a wine-glassful of denatured alcohol at frequent intervals into each cylinder while the engine is hot, or the engine may be run on alcohol, to accomplish the same result, by injecting it into the air intake of the carburetor while the motor is running fast. A squirt of alcohol is a convenient means of introducing the alcohol into the carburetor."

Mr. Anglada also spoke encouragingly of the possible early use of denatured alcohol as a motor fuel, and called attention to a recent communication from Lieut. R. W. Brewer of the British Army Motor Transport Service, which states that a number of the automobiles engaged by the British armies are run on denatured alcohol.

AWARDS ANNOUNCED FOR AUTO PAGEANT

Prizes Valued at More Than \$5,000 Distributed to Parade Entrants.

JUDGES HAD HARD TASK

Car of Vintage of 1898 Wins Veteran Award—Trophies for All Divisions.

Following the Tercentenary Automobile Pageant on Wednesday night the Judges' Committee worked nearly all night in endeavoring to allot the prizes, valued at more than \$5,000, to the winners of the various divisions of the pageant. The list of awards is complete, with the exception of several of the special prizes. The Judging Committee, of which William H. Page is Chairman, was composed of George W. Brock, W. A. Boring, Alan R. Hawley, W. W. Knowles, Harry H. Good, and E. A. McCoy. The associate judges of the Automobile Division were Alfred Reeves and Coker F. Clarkson. The associate judges of the Motor Cycle Division were F. V. Clark and J. L. Sauer, and the Advertising Division judges were O. J. Gude, William H. Johns, Russell Field, A. M. Van Buren, and George B. Van Cleave. The awards were as follows:

Early models, for the oldest car completing the list of march under its own power. First prize, value \$100, Joseph Devanry, Brooklyn, N. Y., 1898 Panhard. Second prize, value \$50, Oldsmobile Company of New York, 1890 Oldsmobile. For best-appearing car, under its own power, during the period of Jan. 1, 1902, to Dec. 31, 1902, first prize, value \$25, Harolds Motor Company's 1902 Elora-Arrow.

Grotesque—First prize, value \$200, Oldsmobile steam engine; second prize, value \$100, the Fleichman Company's 1901 DeSoto; fourth prize, Douglas Fairbanks' "He Comes Up Smiling" bath tub float.

Pleasure Car—For best-decorated car, first prize, value \$200, C. B. McCoy, Jr., Philadelphia; second prize, value \$100, the Automobile Company of New York, "Christmas Ship"; third prize, value \$100, the Automobile Company of New York, "The Merry-Go-Round"; fourth prize, value \$50, John W. Cleary, Brooklyn, N. Y., "Original" Pleasure Car; fifth prize, value \$100, Poerter Motor Car Company.

For the regularly established club with the highest rating, value \$25, the Automobile Club of America, 1900, Long Island Automobile Club; second prize, value \$100, Automobile Club of America.

Third prize, value \$75, "Bug" Club of Dayton.

Dealer having the greatest number of cars of one make represented by his year. Division—First prize, value \$200, Ford Motor Company; second prize, value \$100, Chevrolet Motor Company; third prize, value \$50, Buick Motor Company; fourth prize, value \$25, Murray Motors Corporation, (Chandler).

Commercial Car—First prize, value \$200, New York Sporting Goods Company, Indian motor cycle (one second prize, value \$100, Edward G. Allen; third prize, value \$50, M. Schilling). To merchant having the largest lot of commercial trucks as owned and operated by him—First prize, value \$200, Locomotive Steam Company; second prize, value \$100, Ward Road Car Company; third prize, value \$50, Ward Road Car Company.

To the dealer having the greatest number of commercial cars in one division—First prize, value \$200, Ward Road Car Company; second prize, value \$100, Ward Road Car Company; third prize, value \$50, Ward Road Car Company.

Advertising, for the best appearing vehicle having advertising other than merely the name and address of the owner, as regularly used in service. First prize, trophy valued at \$150, Ward Road Car Company; second prize, value \$100, Bull Durham tobacco; third prize, value \$50, Bull Durham tobacco; fourth prize, value \$25, Bull Durham tobacco.

"An Indian Papoose and Indian Boy" (first prize, value \$25, Ward Road Car Company). "The Merry-Go-Round" (first prize, value \$25, Ward Road Car Company). "The Merry-Go-Round" (first prize, value \$25, Ward Road Car Company).

For the best decorated machine in the entire division: First prize, value \$200, Ward Road Car Company; second prize, value \$100, Ward Road Car Company; third prize, value \$50, Ward Road Car Company.

For the best decorated machine with a car: First prize, value \$200, Ward Road Car Company; second prize, value \$100, Ward Road Car Company; third prize, value \$50, Ward Road Car Company.

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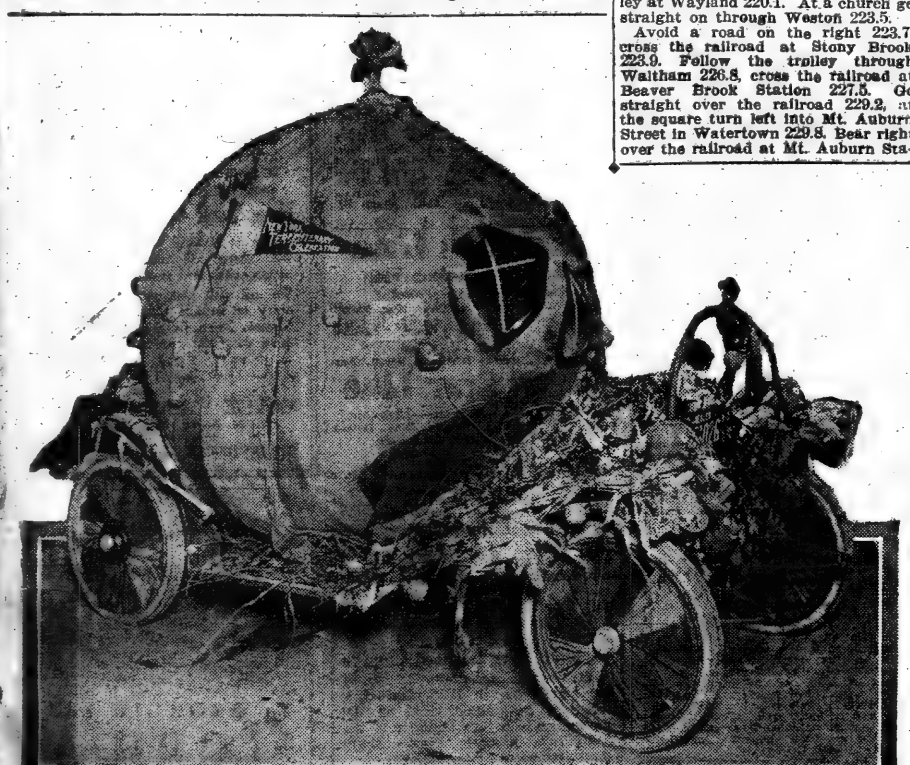
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ONE OF THE DECORATED CARS IN LAST WEEK'S PARADE
"Some Pumpkin," shown above, was a prize winner in the automobile parade in the Tercentenary Pageant on Wednesday. It was a Waverly electric runabout entered by W. C. Poertner.

through New Haven, Hartford, Springfield, and Worcester, taking into consideration all things that affect the motorist, is the one to be preferred; the distance from New York to Cambridge on this route is a little over 230 miles, and the detailed directions are given below.

As an alternate to this route to Cambridge there is the very satisfactory Connecticut Shore route from New Haven by way of Guilford, Old Saybrook, Lyme, New London, Groton, Mystic, Westerly, Charlestown, Narragansett Pier, Wickford, Providence, Wrentham, Walpole, Dedham, and Boston to Cambridge. The distance from New York, following this route, is 252 miles.

There is also another route which may be followed from New York, which runs through a beautiful section of Connecticut. This goes by way of Briarcliff, Brewster, Danbury, and Newtown to Waterbury, then over Southington Mountain, and through Plainville and Farmington to Hartford. Directions to Cambridge follow:

From the clubhouse on Fifty-fourth Street go north on Broadway and bear right around Columbus Circle, then follow straight on Central Park West to 110th Street and one block turn right and take the first turn left into Seventh Avenue 3.0. Turn right into 145th Street 4.1, then cross the bridge over Harlem River into East 146th Street. Go up hill and turn left into Mott Avenue 5.3, bear left 5.6; at a monument go straight on the Grand Concourse 6.0, then turn right into Wadsworth Road 8.2. Go over the railroad and under the "L" at Fordham Station 9.1.

Now follow the Boston Post Road through Larchmont 19.5 and Mamaroneck 21.4. Then cross a bridge and right fork 21.9; again right fork 23.9. Also at the flagpole take a right fork in Ave 25.0. Go over a railroad 26.5 and under a railroad 26.6. At the end of the road turn left into Main Street 26.7, then bear right pass the square in Port Chester 26.9. Still following Main Street go under a railroad 27.2, then bear right and cross Bayview Bridge into Connecticut 27.3. Follow the main road, pass the water trough in Greenwich 29.0, and at a monument right fork with trolley 30.1. Go down hill and cross a bridge at Mianus 32.1. Left fork 34.2, turn right into Main Street 34.7, at once cross a bridge and continue straight on pass the City Hall in Stamford 34.9.

At a park left fork 35.4, then bear right leaving trolley 35.6 and go under the railroad 35.8. Cross a bridge 36.0, bear right 42.9 and at a water trough bear left 43.0, then, at the church road right into Wall Street 43.5 through Norwalk 43.7.

Go up hill, at the green take the left fork with trolley 44.0, then at a church turn right with the trolley 44.1. Go over a hill, cross a bridge 44.3, into the Sagadahoc River 47.0, go through Westport 47.1. Cross a bridge 50.7, then the railroad. At turn left in Southport 51.3, bear right 51.0, cross a bridge 51.9, bear right 52.5, and at a library right with the trolley in Fair-

field 53.9, follow trolley and turn right with trolley over railroad 57.2. At once turn left with trolley into Middletown Avenue, cross a bridge 77.0, go under a railroad and the trolley in Monowee 79.7. Take the left fork 84.4, bear right in Northford 85.2.

Go straight on and bear right 92.7, bear left 93.5, run through Durham Centre and Durham 94.4. Bear right 94.9, at a church bear right 98.4, cross a bridge and at a water trough bear right 100. Take the right fork with trolley into Pleasant Street 100.3, at the end of park turn left into Main Street in Middletown, 100.4.

Straight on across Washington Street, go over a railroad 101.1, cross a railroad and a bridge, then cross the railroad at Cromwell 103.2. Cross the trolley, at a church, take the right fork in Rocky Hill 107.4. Cross a railroad, at a monument left fork 111.2, bear left with trolley 114, at the end of the road turn right with trolley 111.6, straight on through Wethersfield 111.9. Bear left with trolley into State Street 112.3, cross a railroad and go straight on Wethersfield Avenue; at a park bear right into State Street in Hartford 116.1.

Now follow the trolley, bear left 116.6, turn right 116.8, cross a bridge and at a school turn left 117.9, follow trolley through East Hartford 118.4. Bear left under the railroad 118.5, through Windsor 122.2, and East Windsor Hill 124.0. Cross a bridge and go through Warehouse Point 129.0. Bear left 131.1, bear left 132.3, through Enfield 134.1. Cross a bridge into Thomastonville, Conn. 135.1, and go through Longmeadow, Mass. 139.8. Follow the river and take the left fork 141.0, take the right fork into Main Street 141.7, then turn right into State Street in Springfield 142.8.

Here follow the trolley and at a park take the left fork 144.1, cross a railroad and at a cemetery take a right fork leaving the trolley 145.8, follow the trolley 150.4, then pass North Wethersham Station 152.4. Now use caution and bear left under the railroad, at once turn right, cross and leave the trolley 154.4, cross a bridge 156.3, go under the railroad 159.9, bear right into Main Street 157.0, and turn sharply left into Thornaby Avenue in Palmer 157.8.

At the school turn right into Park Street 158.0. A station could be used when going under the railroad 159.7, also when bearing left under the rail-

road 160.0, through West Warren 167.1, and Warren 169.4. Go over the railroad 169.6, and at once take the left fork, bear left over the railroad 171.5, bear left 172.2, take the right fork 172.9, then bear right in West Brookfield 173.8 and bear right 176.0 to Brookfield 176.9.

Bear right up hill, go one block, and at a church turn left into Main Street, bear right 176.1, bear left 176.8, cross a railroad 178.5, take the left fork 179.0 and go through East Brookfield 179.4. Bear left 181.0, then at a water trough take the left fork 181.9 and follow the trolley through Spencer 182.2 and through Leicester 187.3. Go straight on and leave the trolley 187.5, follow the trolley 187.9, and run through Cherry Valley 189.3. Go straight on into Main Street, pass the Post Office, and at the City Hall, turn right into Worcester 193.6.

Go under the railroad, and at the station, bear left 194.1. Take the left fork into Shrewsbury Street 194.2, cross a causeway between lakes, then take the left fork into Maple Avenue and go straight on through Shrewsbury 199.2. Take the left fork 201.9 at a water trough take the right fork 203.7, go through Northboro 203.8. Cross the railroad, then bear right 204.8, cross and leave the trolley 207.0 and at once take the right fork up hill bear left 208.7, bear right in Marlboro 209.3.

From here follow the trolley, at a water trough take the left fork 209.8 and at a second water trough take the right fork 210.1, take the right fork 210.7, bear right 214.8, cross the railroad 216.7 through South Sudbury 217.1. Cross the railroad and a bridge 219.5, cross another railroad and go straight on, crossing the trolley at Wayland 220.1. At a church go straight on through Weston 223.7.

Avoid a road on the right 223.7, cross the railroad at Stony Brook 223.9. Follow the trolley through Waltham 226.8, cross the railroad at Beaver Brook Station 227.5. Go straight over the railroad 229.2, at the square turn left into Mt. Auburn Street in Watertown 229.8. Bear right over the railroad at Mt. Auburn Station 230.3.

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NOTES OF THE AUTOMOBILE TRADE

FINANCIAL POSTAL MARKET

VALUATION BASED ON JUNE 30 PRICES

Insurance Companies Plan for Appraisal of Securities They Hold Announced.

NORMAL FIGURES SOUGHT

Similar Question to be Decided by Supt. Richards in Regard to Savings Banks.

The valuation of securities held by insurance companies will be based this year on June 30 prices, as it is not expected that Dec. 31 prices will be available, and it is deemed best to ignore any prices made on the Stock Exchange just before the war started and irregular transactions since the Exchange closed.

This plan was announced yesterday by Frank Hasbrouck, Superintendent of Insurance, as the result of a poll of the members of the Committee on Valuation of Securities of the National Convention of Insurance Commissioners, by which the plan was adopted. Mr. Hasbrouck is Chairman of the committee, seven of whom favored June 30 prices, one those of July 30, and one proposed deferring the question till Dec. 1.

The valuations made by the committee each year are used in auditing the statements of insurance companies. The reports to the Insurance Department and if the prices of July 30, the last day the Stock Exchange was open, were used, these statements would be affected materially by the drop in prices at that time. This would apply especially to fire insurance and casualty companies, as they have large investments in bonds and stocks.

The last occasion on which a similar condition arose was in 1907, when market values were high. At that time the Insurance companies then were permitted to use the average price of their securities for the same date in each of the twelve months and the last day of the preceding year.

"Conditions prevailing on June 30," said Supt. Hasbrouck yesterday, "were such that the prices then obtainable represented normal conditions. It was the declaration of war caused a marked decline in the value of securities. It would be unfair to penalize our insurance companies for a condition that is only temporary. There is no doubt about it that the intrinsic value of securities held by insurance companies has remained unchanged and will decline in price only temporarily."

The Superintendent of Banks in this State is required to decline in price on securities held by savings banks on June 1 and Dec. 1. The same question has come up again between the State and the market on June 30 and on July 30, which would affect savings bank surplus. Supt. Richards is expected to decide the matter within a week or so.

A Machine for Banding China.

A new device has been put on the market to assist decorators of china and glassware in the banding of regular and irregular pieces of pottery. It is said for the bander that it can be used successfully on round, square, oval, or teardrop china, glass, agate, and other ware. There is nothing about the device to get out of order, and it is said that it can be used capably after very little practice. The machine is used against the edge of the object being banded and which guides the brush, is one of the principle parts of the device. The movements of the brush in the device are governed by an adjusting screw which is operated by the forefinger of the hand which holds it. It is only necessary to insert a piece of wire point provided for that purpose and proceed as before.

WHEAT.

Recent political developments in Europe and fears of further complications have intensified the bullish feeling in the wheat market as it strengthens the theory that America will have to furnish an even greater amount of wheat to importing countries. Export buying during the past few days has been on a large scale, and the requirements abroad are apparently urgent. Sales on Saturday, however, were a reaction to the advance and the market, after showing an early advance, developed a sagging tendency and closed 1/2 cent lower. The interior receipts for the week were 12,775,000 bushels, compared with 10,253,000 bushels the previous week and 10,253,000 bushels last year. Clearances from the board for the week were 4,380,000 bushels, compared with 4,380,000 bushels the previous week and 4,380,000 bushels a year ago. In the local cash market, No. 2 winter wheat was quoted at \$1.17 1/2. No. 2 hard, \$1.18. No. 1 Northern, \$1.19. No. 1 Southern, \$1.20. No. 1 Western, \$1.21. 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LACK OF NEW FABRICS BEING FELT IN WORLD OF FASHION

Wonderful Weave-Like Beaver Fur Is Only Attractive Material Offered—Attempt Being Made to Introduce Cotton Velvets As a Feature of Coming Winter's Styles—Revival of Old Fashioned Silks.

It is either good or bad for business that the great French masters of the loom and the dye pot put out few new materials this season, and contented themselves with furnishing up well-known weaves that had not proved definitely successful when invented.

Even Rodier, the master of them all, did this, and his stamp of approval on velours de laine, ratine, velvet, and brocades gave the impetus in America to the usage of fabrics that had been on the counters for three years. To these well-known dress materials were added satins with silver or gold threads passed on by a rolling process, varnished satin such as the milliners used last Spring, and brocaded gauzes in the Arabian style that some of the chief dressmakers put into evening gowns last March.

Even the substitutes for serge, called gaberdine and vigogne, are not strictly new, although the American public has not made much use of the latter since its invention two years ago. Now that the high-priced dressmakers show it favoritism, it has come into some prominence.

The velours de laine of this season looks very much like the weave of several years ago with which we found fault because of its tendency to show every crease and rub itself into "bald" spots. True, its successor, called duvetyne, was infinitely worse, showing the mark of every chair so strongly that even sandpaper was of no avail, as it often is with fabrics that achieve spots by reason of the pile being flattened.

The present quality of velours de laine is very much better, so its advocates declare, and the present weave of ratine is far and away superior to anything we have had under this name. Probably, the majority of shops have not an adequate supply of these materials on the counters, but they will not have serious trouble in imitating the French weaves very closely or selling all the materials left from last Winter.

Beaver Plush Is Added.

Along with the two soft, silky fabrics that have been revived, comes a wonderful weave like beaver fur. It is usually called by the old-fashioned name of plush and is probably the most sumptuous of all the materials for street use. It wears well, they say, although no one can assure that with authority until women have put the fabric to actual hard use.

Every one remembers how duvetyne failed us after hundreds of dollars had been spent on it by hundreds of women. It was such a hopeless failure. There was no remedy for it. Every one who was not defiant of public opinion was compelled to discard even the handsomest gowns of it, or go about looking thoroughly shabby.

Will the new plush behave better? The next month will tell. In the meantime, women are fighting a bit shy of it for this reason, as well as for a more serious one, which is its scar-

city in the American market and the consequent high price asked for it.

Never has there been a more plaintive argument for higher prices for gowns this Winter than the one advanced concerning the scarcity of French materials. It is surely time the American-made goods became a necessity and the buyer became sufficiently proficient in the judging of fabric to detect when it was really

American, carried under a French label.

There is no form of women's apparel, or few, at least, that is not advanced in price in certain quarters under the plaint of the war. When it is not the war, it was the tariff, or the slow movement in Wall Street. One has a strong curiosity to know what the next excuse of high prices will be! If one is asked two or three hun-

ded dollars for an afternoon gown which was imported from Paris, the price is explained on the steepness of the original cost plus the duty. If one asks for an explanation of the still higher price asked for a copy of that gown, one is given to understand that it is based on the exorbitant salary demanded by the "hands" in America. If \$25 is added to the price, it is because you have chosen the material of which there is only a bolt in the States and therefore—

If you have been through this mill time after time, haven't you intense curiosity as to the explanation when Paris does not offer any clothes, when there are no French fabrics to be had, when through the inevitable settling down of the entire scale of prices for everything not a necessity, the "hands" will be glad to earn a moderate, if steady, salary? How much easier it would be to put the explanation always up to one's own workmanship as the great French designers, and as all persons do who through unusual talents or power feel superior to the ordinary workman.

Cotton Velvet for Gowns.

There is a strong attempt to make cotton velvet a feature of the Winter's fashion, because France took it up with quite a show of vigor, and because the patriotic American woman knows that the more cotton fabrics she buys, that much sooner will the present supply be exhausted and the new cotton in the bale be demanded to go into the mills, giving work where work and money are frightfully needed; for, mind you, not all the suffering in this war will be in Europe. This is the second time in the half century that the South will be hit hard by battle.

The campaign for cotton gowns is a good one, and, if successful, will serve the country in several ways. There is little need to tell any woman of the loveliness of a cotton frock, or how she shall make it, especially if that woman has spent any time below the imaginary boundary line, in a land where the trick is turned in a graceful manner.

Organdie and cotton chiffon and batiste, point d'esprit, and "footing" have been the staples of the Southerners' wardrobe for more than a century, and any woman, especially a debutante, looks well in them. If they will not serve for the formal occasions among women who are turned out smartly in society, they will serve for the informal life of the house during the Winter.

A debutante who wishes to do something individual should take organdie and colored muslin for her social uniform, make each gown according to the best style, vary them as much as her ingenuity suggests, proclaim her programme, and the result would be that she would be written down as one of intelligence and originality, and she would have all the followers that every debutante craves. Added to this, she would be inexpensively dressed, which is an item of more importance this Winter than it has been in ten years.

Are brocades to be reckoned among the new silks? If so, they would take a chapter to describe and enthrall over. Surely the weavers and dyers went back far in the world's output of marvelous fabrics to learn the secret of the richness, the suppleness, the coloring, the use of bullion that the present hour brocades show. They are a credit to the workers of the epoch.

SMART VERSION OF NEW FASHION.



A Jenny model of biscuit-colored cloth with sealskin trimming.

OSTRICH TRIMMING ON BLOUSE LATEST STYLE NOTE.



This blouse of sheer batiste, made more substantial with stitching and tucks, is made still daintier with ostrich fringe effectively put on. With it is worn a huge purple velvet hat, trimmed with a pink rose and a bunch of grapes at the side.

There is a brocade that reminds one of the exotic east, of the temple dancers, of the girls in the Algerian cafes, of the basars in the camel's pathway. It is transparent, with flowers shining on the surface done in satin, in crystals, in bullion.

There are others on supple foundation with a flatly pressed thread of silver or gold forming a vague design like a flecked sky. There are brocades that might serve for a museum chair of Louis XIV's time, and which are sparingly used to bring out the richness of a thin gown; and there are heavy, bold brocades that might have been used by Slavic priest, and which the modern woman may wear as a loose, flowing garment banded with deep Russian fur and grided with deep-laid crystals.

One naturally associates the idea of brocade with a flowered design on a satin surface, but this season we have the brocade velvet, the kind that costs, and of which the human frame can stand only a moderate amount. These, as well as some of the satin ones, are made in two-yard lengths showing a single pattern; but lovely as they are, they are a snare and a de-

lusion in the hands of the amateur or one who has not a proper valuation of their worth and the way to use them.

As for taffeta, one still sees it, even though the cold weather is advancing when the just and the unjust flee from this stiff, cold silk. A few of the important gowns have a commingling of gaberdine and taffeta, such as a long tunic of one over a skirt of the other, and sleeves of one in a blouse or jacket of the other.

But such fashions smack of the early Autumn and hold good only in the moderate climates for the Winter months. The style may be a good one for women who cannot wear woolen fabrics through the period that stretches from October to April, because the climate does not offer enough cold days to warrant it.

Cross-Barred Silks.

But what is more smarter than taffeta is faille, the silk of our grandmothers. It has not only been revived,

but has been accepted without a demur. It serves for all kinds of gowns except those intended for the street—and one often sees it there under a long top coat. It comes in colors and black, and makes durable and attractive evening frocks. Time was when the belle of the day did not feel herself properly fitted out unless she had an amethyst or pink faille evening frock trimmed with expensive lace in a weave we never see now.

One of the dressmakers started a fashion for making blocks on the black faille with stripes of black velvet, and many dressmakers are now doing this. The shops also sell the fabrics already arranged in squares. It is not attractive as an entire gown; it must be part of a frock.

For instance, there is a model with a gathered skirt of the blacked silk and velvet that just escapes the floor, and above it is a short chemise of black velvet, the softest weave that the milliners use. There are long

sleeves fitting the arms like gloves, and a mediaeval décolletage that shows more of the shoulders than the chest. Trying, but ultra-fashionable. Among the other old-fashioned silks which are revived this season are those striped ones in contrasting colors, such as pale yellow and bright blue, crimson and buff, black and white, which we jumble together in our minds with the fashions of the Directory and the Revolution. Debutantes are wearing these to afternoon teas as well as to dances.

They are often made in a pictorial style, and if a young girl lends herself well to this style of dress, there is a novelty at her hand. The original frock of this kind made this season had a gathered short skirt of buff and blue—Continental coloring—caught up at one side, and above it a half-fitting bodice of bright-blue velvet with a wide décolletage that stretched across the shoulders and ended in a peplum below the waist with a flaring tail at the back.

At the left of the waist there was a bouquet of lilies of the valley and pink roses, with a small white bird holding in its beak a shower of colored ribbons. There are widely striped silks in black and white that are made into full skirts with bodices, fitted, or loose like a chemise, of black velvet that reach up to the neck and end in a boned white lace collar, or are cut away to show a slice of the shoulders in imitation of the gowns worn by the ladies when the "Doges" were the Kings. If it is permissible to quote the august Mr. Browning in anything so frivolous as evening gowns, although, if I am not mistaken, he indulged in a bit of a description of a coiffure himself in the same poem.

NEW LINGERIE

NEVER did the shops show more tempting lingerie than they do this Autumn. Probably that is a statement made every season. For each season lingerie does appear to be lovelier than ever before.

In the last few years, however, since chiffon and crêpe de chine have been so largely used for negligees and lingerie, there is a note of beauty about underwear that it has never before had. The fastidious woman always demands lingerie that can be easily washed, and some of the new lingerie, fur trimmed, flower trimmed, and made of silk and satin, must be sent to the dry cleaner. But crêpe de chine, wash taffeta, and other wash silks can all be laundered as satisfactorily as muslin.

As for the little silk flowers that are used for trimming, they can be removed whenever the garment they trim is laundered, and when they are soiled they can be dipped in gasoline and so cleaned thoroughly. Some of them can even be treated to a bath in soapuds, then rinsed, and shaken until most of the water is out of them. They should be pinned to a towel and hung in the air, but not in the sun, to dry. They should be shaken two or three times in the drying.

Crêpe de chine underwear is generally lace trimmed, but some of it is scalloped and embroidered in self-toned silks, and this is especially durable, as it washes well and is easily ironed.

When all is said and done, nothing is quite so lovely, in the way of lingerie, as that of muslin. The sheerest batiste and lawn are used for combinations, chemises and petticoats that vie with the crêpe de chine and chiffon garments in beauty. Some of them are lace trimmed, some are hand embroidered, and run with tiny hand-sewn tucks.

SOME OF THE SEASON'S NOVELTIES

WIDE BRAID BELTS.

WIDE silk braid is much used in the French models. Sometimes it forms pockets, sometimes it is used to band a long tunic, sometimes it is used as a belt, run through straps of the fabric of the frock it adorns. Needless to say, the braid belt is loose and placed low at the hips.

BRAID AND FUR.

BRAID and fur are interestingly combined in ornaments for cloth coats. There are frogs of black braid edged with a narrow fringe of soft black fur, and with a fur collar of braid banding on the coat, the effect of these frocks would be very good.

THE LONG SLEEVE.

THE very long sleeve, which is the accepted one this Autumn, is made to fit with glove-like tightness from the waist almost to the floor. That is, if the sleeve is tight at all, it is really tight. Some bishop sleeves are used, and these, of course, are full above a narrow waistband.

SILVER AND GREEN.

SILVER lace and emerald green velvet have been combined in several of the models of the Autumn that have attracted wide attention. One evening gown is made with much silver lace on an emerald green foundation, and further trimming of rhinestones to add to the silvery, light effect.

SHIRTING OVER CORD.

SHIRTING is one of the best methods of trimming used this Autumn. Heavy velvet is held in place by shirting over cords, and this method of arranging the fullness answers the twofold purpose of trimming and of making the fabric more widely.

FUR FABRICS.

THERE are on the market several fabrics which simulate fur—velour fabrics, most of them. They are used to trim coats where fur would otherwise be used. But they do not

resemble fur closely enough to be mistaken for it; evidently there is no effort to do that. They are frankly cloth, with a furlike finish.

COLORED ORGANDIE.

MUCH of the new organdie neckwear is not all white. There are Roman striped corners on some of the collars and cuffs, of bright, printed colors—stripes half an inch wide. Then there is much striping of black on collars and vests of organdie. Some of the newest things, too, are embroidered in Oriental designs with red and green and other colors.

PLEATED HANDBAGS.

A BLUE silk handbag is made with pleats running across, not up and down, as they often run. It is a novelty, and therefore will probably be the object of a good deal of attention. It is finished with a strap handle of the silk.

STRAPS.

STRAPS are used to restrain the fullness in many of the new Winter coats and skirts. Sometimes there are two straps across the back of a coat where the full skirt flares from

the waist section. Sometimes there are straps across the front of the skirt to hold in the fullness below the waist, and sometimes they are used for the same purpose on the hips. They are attached usually, and give a very smart finish.

GABERDINE.

GABERDINE is still one of the fashionable fabrics. It has proved almost as durable, perhaps quite as durable, as serge. It has an attractive finish and it is soft and supple. So it has shown itself suitable for the most exacting wear. It is a pleasant change from serge, too, for although serge is always welcome when it is in fashion, it sometimes grows a bit tiresome.

APRONS.

SOME of the new evening models have apron drapery in the front, and an odd thing about it is that the apron section falls longer than the foundation. The apron is of metallic lace.

SERGE AND SATIN TOGETHER.

SERGE and satin are now combined, and many a serge frock, with a long serge tunic, has a

black satin foundation skirt and other touches of black satin. Sometimes there is a moyen age slip of blue serge with black satin foundation skirt and black satin sleeves that reach to the knuckles.

CHIFFON WITH VELVET.

IN a velvet coat suit, which is made for afternoon wear, for velvet is not suitable for morning suits, there is a full skirt gathered on a shirred chiffon yoke. There is a long, flaring coat lined with chiffon. The whole suit is decidedly likable, with its interesting combination of velvet and chiffon.

POINTS EVERYWHERE.

THE fashion for points is in full swing. The new note in some of the Autumn skirts is a point, back and front. The trains of evening frocks are long and pointed. Many evening frocks have drapery on the skirt or bodice which falls in long points. There are pointed scalloped, too, on some afternoon frock tunics.

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Sandwiches First Aid to the Hostess, Must Above All Else, Have Good Bread in Them.

It was the fourth Earl of Sandwich who, some 150 years ago, ate the first sandwich, and though that passing Earl has long since shuffled his last deck of cards and taken his last trick, the ingenious article of diet which he invented has been in favor—increasingly so, in fact—ever since. John Montagu, that was the Earl's baptismal name, was an indefatigable card player. He played in the morning and he played in the afternoon and he played in the evening, and then half through the night, and though he had a very good appetite, he used to become so attached to his game that he actually refused to stop to eat. So he ordered his servants to bring his meals to him, and, in order not to have to stop long enough to cut his meat and break his bread, he had slices of bread with ham placed between them made for him, which could be easily consumed between plays.

So sponsored by an Earl, the sandwich came into favor in England and was speedily adopted as a convenient and tempting form in which to serve bread and meat at any time when the guests were not to be seated at table. For refreshments at the card table, for receptions, for buffet breakfasts, for garden parties, and for evening collations the sandwich came at once into prominence.

But what an evolution from the Earl's coarse slices of bread and ham to the dainty layers of bread that we have nowadays, cut and rolled and tied into clever shape and put together with filling that taxes the ingenuity of the cleverest chefs.

For the ham sandwich of the Earl's invention no longer passes muster among the fastidious. It is reminiscent of hasty lunches snatched between trains at remote railroad stations, school-day lunches eaten eagerly at recess with a pickle and a cookie. But somehow it is not at all suggestive of either Earl or card tables.

A Question of Bread.

Although a sandwich is known by its filling, still the first thing to do in making a good sandwich is to make sure of satisfactory bread. Sandwich bread can be bought at almost all caterers or bakers, although in some places it has to be ordered the day before. By the payment of a very little additional price the caterer will cut the bread before delivering it. As it is no easy task to shave bread off thin enough to make a dainty sandwich without breaking it, this is a good plan. However, the task of cutting it at

Black, Silver and Pink.

A bonnet so light and small that it is almost negligible, but so charming that it is decidedly noticeable, is this little one of black lace, trimmed with silver braid and pink roses.

home can be easier accomplished if the bread knife, made very sharp, is heated before using. In cutting bread at home it is also a good idea to butter each slice of bread on the loaf before cutting it. The butter should be melted, but under no circumstances allowed to become really hot.

As the slices are taken from the loaf care should be taken to keep adjoining slices in pairs so that after the filling is added the slices can be fitted exactly together again. Usually the butter is spread on one slice and the filling on the other.

Savory Fillings.
Among the most appetizing sandwich fillings are the imported fish pastes which can be bought at any of the large grocers. These pastes spread sparingly on the bread with a little shredded lettuce produce a delightful result.

Among other fillings that are always acceptable, though exceedingly usual, are those made from combinations of cream cheese—cream cheese and green peppers, cream cheese and pimientos, cream cheese and olives, cream cheese and celery, and a dozen other tasteful combinations of cream cheese.

Among newer sandwich combinations are the following:
Minced celery and mayonnaise dressing with one slice of white bread and one slice of brown bread.
Apple sauce with lemon juice and grated lemon peel and whipped cream.



A SUIT warm and smart for the very little girl. This French model is well worth copying. It is made of green cloth, edged with green and white checks, and there is a white flannel vest.

These ingredients should be mixed thoroughly and spread on thin slices of whole wheat bread.
Dry broiled bacon and cooked chicken liver put through the meat chopper and mixed with mayonnaise dressing.
Minced celery, canned salmon, and mayonnaise with shredded lettuce.
Raisins chopped and mixed with mayonnaise dressing with or without the addition of chopped nuts.

For a heartier sandwich, chopped chicken livers with bacon and mayonnaise dressing and sliced tomatoes.
A Question of Shape.
In making all dainty sandwiches the bread crust should be cut off after the slices of bread have been placed together. Then the sandwiches should be cut into dainty shapes. Triangles made by cutting a slice of bread diagonally into four pieces are easy to make. Narrow oblongs can be made by cutting the slice into lengthwise strips. With the use of fancy-shaped tin cutters more interesting effects can be gained. These cutters can be bought in the shapes of the various pipes on a deck of cards—hearts, diamonds, clubs, and spades—and in various other dainty shapes.

Exceedingly effective are sandwiches served in rolls tied with ribbon. These rolls should not be attempted unless the filling of the sandwich is very thin and is spread sparingly. Plain bread and butter sandwiches would be the easiest to handle. Then the sand-

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Recipe for Making That Ever-Welcome Delicacy, Old-Fashioned Gingerbread.

BABAS and eclairs may come and go, but gingerbread stays on. There was probably one original method of making this delectable, sweet, dark bread, or plain cake—whichever you may call it. But there have been devised so many variations on the one original method that it is almost lost in obscurity.

The Old-Fashioned Kind.
Here is an old family recipe for gingerbread that has been tried and not found wanting by several generations:

One-half cupful of sugar, one-half cupful New Orleans molasses, one-half cupful of sweet milk, one-half teaspoonful of soda dissolved in one tablespoonful of water, one tablespoonful of butter or lard, melted slightly, one teaspoonful of ground ginger, one teaspoonful of cinnamon, one-half teaspoonful of baking powder, one and a half cupfuls of flour, one beaten egg.
Sift the dry ingredients together into a bowl. Add molasses, milk and shortening. Beat well. Then add the egg. Bake slowly in a loaf, in a flat pan or in small patty-cake pans.

With More Eggs.
Here is a recipe for a sponge gingerbread that uses more eggs in comparison to the other ingredients:
One cupful of sugar, one cupful of molasses, one cupful of milk, three cupfuls of flour, two tablespoonfuls of baking powder, one-half teaspoonful of salt, three well beaten eggs.

Called Molasses Cakes.
This is another family recipe, that goes under the name of molasses cake. It is richer than either of the other recipes given:

One-half cupful of butter, one-half cupful of sugar, two beaten eggs, two cupfuls of flour, one-half teaspoonful each of cinnamon, allspice, and cloves, one-half cupful of milk, one cupful of molasses, one teaspoonful of soda, one-half cupful of boiling water.
Cream the butter and sugar and add the eggs and molasses. Sift the spices and flour together and add alternately with the milk. Then dissolve the soda in the boiling water and add last.

Without Eggs.
There are some very good recipes for gingerbread without eggs, and here is one:
One cupful of New Orleans molasses, one cupful of sugar, one-half cupful of butter or lard, one cupful of boiling water, one full teaspoonful of soda, one teaspoonful of ginger, one-half teaspoonful of cinnamon, four cupfuls of flour.
Dissolve the soda in a tablespoonful of the boiling water and add to the molasses. Then add the shortening melted, the rest of the boiling water and the flour, mixed with the spices. Beat until smooth and bake.

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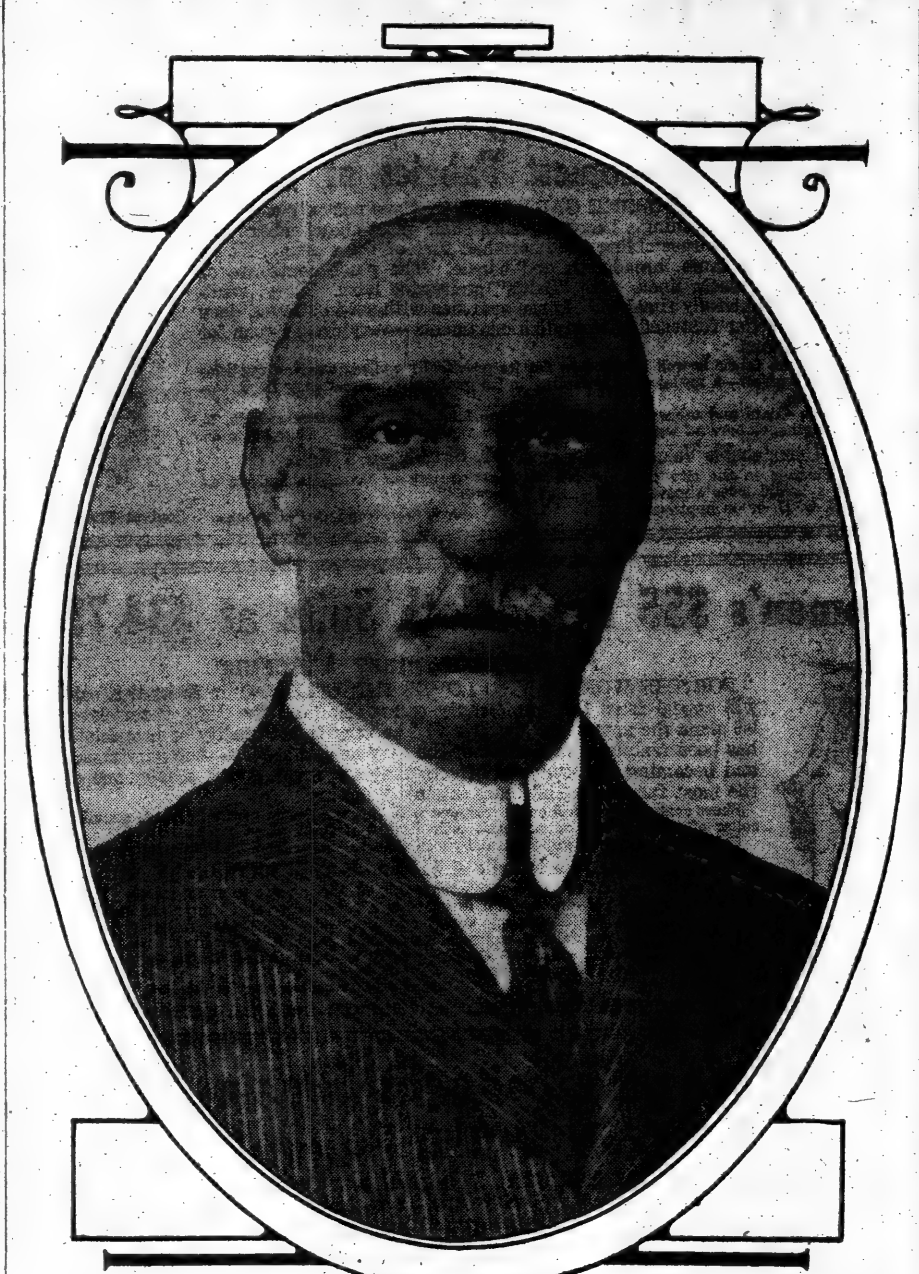
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TWO REMARKABLE CHANGES EFFECTED IN NEW YORK SCHOOLS

Dr. William Ettinger Explains Pre-Vocational Training and Two-Unit System, Tried Out This Year in Nine Schools for the First Time, Which Represent an Important Step Forward in City's Educational History.



Dr. William Ettinger.

It has been vaguely realized that this year has brought some changes in New York City's public school system. But because that change has been gathering force for several years, and because it is being put in operation quietly in but nine schools for a try-out, the general public is unaware that anything very radical has been effected in our educational machinery.

Nevertheless, the change which has been inaugurated this year in a selected number of the elementary schools is one of the most significant in the city's educational history, and the experiments which are now well under way mark a most important step forward. They are all in the direction of industrial training and include two remarkable innovations. One, a system of pre-vocational training, the first of its kind ever attempted on a large scale, and the other the two-unit system which has proved successful in the well-known industrial school at Gary, Ind.

The present educational administration has fairly added this word "pre-vocational" to our vocabulary. In a few years it will be as familiar as the earlier "vocational," though as yet it is a new term.

Up to the present time the pre-vocational work in this city has been known rather under the vague classification of "vocational guidance." In the elementary schools the demand for some of the manual training, of the domestic science, inaugurated in the high schools, has made itself felt, and these have become a part of the elementary school curriculum.

But they played no very important part. They were incidental. Whether a child on graduation from the eighth grade should go to a trade school, to high school, or to work depended largely on the advice of his parents, and not upon any guidance offered him by the work he had done in the elementary grades.

The fact that about 40,000 of the 800,000 school children in New York City are leaving school before they complete the eighth grade has been troubling educational authorities for some time. To increase the industrial training offered by the technical high schools, to build more trade schools would obviously not reach these children. Even the institution of the evening school would not solve the difficulty.

In 1912-1913 there were in our public elementary schools 661,000 students. In the second year there were 86,000. But in the graduating year, the eighth, there were but 48,000. Forty-one thousand of those who graduated that year qualified for entrance into the high schools. Of that number 23,000, less than half, entered. And of the number that entered high school, there remained in the fourth year a little less than a sixth—something over 4,000 pupils.

This means not only that 40,000 of the children of the city who most need the benefits of industrial training are not getting it, but that many thousands more are wandering into the wrong places in the educational system, growing tired because they are not adapted to the work they have wandered into, and so falling by the wayside.

It is to remedy this situation that a pre-vocational system is now being introduced in nine of the elementary schools of Greater New York, in Manhattan at Nos. 64, 95, and 102; in Brooklyn at Nos. 5, 158, and 162; in Queens at No. 55; in the Bronx at No. 45, and in Richmond at No. 1.

In the seventh and eighth year classes of these nine schools, boys and girls of 12, 13, and 14 are conducting their own psychological experiments. They are discovering their own aptitudes for work under conditions as nearly similar to those existing in the industrial world about them as it is possible to secure.

This is accomplished by a scheme of rotation which has never been put into effect on any large scale anywhere in this country or in Europe. In all of these schools shops have been installed to take the place of some of the classrooms. Here the basic industries are taught. For the boys there are classes in woodwork, in sheet metal, in printing, plumbing, machine work, electric wiring and installation, and trade drawing. For the girls there are classes in machine sewing, millinery, novelty work, and housekeeping.

A boy who enters the first half of his seventh year is guided into one of these industrial classes, unless he shows a marked desire for purely academic work. He spends ten weeks in that class, doing practical trade work. At the end of ten weeks he is shifted to the next class, from woodwork perhaps to printing.

Should the boy show any marked aptitude for any division of the work, he is urged to go on through the other departments of the industrial work, but advances along that line. For the most part, however, the plan is that each student should gain a general idea of the requirements and the conditions in each of the industries among which he will have to choose when he leaves school to go to work.

"The idea in all this," explains Dr. William Ettinger, who has charge of this pre-vocational experiment, "is to allow these children to gain a general idea of what the industrial world into which they are very shortly going is like, to become acquainted with the principal processes that lie at the bottom of this complex industrial world. That, in itself, is a broadening thing. The boy who knows nothing but his own trade isn't as good a workman, however skillful he may be, as the fellow who understands the trade that is allied to his, the trades that are related to his, and who has a general but intimate knowledge of all the divisions of the industrial life of which he is a part.

"That, in itself, is a broadening influence. But, of course, one of the chief aims of this pre-vocational work is vocational guidance. No amount of

psychological analysis or speed tests or anything like that can ascertain with any degree of accuracy the child's aptitude for certain kinds of work. He must actually do the work to find out if he likes it, and if he likes it that means he can do it.

"The idea of these rotating industrial classes is to give each boy a taste of the different trades. Emphatically, the idea is not to give the boy a trade training. That must be accomplished in the technical school or the shop to which the boy of fourteen will go when he leaves us.

"What we want to insure is only that he goes into the right place. We want to save the boy a year or two of casting around to find himself, of getting run into blind alleys, of wasting his time in the wrong department of the high school. That is why so many pupils fall by the wayside on their way to the fourth year of high school. They find the education they are getting is doing them no good and they drop out to go into a shop.

The twelve or thirteen year old boy who enters any one of these pre-vocational classes is observed very carefully during the ten weeks of his stay. He has no definite thing to accomplish save the finding of himself. The instructor's aim is not to turn out so many tin funnels, or so many milliners' hat stands, or so many paper boxes. The product is immaterial, and the trade knowledge which the child acquires is incidental. The chief thing is the discovery of the child's aptitude or inaptitude.

"A boy comes to me," says the director of the industrial work at Public School 82, "and says he doesn't like the woodworking class, and he's been wasting his time there. I tell him he hasn't been wasting his time, he might better take ten weeks now to learn, and learn thoroughly, that there was one trade he positively didn't want and couldn't work at, than to take two or three years of his life when he had to be earning his wages trying to get out of it."

This pre-vocational experiment was quietly put into effect in School 82 last Spring for a term of about ten weeks. This Fall it is well under way with over 600 pupils working at the various trades.

In this school it is possible to observe the effect of the experiment on academic work, a reflex which is not yet felt in the eight other schools where the plan is just starting. Such an institution of industrial work has, of course, meant a cutting down of the time devoted to geography, arithmetic, history, spelling, penmanship, and English composition. Moreover, the old academic ideal in all these subjects has been obliged to go by the board. The academic work is all firmly linked up with the industrial work, and has no existence per se. For instance, geography is not taught country by country, history year by year, regardless of whether a boy is binding books or wiring a house. Everything is correlated. Geography is a side issue of industrial history, history is the succession of economic movements, arithmetic is a matter of accounts which

have to do with the shop in which the boy is spending his ten weeks.

In Public School 82, for instance, the commercial department is the book-keeping office for all the industrial divisions. Each shop has its own bookkeeper, supplies are ordered, received, sent out through this office, exactly as though it were the business division of a large shop or factory.

"In a word," says Dr. Ettinger, "this plan must vitalize academic work. Far from making it a side issue, from gradually putting it to the shelf, it is making it a live thing. Learning, book learning, is made purposeful, something that the child will use in his everyday life.

"If the reflex on the child's academic work is not one of the fourfold benefit, then this whole plan of pre-vocational training will be a complete fizzle."

It is as yet too early to show results in percentages from this experiment. In Public School 82, however, where the plan has had but ten weeks' trial, the average number in the classes under the pre-vocational system which were not advanced at the end of the year was two as against five to seven in the year before. In one of the west side schools, where the problem of overage children constantly leaving school was very great, attendance for the year was increased 225 days for both boys and girls after the institution of vocational training.

This pre-vocational idea, as it has been worked out under Dr. Ettinger's supervision, is a new feature in education. In Gary, Ind., there is a pre-vocational system, but it is not managed on the rotating plan which has been adopted here. In the Gary school the system extends from the children in the kindergarten to the high school graduate, and actual shop training begins as early as the fourth grade.

Major Mitchell, accompanied by President Churchill and other members of the Board of Education, visited the Gary school last Spring, and the general adoption of the pre-vocational work and the two-unit system in this city has resulted. To put so radical a system in operation in Gary and to make it go in New York, are it must be remembered, two different plans, which call for a complete reconstruction of plant and administrative system for the entire City of New York is a colossal undertaking, yet it has thus far been attended with success.

The plan has necessitated much smaller classes. A class in arithmetic could, unfortunately, be put up to a membership of fifty or sixty. A class in electric wiring does not dare get much above a round dozen. Moreover, to carry on extensive industrial work, requiring the installation of power machines and benches, many of the classrooms have been converted into shops.

"Ordinarily," says Dr. Ettinger, "this would reduce the seating capacity. But by adopting the two-unit plan, which is in force in the Gary school, we are actually increasing the school capacity 50 per cent. For instance, in splitting up a forty-eight-room building into thirty-six classrooms and twelve shops, we have made accommodations for forty-eight classes, but for twice thirty-six classes. This we accomplish by having two distinct schools in one building, and these schools have alternating programmes.

The following schedule taken from

Entire School in Regular Classrooms Following Special School Activities	
Language, 30'	Y
Writing and spelling, 30'	Y
9:30-10:30 X	
Music and ext., 30'	Y
Reading, 30'	Y
10:30-11:30 Y	
Arithmetic, 40'	X
History, 30'	X
11:30-12:30 X	
Science, 40'	X
Drawing, 30'	X
12:30-1:30 Y	
Science, 40'	X
Drawing, 30'	X
1:30-2:30 X	
Arithmetic, 40'	Y
History, 30'	Y
2:30-3:30 Y	
Language, 30'	X
Writing and spelling, 30'	X
3:30-4:30 Y	
Music and ext., 30'	Y
Reading, 30'	Y
4:30-5:00 X	
Miscellaneous voluntary exercises for both schools	

One of the greatest advantages of this duplicate system is that the school hours may be arranged to suit the convenience of the parents. Should a mother, for instance, desire to have one child at home to help her through the entire day, that may be accomplished by having one of the children attend the X and the other the Y school.

It is planned to make the school day an eight-hour day. Formerly recreation after school hours was a hit-or-miss affair. The schools have been kept open and continuously used for recreation, but the supervision has been voluntary, and it has been an incidental part of the general scheme.

Under this plan the student may choose either the morning or the afternoon for his regular subjects. Half of the day he may attend school, the other half he may work in the school shop or outside the school if he so desire.

Now, according to Dr. Ettinger, the child will have the opportunity to spend eight hours of his time under the influence of the school.

"We want to make the school, and not the street, the clearing house for children's activities. We are making it definitely understood to the parents and to the children that the school will care for them from 8:30 in the morning to 5:30 in the afternoon.

"We cannot require eight hours' attendance of the children. Many of them must sell papers in the afternoon or run errands or help at home. The school has no right to require attendance from these children. They do not need the help of the school, either. If they are working, they are learning.

"It is the child who wastes his time on the street, subject to all manner of influences, who must be reached. We are keeping a careful record of the children who are required to work after school hours; the rest come to us for organized recreation."

The relation of the school to the community is being more distinctly recognized in this new plan. For instance, the use of libraries, churches,

and playgrounds will be made much more effective by the adoption of the two-unit system. At present there is an overwhelming rush of children to the libraries and playgrounds after 5 o'clock, while they are practically unused during the morning hours.

Under the two-unit system, which makes use of all the hours of the day, the demand made on libraries and playgrounds will eventually be evenly distributed.

This turning of classrooms into shops has done away with the poor rooms which have aroused the contempt of many visitors to the New York schools. By vacating the unfit rooms and setting aside the poorer ones for workshops, laboratories, and studios, the remaining rooms, about two-thirds of the original number, are pretty good classrooms.

This is possible by the doubling of the school's capacity, which obviously requires the spreading of pupils into inadequate classrooms.

Even the children in the elementary grades are to be brought into as close touch as possible with the libraries and churches of their community, but with the industrial insti-

tutions, which they will encounter when they leave school. Field work, special work at School 82, already is a feature. The boys of the printing shop are taken to study the printing business at first hand in several of the large printing establishments of the city; the girls spend several hours in one of the large white goods factories, watching the actual operation of the trade which they are studying. Every effort is being made to bring the manufacturer in closer touch with the boys and girls who are perhaps going to be his future employees.

The demand for this pre-vocational training has been instantaneous. Most of the schools where the experiment is being tried are situated in working-class districts. They are the schools in which a very large proportion of the children go direct from the seventh or eighth grade to the shop or factory. In School 84, where there are 3,400 pupils, and where for the last few years supplementary vocational work has been a large feature, there was not one child who elected to take a purely academic course.

In School 82 but 600 children can at

present be accommodated in the pre-vocational work.

"All the children in a school like this on the east side," explains the industrial training director, "want just this sort of training. There is no doubt in any one's mind about that. And they are not too young for vocational guidance, either. The average east side boy is precocious; at the age of 13 he is ready to choose his life work; he has matured early."

The general plan of the Board of Education is to extend this pre-vocational system, coupled with the two-unit plan, by which the best degree of use is extracted from the school building, throughout Greater New York wherever it is needed. The institution of this system does not mean that the privilege of a straight academic education is denied in any school. Entrance on vocational work is optional.

"In a word," said Dr. Ettinger in summing up the advantages of the whole scheme, "we shall, I hope, be able to remove the criticism which has so often been made of the public school child, that when he gets out of school he doesn't know anything. At least, he will know one thing when he comes from a class in pre-vocational work; he will know where to go to learn what he wants to know and he'll be pretty definite about what he wants to know."

QUERIES AND ANSWERS

Readers of The Times are particularly requested to read the following before sending queries to the Query Department.

This department does not pretend to be infallible. It will endeavor to answer questions sent to it by THE TIMES readers to the best of its ability. No answers can be given regarding legal or medical matters, card problems, propriety in dress, correctness of English sentences, and values of stamps and coins, nor to questions of a trivial character, or of concern only to the questioner.

To receive attention every question must bear the name and address of the sender. This does not necessarily mean that the name will be published when the question is answered, only the initials will be used if the questioner so desires. No attention will be paid to queries to which the name and address of the sender are not appended. Hundreds of letters are received by this department, so that it is obviously impossible to answer all of them immediately. In many cases there must be a certain amount of unavoidable delay.

The Guillotine.

The following statement has been received from B. E. Deacon, the guillotine in Belgium. The guillotine is, however, still listed as the "instrument of capital punishment" in that country.

Will you allow me, for the benefit of one of your readers, Mr. E. M. Deacon, to correct a statement in THE TIMES, regarding the guillotine. It is not used in Belgium, that is its practical use has been abolished for the last 40 years or so, following an express wish of Leopold II, the King of Belgium (consort of Leopold II), that capital punishment be abolished. A criminal can still be sentenced to "death," but automatically the sentence is commuted into life-long imprisonment. The last man who was beheaded for murder was a certain Lachart of Ghent, some forty odd years ago.

European Powers.

MEAD HODGMAN.—Will you kindly give me information as to which had the largest number of fighting vessels, France or Germany, at the signing of the armistice? Which was the greater naval power?

This question has been answered under the heading "The Great Navies."

Proof of American Birth.

W. E. M.—I was much surprised to learn from your answer to J. H. P. that a person born in this country of foreign parents was not considered an American citizen unless he declared his desire to be one and proved his birth before a notary. I am quite sure that this is not generally known, and that many persons do not comply with it. Could the vote of such a person be challenged? What is his status in regard to the rights and duties of citizenship?

In traveling through the country I have often noted the waste land and wondered who paid taxes on it. I should also like to know something about the fundamental law in regard to wild game. If you cannot answer these questions in your column, will you kindly refer me to a source of information?

A man who has been born in this country of foreign parents is an American citizen by virtue of his American birth, whether or not he declares publicly his intention as to be. But since he may also be regarded as a citizen of his parents' country, and since he may be challenged at the polls for proof of his birth in this country, it is wise for him to go before a notary on coming of age and declare his intention of being a citizen of this country instead of his parents', as well as to attest his American birth. The mere fact of his being born in the United States, however, assures him the rights and duties of American citizenship.

This Times cannot answer questions with regard to the United States laws.

such as game laws and tax provisions, in its query column. You may obtain the information you desire from the Taxpayers' Service Bureau and from the Forest, Fish, and Game Commission, the addresses of which will be found in the city telephone directory.

Children's Hospitals.

ALICE CAMPBELL.—Can you advise me of the addresses of any of the hospitals for children, or do you know of what might care for picture post-cards?

Among the children's hospitals in the city and vicinity are the Children's Hospital on Randall's Island; the Laura Franklin Free Hospital for Children, 17 East 11th Street; the New York Orthopedic Hospital, 126 East Fifty-ninth Street; the New York State Hospital for Crippled and Deformed Children, Westchester; St. Agnes's Hospital for Crippled and Atypical Children, White Plains, and St. Mary's Free Hospital for Children, 406 West Thirty-fourth Street. Questions as to the need for pictures and playthings will have to be asked separately of the hospitals themselves, and may be addressed to the Superintendent of each institution.

Government in South Africa.

MONTECLAIR.—Will you kindly explain how the Boer Republic is governed? Are the Boers represented in the English Parliament or not? Just how much voice have they in forming their own laws?

The Union of South Africa is a self-governing federation of States. It is not represented in the British Parliament, and it does not pay taxes to Great Britain. Its legislative power is vested in its own Parliament. The Union was formed in 1910 by the federation of the four British colonies of the Cape of Good Hope, Natal, the Transvaal, and the Orange Free State, and was definitively established May 31, 1910. The executive government is vested in the King of England and a Governor General, advised by an Executive Council and Ministers of State, but legislative power belongs to the Parliament, composed of a Senate of forty members, a House of Assembly, and the King. The Governor General has power to summon, prorogue, and dissolve Parliament, and that body meets annually. Pretoria is the seat of government for the Union, but Parliament meets in Cape Town. Both the English and Dutch languages are official. The Parliament in England neither represents nor taxes the British colonies.

Art Exhibits at San Francisco. C. W.—Can you give me the date

when art exhibits should be delivered by those wishing to show them at the Exposition? Will a committee pass on them here in New York?

New York is one of the nine cities in which a Jury of Selection will meet to choose art exhibits for the Panama-Pacific Exposition. Works should be sent to W. S. Budworth & Son, 424 West Fifty-second Street, New York City, so as to reach the office not later than Nov. 28, 1914. Works should be accompanied by filled-out blanks and labels, which can be obtained from the New York agents at the address above.

The Richest Language.

N. S. S.—Will you kindly tell me what nation has the richest language and how America and Germany compare in this respect? Also kindly advise how the marksmanship of the American Navy compares with that of other powers.

There is no accurate or complete estimate available of the number of words in the vocabularies of the various nations. The English language, however, is generally conceded to have the largest number of words. The following figures are taken from reliable dictionaries of the various languages and are fairly complete: English, 450,000 words; German, 300,000 words; French, 140,000 words; Italian, 140,000 words; Spanish 120,000 words. The Query Department cannot supply such a comparison as you request in your second question.

Public School Salaries.

CONSTANT READER.—Kindly answer the following questions in the Query Column: What is the present initial salary of school teachers, and what is the increase per annum until the maximum is reached? When did these rates go into effect? What was the previous initial salary and what was the increase per annum? What year did this rate go into effect? Was the rate some fifteen or twenty years ago but \$200, and what was the increase per year? Is there equal pay in any of the branches? Which part of the service benefited most by the new rate?

The present initial and minimum salaries, with annual increases, are as follows: Elementary schools—Classes 1-A to 6-B, minimum, \$720; maximum, \$1,500; annual increase after the first three years, \$80. Classes 7-A to 8-B, minimum, \$800; maximum, \$1,850; annual increase after the first three years, \$80. High Schools—Assistants, minimum, \$900; maximum, \$2,650; annual increase for two years after the first year, \$100; for one year, the fourth year, \$200; thereafter, \$150. First assistants, minimum, \$1,080; maximum,

\$3,150; annual increase after the first year, \$210. These rates went into effect Jan. 1, 1912, under the equal pay law.

The previous initial and maximum salaries and rates of increases, under the Davis law, were as follows: Elementary schools—Classes 1-A to 6-B, minimum, \$600; maximum, \$1,240; annual increase, \$40. In 7-A to 8-A, inclusive, and in the 8-B, when that grade was taught in the same class with the lower grade, minimum, \$600; maximum, \$1,330; annual increase, \$48. In 8-B, minimum, \$630; maximum, \$1,440; annual increase, \$84. Men teachers, in any grade below the highest, and in the highest when that grade was taught in the same class with a lower grade, minimum, \$600; maximum, \$2,100; annual increase, \$106. In 8-B, minimum, \$1,500; maximum, \$2,400; annual increase, \$150. High Schools—Assistants—women, minimum, \$1,100; maximum, \$1,900; annual increase, \$80. Men, minimum, \$1,300; maximum, \$2,400; annual increase, \$110. First assistants—women, minimum, \$2,000; maximum, \$2,500; annual increase, \$100. Men, minimum, \$2,500; maximum, \$3,000; annual increase, \$100. In the elementary schools a female teacher of a boy's class or a mixed class received \$60 per year extra. The high school schedule at that time also provided for junior teachers, as follows: Women, minimum, \$700; maximum, \$1,000; annual increase, \$50. Men, minimum, \$800; maximum, \$1,200; annual increase, \$50. These schedules went into effect May 3, 1900.

Under the Ahearn law, adopted May 17, 1898, the minimum salary for women in the elementary schools was \$500; for men, \$600. At that time women were paid, in the first year, and the last two and a half years of the course, \$600 a year for three years, then \$720 for three years, \$828 for three years, \$1,068 for two years, \$1,188 for two years, \$1,320 for two years, and after that \$1,880. In the other classes women teachers were paid \$336 for the tenth and eleventh years, \$466 for the twelfth and thirteenth, \$1,188 for the fourteenth and fifteenth, and \$1,820 as a maximum. Men teachers received, after three years at \$900 each, \$1,060 for three years, \$1,200 for two years, \$1,500 for two years, \$1,800 for two years, and after that \$2,100.

The present schedules provide equal pay for men and women with the exception of certain classes of persons who are covered by special legislation, in the Silverstein law, Chapter 534.

From a comparison of the schedules it would appear that the women high school teachers received the largest proportionate advance under the equal pay law.

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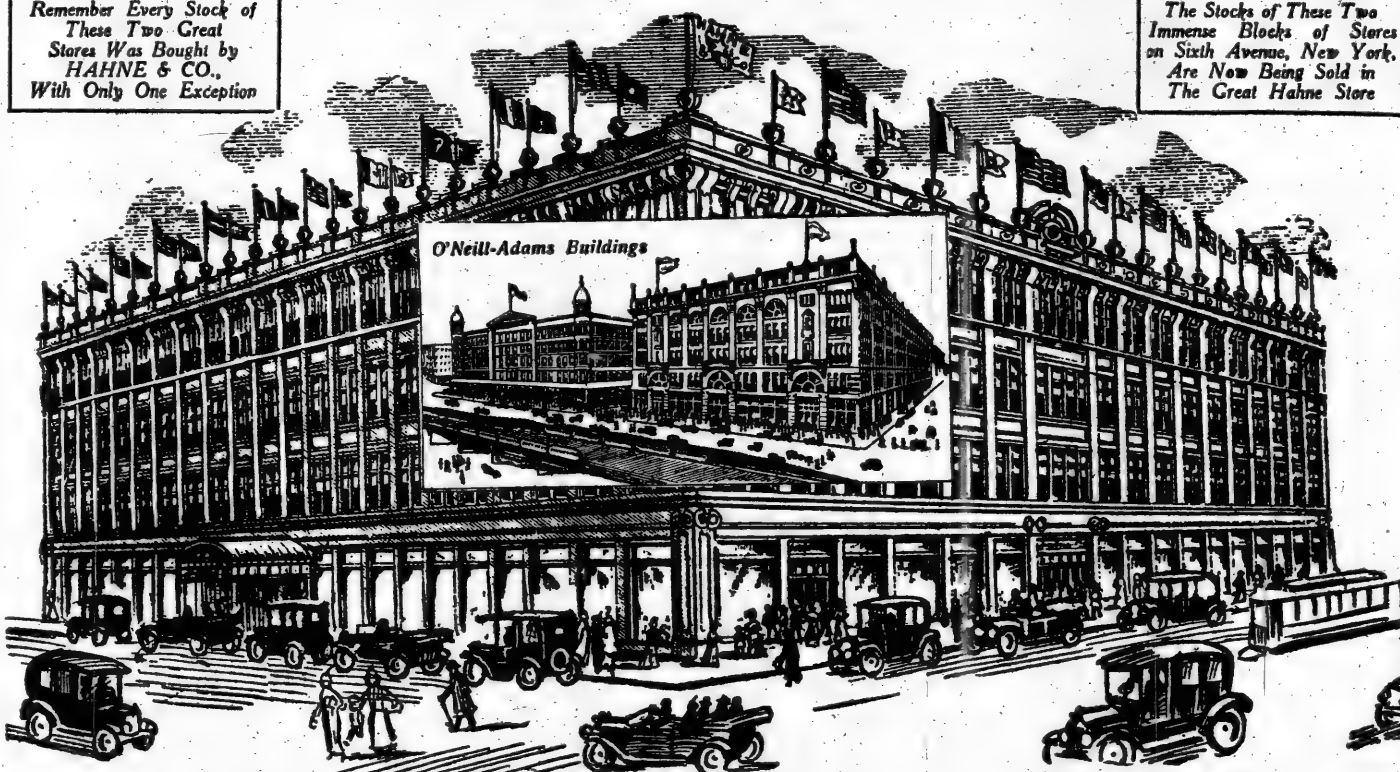
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HEAD OF OUR FIRST MORAL SUASION SCHOOL TALKS OF OLD TIMES

EVERY schoolboy in New York owes the fact that he escapes many well deserved lickings in the course of his years of seeking after knowledge to the stand taken by the young Principal of Public School 15 away back in 1850. Nathan P. Beers was the teacher. He never was fond of flogging and decided to abolish it and to that end he called his assistant teachers together one day and instructed them not to send any more boys to him to be punished.

"I told them," said Mr. Beers in the course of a recent interview, "that I intended to carry on the school without the rod and I thought it would be a success; if not I'd go into some other business, for I had no intention of having every pupil whose instructor found him difficult to control sent to me for chastisement. Mine was the first moral suasion school and many were the head shakings over the outcome of my, at that time, doubtful looking experiment. But it worked and worked well, and my boys were as good as the average."

Mr. Beers was Principal of the boys' department of the old school down in Fifth Street, between Avenues C and D, from 1850 until 1904. He gave it up at that time because he was over 80 years old and his department was to be given over to the girls, who needed more room, while the boys were to be moved to another building. He lives now in a quaint old brick house at 124 West Eleventh Street, one of a row set back from the street, in a sort of dignified withdrawal from the rush and roar of modern life, surging like a vast, restless sea past the door. A flag walk leads to the old little veranda, and inside, the stained glass lights of the door, the marble balustrade leading up to the "second floor front" all prepare one to meet the quiet, gentle old man of 91, who smiles and holds out a hospitable hand to welcome his caller.

He belongs to another generation—a more polite one, or possibly one in which more time was taken in which to be polite and observe the refinements. In his younger days Mr. Beers stood six feet one inch, and even now he is a commanding figure of full six feet. His eyes are soft and blue behind the queer little tortoise rimmed eye-glasses; his hair, eyebrows and mustache, pure white. Slender, patrician, reposeful, the learned gentleman sits day after day surrounded by his treasures and his memories, waiting to "cross the long-bar" as he has himself expressed it in one of his poems. That is his amusement—writing poems and trying his hand at acrostics. "Time hangs rather heavily," he explained apologetically, "and so I just write little verses for my own amusement." Poems at ninety-one! One he has called "The Lord is at the Helm."

When waves of trouble round me roll
Threatening to overwhelm,
A voice speaks comfort to my soul
The Lord is at the helm.

When pain and sickness rack my frame
I seek relief and oft in vain,
That soothing voice is still the same,
The Lord is at the helm.

And when I cross the long feared bar,
With breakers sounding near,
I'll hear again from near and far
The Lord is at the helm.

When, safely landed, I shall be
Within my wished for home,
With joy and wonder I shall see
My Pilot on the Throne.

Mr. Beers's taste seems inclined to the acrostic form, and he has over a hundred of these, arranged in alphabetical order, which he has written on female names, beginning with Abigail and ending with Vera. Of Katie he says:

Katie—did, I hear some say,
And some say that she didn't,
That Katie did some naughty thing
I fear, and that she hid it.
Each night I hear the same old song,
but can't tell which is right or wrong.

A two-verse hymn he wrote for his Masonic lodge runs like this:

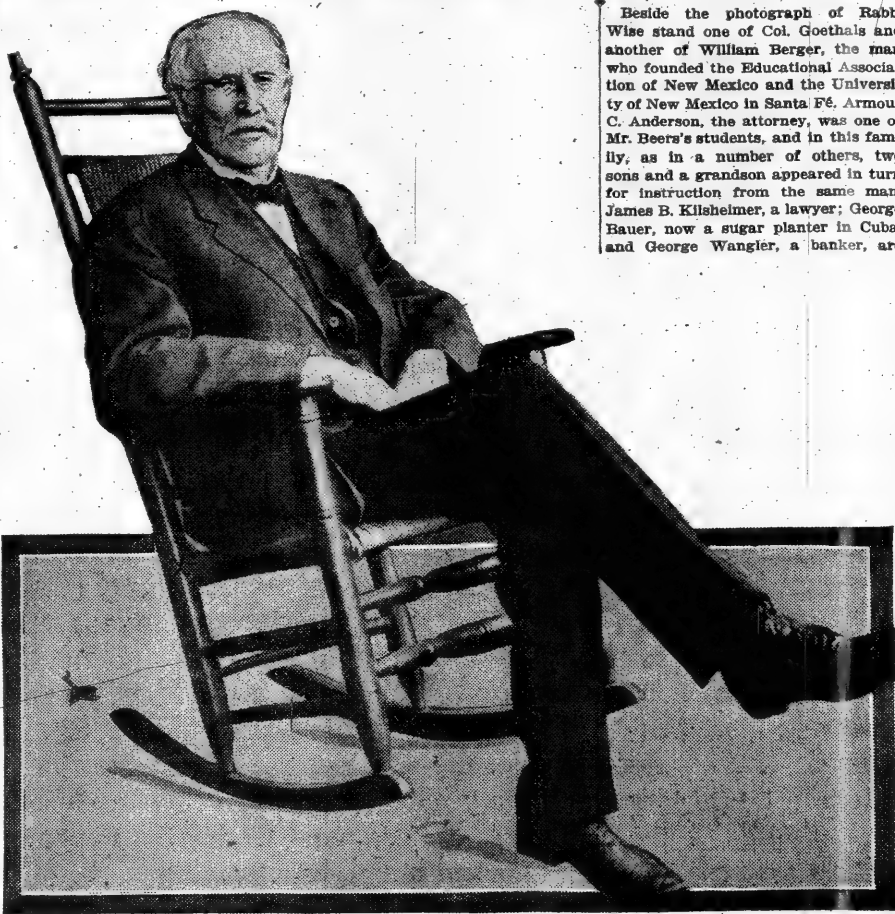
Now Craftsmen tried and true
Here honest work to do, we all have
Straight as the plummet line
Square with the law divine
Our precepts, grand, sublime, shall bless the world.
May friendship, truth and love,
Drawn from the light above, our actions rule.
So when from labor free
We shall accepted be,
And through eternity pass nobly on.

He is the oldest Mason in Polar Star Lodge, No. 245, and is one of the chaplains. He has been a member since 1856.

When asked to tell something of the boys graduated from his school who afterward grew to be prominent men he said: "Well, Col. Goethals was one of my boys—a good boy he was, too; bright, studious and attentive. Was he ever sent to me for punishment? Oh, no. He was a little man. He was above boyish tricks. There is very little one can say about boys by boys, excepting that they are good or bad, and those who grow up to be successful men, who do worth-while things, are usually those who were well disposed as youths."

"Yes, I helped young Goethals get his appointment to West Point and he proved his worth by graduating second in his class. Judge Giegerich of the Supreme Court was one of my boys, too. So were Judge Newburger, also of the Supreme Court; Justice Hoffman, Abraham Gruber, Morris Blumenthal, ex-assistant District Attorney, and Father Clifford. Rabbi

Nathan P. Beers, Who Would Not Flog His Pupils, Had Among the Boys in His Classes Col. Goethals, Rabbi Wise, Ogden Mills and Others Who Have Since Become Famous Men.



Nathan P. Beers.

Wise also came to me for instruction; that's his photograph at the end of the mantel; he has the silver tongue, hasn't he? Bright boys, all bright youngsters they were. I received a letter from Ogden Mills the other day; he was one of my scholars; also the Bloomingdale Brothers—not the present firm, but the older generation. Yes, one of those Bloomingdale boys was the last youngster I ever thrashed and I didn't give him enough to do him much harm, or good."

Among those to whom the master points proudly as examples of his system of discipline. That system was exceedingly simple, consisting merely in keeping the boys in the classroom after hours when they misbehaved.

"In the early fifties," said Mr. Beers, "most of the boys in No. 15 were native born Americans, sons of shipbuilders and carpenters. There were some Germans and a few Irish, but no Slavs; those came later. The first

class graduated in 1845. Ah, those were the days of solid educational foundations. Fewer subjects were taught then than now, but they were taught more thoroughly. The doctrine of work was inculcated in children's minds and they looked on the school tasks as duties.

"When a boy graduated from No. 15 he was well grounded in reading, writing, arithmetic, spelling, history, Brown's grammar, drawing, and singing. The music included arias from the opera. Besides this I used to recite poetry to the boys every morning before lessons, and they in turn were required to recite for me, and as a result, my boys were not afraid to speak in public in after years. I remember among those who read poetry well, how Clarence Clifford, a son of the janitor of the school, was the envy and the despair of the whole class on account of his ability to declaim "Roderick Dhu" with much energy and dramatic effect. He afterward became Father Clifford, a Jesuit teacher over in New Jersey and an orator of real worth."

"No, the curriculum of the public school today doesn't fit boys for their life work as it did fifty years ago, but," with a little sigh, "one mustn't say that publicly or one will be set down as an old fogy who doesn't keep up with the procession."

It is plain to even the most casual observer that Mr. Beers has forgotten more in his ninety years of observation than the average person can ever hope to learn. And yet he remembers some most interesting things, as, for instance, the days when the table refuse was thrown in the streets and hogs—the public scavengers—speedily removed all traces of this unsightly and insanitary practice. He speaks familiarly of the first use of anthracite coal and of the forebodings of many that it would not prove a practical fuel; and of the introduction of matches in a small box having two compartments, one for the little stick with one end treated so that when it was stuck into the bottle of aqua fortis in the other compartment it could be lighted.

Mr. Beers lived in Fifth Avenue, near Eighth Street, and every morning when he left his home he followed a certain route to school. His boys all knew when and where to look for him and would wait for him, falling in alongside or back of him, so that by the time he reached his destination he

all the rest of my schooling put together." Under the Lancasterian system, in which the older, more capable boys were selected to instruct the younger ones, he became a junior monitor at a salary of \$50 per annum. After passing some examinations he became a senior monitor, and in course of time a past monitor. He received his certificate entitling him to teach in any free school in the State from Christopher Morgan in 1849.

In all his years in School 15 he can remember being absent from his post only three days. He thinks that he came naturally by his staying qualities, for his father held one position for fifty years. His grandfather was a minute man in the Revolutionary War, and among Mr. Beers's treasures is a musket, with powder horn. Another thing which he prizes highly is a fine old mahogany rocker covered with horsehair, which belonged to Henry Clay. Mr. Beers is the only living officer of the Henry Clay Association, having been its last President, and when he went to Ashland, Ky., to attend Clay's funeral Mrs. Clay gave him the chair, which he intends to hand over, in time, to the Historical Society.

But the greatest treasure of all is a black and white cat. "She has been my pet for seven years and is my constant companion," he explains as she crawls up around his neck purring her content and affection for him. "She's just a plain, ordinary Molly cat, but Rockefeller hasn't money enough to buy her."

GLEAMS AND FLASHES

Many a rich man has everything his own way, until his will is probated.

Strange as it may seem, high living has put many a man on his uppers.

It's a good plan to use your head if you would get there with both feet.

It is quite possible for a man to simply spread himself without really having any broadening influence.

Many a man who believes nothing will expect his wife to believe everything he tells her.

It isn't every man who can fall into a fortune without sustaining a compound fracture of the morals.

One thing about ice is that it never sells like hot cakes.

A man may be slow but sure, but his watch can't be.

Some yachts have centreboards; nearly all have sideboards.

There are times when it takes a mighty strong-minded woman to hold her tongue.

It is easier for some fellows to pass counterfeit money in a saloon than to pass the saloon.

There's plenty of gossip in a boarding house, but the landlady never cares to entertain an idle roomer.

The fellow who tells a girl her voice has the flexibility of a violin may be hinting to be her beau.

Even the aviator who holds the high altitude record may not be above criticism.

An egotist is a man who is so wrapped up in himself that he pays no attention to us.

Lots of people attract attention who are not in other ways attractive.

Thou shalt not covet thy neighbor's feet with which to do thy kicking.

WHAT IS DOING IN THE WORLD OF MUSIC

AT the Century Opera House Offenbach's "Tales of Hoffmann" will be presented as the new work for the week on Tuesday night. Florence Macbeth, an American coloratura soprano, who was a member of the Chicago Opera Company last season, will make her first appearance with the company on this occasion, singing the rôle of the mechanical doll, Lolo Ewell will sing Antonia, and Bettina Freeman, Giuletta. Orville Harold will sing Hoffmann Tuesday night and at the Saturday matinee, and Gustaf Bergman will have the rôle Friday and Saturday nights. Kathleen Howard will again sing Nicklaus, and Louis Kreidler the three "evil genius" rôles of Coppélius, Dapertutto, and Dr. Miracle. Augusta Senksa will be the Voice of Antonia's mother. The remainder of the cast includes Messrs. Kaufman, Phillips, Williamson, d'Angelo, Clement, Zwiabach, Dorfman, and Caplan. Joseph Zuro will conduct.

"La Bohème" will alternate during the week with the new work. The cast remains the same as on the opening night, with the exception that Mr. Gaudes sings Rudolph tomorrow evening. "La Bohème" will be sung Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday nights and Saturday afternoon.

Havrah Hubbard will give his "opera talk" this afternoon on "The Tales of Hoffmann."

"Parsifal": Erda's song from "Rheingold," Augusta Senksa; "To the Evening Star," from "Tannhäuser," Graham Marr, and the Overture to "Tannhäuser."

MUSIC FOR THE PEOPLE.

Following are the lecture-recitals in music arranged for the week by the Board of Education:

Monday—"Siegfried," fifth in a course on "The Ring Cycle," by Miss Pearl Cleveland Wilson, illustrated with selections, at Public School 46, 166th Street and St. Nicholas Avenue.

Tuesday—"Folk Songs of England," illustrated by selections, by Mrs. Honora Blakeley Bouton, at Public School 18, Park Avenue. "Songs of the British Isles," illustrated by vocal and instrumental selections, by Randall Hargreaves, at St. Ann's Hall, Tinton Avenue and 136th Street.

Thursday—"Chopin: The Devotee of the Piano," illustrated by selections, by Miss Margaret Anderson, at Public School 46, 166th Street and St. Nicholas Avenue. "Folk Songs of France," by Albert G. Crawford, illustrated by songs by Mrs. Lois Hackett, at Public School 27, Forty-second Street, east of Third Avenue.

Friday—"Edward Grieg: The Great Master in Small Forms," illustrated by vocal and instrumental selections, by Dr. John S. Van Cleave, at Public School 90, 147th Street, west of Seventh Avenue. "Folk Songs of France," by Miss Marie F. MacConnell, illustrated by songs by Mrs. Lois Hackett, at Public School 61, Twelfth Street, east of Avenue B. "The Romantic Era of Music," by Mrs. Eugene Hooper Corryell, illustrated by violin and voice, Miss Anna Genyon, soprano, at Public School 34, Amhurst Avenue, Van Nest.

The Board of Education series of free

public organ recitals on Sunday afternoons will be resumed this afternoon, when Gottfried H. Feilerlein gives his first recital at the Ethical Culture School, Central Park West and Sixty-fourth Street, at 4 o'clock. Later in the season a number of the high schools which are equipped with organs will be used for such recitals.

These are the programmes for Samuel A. Baldwin's free organ recitals at the City College: This afternoon—Suite Gothique, Boellmann; Andante con Moto from Fifth Symphony, Beethoven; Fugue in E flat, Bach; Funeral March, Grieg; "Traumlied," Diggle; Dialogue, Quer; Berceuse, Shelley, and overture to "William Tell," Rossini. Wednesday—Pastoral Sonata, Rheinberger; Evening Song, Johnston; Fantasia and Fugue in G minor, Bach; Menuet in D, Mozart; Toccata in A, Frynsinger; Intermezzo, Hollins, and overture to "Oberon," Weber.

The Music Festivals Committee of the New York Tercentenary Commission will give another free concert at City College tomorrow evening. The City Orchestra will play under direction of Arthur Bergh, and the soloists will be Inez Barbour, James Stanley, and Maurice Kaufman.

Brooklyn on Friday evening in the Academy of Music. Pasquale Amato of the Metropolitan Opera House will be the soloist. The programme comprises Brahms's Symphony No. 2, Sibelius's "The Swan of Tuonela," and "Finlandia," and the Overture to Weber's "Euryanthe." Mr. Amato will sing arias from Saint-Saëns's "Henry VIII" and Handel's "Xerxes."

Yvonne de Treville, soprano, will give a costume recital at the Academy of Music Thursday evening, illustrating "Three Centuries of Prime Women." Eleanor Shaw will assist at the piano.

Free concerts in the course of the People's Institute of Brooklyn will be given this afternoon at Manual Training High School, Seventh Avenue and Fourth Street, and this evening at the Commercial High School, Albany Avenue and Dean Street. For the afternoon concert the programme will be given by T. Morgan Phillips, tenor; Alois Trnka, violin; Mary Adele Hays, soprano, and Bernardine Kleckwefer, accompanist. At the evening concert in Commercial High School the Kaltenborn String Quartet will play.

PAVLOWA IN NEW DANCES.

Anna Pavlova, the Russian dancer, will make her first appearance this season in a performance with her company at the Metropolitan Opera House Tuesday evening. Her programme comprises a new ballet, "Flora's Awakening," eight divertissements, of which five will be new, and a feature called "The Dance of Today," which will consist of modern society dances. Among her company will be Ivan Clustine, Alexander Volinine, Mlle. Stephanie Plaskowiczka, Mlle. Stasia Kuhn, and Mlle. Tamara Svirskala. Theodore Stier of London will be the musical director.

Safety in Travel.

Dwight Elmendorf, well-known raconteur of travel experiences, will return to Carnegie Hall next Sunday evening. Under the general title of "Five Ideal Circular Tours," Mr. Elmendorf has prepared a series of illustrated travel talks, the first of which, "Around the World Through the Panama Canal," will cover a journey of 27,700 miles and will embrace new scenes in the Azores, Madeira, Gibraltar, Port Said, Aden, India, Burma, the Straits Settlements, Singapore, Hongkong, China, Japan, Hawaii, and views of the completed Panama Canal.

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NAZIMOVA in "That Sort" at Harris



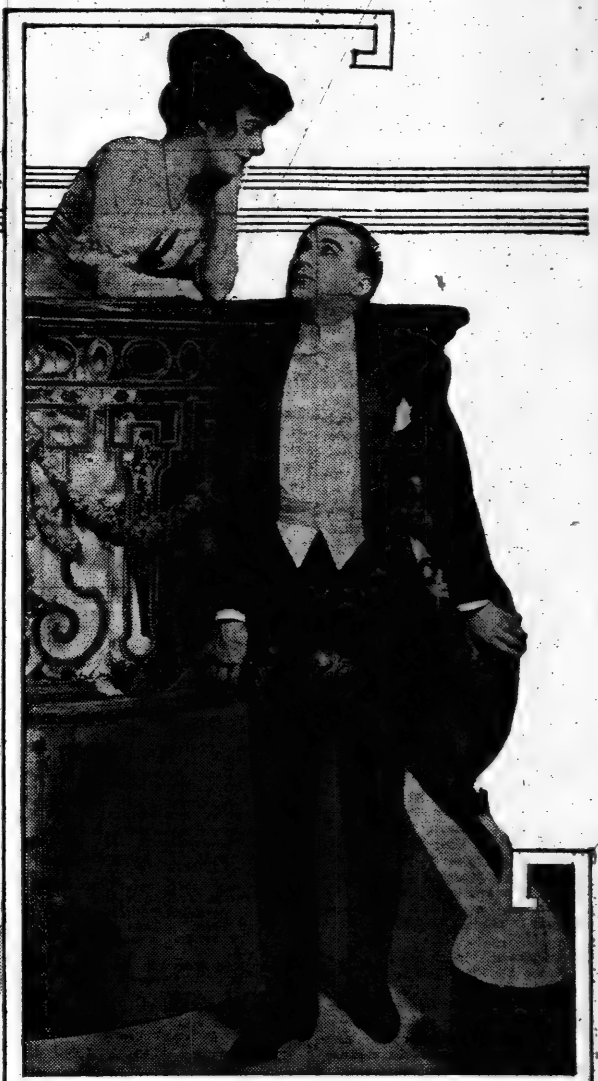
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ELSIE FERGUSON in "Outcast" at Lyceum



LOUISE DREW in "It Pays to Advertise" at Cohan's

Second Thoughts on First Nights

On Some Acting Editions of That Favorite Author, Mr. Charles Dickens.

So attractively does "The Highway of Life" reproduce on the stage of Wallack's Theatre the "David Copperfield," that one may be sorry Mr. Parker did not confine his "dramatic version" to that alone, instead of burdening himself with the disarming task of translating into the theatre some of the most entirely separate threads of the narrative which satisfied Dickens's earlier notions of plot.

Though all of the Dickens novels have been dramatized—some of them twice and time again—only two really have introduced to the theatre, "A Tale of Two Cities" and his most personal story, "Great Expectations." It is interesting that he sent the proofs of the latter to Regnier at the Theatre Francaise, in the hope and belief that it might appeal as the basis of a French play. He confesses to having written the latter not only with a view to its "dramatic usefulness" in the theatre, but with certain players actually in mind. He was among his favorite ideas in his version of "Great Expectations," and that the late W. S. Gilbert went as far as to attempt a dramatization.

But to note the obvious dramatic appeal of these two novels, and the fact that the novelist himself liked to think of them in terms of the theatre, is not to say that even they are all in readiness for the dramatist, although they present nothing like the difficulties which beset the playwright who tries to adapt to the stage some portion of the voluminous stream of Dickens's narrative genius.

Indeed, your Dickens adapter who turns to "David Copperfield" or "Pickwick Papers" is not unlike one who chooses up a painful and comes to the shore, saying: "Bailing my version of the Atlantic." It is really, of course, and cleansing, that is the glint of the sunlight? And where is the boom of the surf? To state the obvious truth, the romantic and melodramatic elements in Dickens are the least of him, the parts in which he was far surpassed by some of his contemporaries, the common matter of his alley, which we who read today pass over indifferently in our search for the abundant gold, but which the ruthless dramatist, who will insist on preserving the plots, must not only seek, but emphasize.

The fidelity of laboring to preserve the outlines of these ungainly, rambling structures in the transfer to the stage is best pointed by the realization that those in the audience at Wallack's who carry the book in their hands do not need the reproduction of the narrative, while to those poor, summer people who know not David, "The Highway of Life" must seem a hopelessly confused jumble of but half-remembered incidents.

No really complete history of Dickens and the stage has ever been written. However concise and compressed, such an account would fill a huge volume. And like "The Highway of Life," that volume would testify at every

point to two things, the immense temptation and the immense difficulty Dickens presents to the dramatist. Altered titles bear repeated witness to the fact that none felt equal to putting all of any book on the stage. It is easy to recognize "The Golden Duetman" as a stage version (probably a bad one) of "Our Mutual Friend." But who could have caught "A Tale of Two Cities" under the title "The Only Way," and who would have guessed at sight that "Heart's Delight" was a dramatization of "Dombey and Son"? "The Highway of Life" is not the only title that bows to the immensity of "David Copperfield." There have been "Ham," "Little Em'ly," "Em'ly," and "Micawber"—all candid names for portions of the story. But only a few would catch the reference in "Born With a Caul," there is the mystifying record of a Copperfield play called "The Deal Boatman," and "The Highway of Life" is no more vague a title than "What Women Will Do," which, says the record, was actually given somewhere in this country without implicating Dickens in the announcement. This version, by the way, must mark the high tide of freedom in adaptation, for the adapter presented it as "a hall-stone of sensation," and one of the scenes was carefully mislaid in Em'ly's apartment in Paris.

But like the record of Nelly Farren appearing as Sam Weller, and that of a Copperfield cast in which one actor doubled up as Uriah Heep and Miss Mowcher, (an incredible contortion), this last is just one of the freak footnotes in that voluminous and interesting history of which the latest chapter has just been written behind the footlights at Wallack's Theatre.

FRENCH DRAMA OPENING.

Season to Commence at Century Lyceum Nov. 16.

Nov. 16 has been fixed for the opening of the French Drama Society at the Century Lyceum. The object of the French Drama Society, now fairly well known, is not merely to produce the most interesting of the modern French dramas in New York for the benefit of the theatre-going public, but also includes an educational purpose which has been recognized by many of the schools, which have arranged to send their pupils to the Friday matinees which the society will give. At these matinees the plays will be of a more literary character and each play will be preceded by a lecture, which will not interpret the play but will deal intelligently with its literary and historical characteristics.

The organization of this year's programme has exacted a tremendous amount of work on the part of Lucien L. Bonheur, who was able to spend several weeks in Paris engaging artists of well-established position. The excellence of the French Theatre will, in fact, very materially help out those Parisian artists who have suffered because of the war.

Mrs. Campbell to Move. Next week, beginning Nov. 9, Mrs. Patrick Campbell and her English company will be transferred to the Liberty Theatre. This change has been made necessary owing to the fact that the Liebler Company had already planned last summer to make their production of "The Garden of Paradise" about Nov. 15, and the stage of the Park Theatre has been arranged for the mechanical advantages of this play.

German Irving Place Theatre. "Lieb Vaterland" commences its second week at the Irving Place Theatre. The play was written by Max Schminke and depicts Germany's present struggle in arms.

Jardin de Danse. Monday evening will mark the reappearance of Rosina Dolly at the Jardin de Danse. Miss Dolly, who has recently scored successfully in vaudeville, will present with her partner, Martin Brown, a series of original dances.



WILDA BENNETT and THURSTON HALL in "The Only Girl" at 39th St.

THE FIRST NIGHT CALENDAR.

"MARY GOES FIRST," a comedy in three acts by Henry Arthur Jones. With Marie Tempest. At the Comedy Theatre Monday night.

"OUTCAST," a play in three acts by Hubert Henry Davies. With Elsie Ferguson. At the Lyceum Theatre Monday night.

"PAPA'S DARLING," a musical comedy by Ivan Caryll and Harry B. Smith, from the French. At the New Amsterdam Theatre Monday night.

"THE ONLY GIRL," a musical comedy by Henry Blossom and Victor Herbert. At the Thirty-ninth Street Theatre Monday night.

"SUZI," a musical comedy adapted from the Hungarian by Otto Hauerbach, with music by Aladar Renyi. At the Casino Theatre Tuesday night.

"THAT SORT," a drama in three acts by Basil Hastings. With Mme. Nazimova. At the Harris Theatre Friday night.

THE theatrical producers plan to be anything but kind to the first nighters during the coming week, for of six new plays which will come into the local theatres, four will be presented tomorrow night. Of these four two will be dramas, while the other two will be of the musical variety.

Marie Tempest, who is said to be making her farewell appearance in America, a statement which must be taken with a grain of salt, as in the case of most farewell announcements, comes into the Comedy Theatre tomorrow night in "Mary Goes First," a comedy by Henry Arthur Jones. Later Miss Tempest is to present several other plays never seen in America, and possibly some of her older ones.

The story of "Mary Goes First" concerns the struggle for social precedence of two Englishwomen living in the provincial city of Warkinstall. Much hangs upon the settlement of the two burning questions: "Who goes in first to dinner?" and "What is an improper?" One of the women has a husband recently knighted for some political service to the party in power. An impossible woman from the social viewpoint of vulgar breeding, and utterly impervious to anything resembling a joke, the new Lady Bodsorth fancies she is now on a plane of equality with the Peeresses of the Realm, and she proceeds to "put it over" those women in Warkinstall's best society who had previously snubbed her. One of these is Mrs. Richard Whitcombe (Mary), a woman of charm, good birth and breeding, and a tongue which runs the gamut from the satirically witty to the maliciously wicked. Miss Tempest plays this rôle and, of course, roasts Lady Bodsorth. The company supporting Miss Tempest in "Mary Goes First" is the same which appeared with her in her London production of the piece.

If a great aggregation of managerial talent can have anything to do with the success of a star and her play, then Elsie Ferguson's future is secure, for when she opens at the Lyceum Theatre tomorrow night in "Outcast," she will be under the direction of Charles Fro-

Klaw and Erlanger musical plays appear in "Papa's Darling." The more important of the speaking parts are entrusted to Frank Lalor, as Achilles Pelipas; Dorothy Jardun, as Zozo; Alice Dovey, as Germaine; Fred Walton, as Le Blanc; Octavia Broske, as Sophie; Jack Henderson, as Marcel; Frank Doane, as Colonel du Parvis; Edna Hunter, as Dorine, and Lucille Saunders, as Mme. du Parvis.

The other musical comedy tomorrow night, "The Only Girl," at the Thirty-ninth Street Theatre, will serve to bring Joe Weber back into the fold as a producing manager and also to bring together again Henry Blossom and Victor Herbert as author and composer. The cast of "The Only Girl" includes Wilda Bennett, Adele Rowland, Louise Kelly, Vivian Warren, Josephine Whittell, Estelle Richmond, Marie Oviatt, Jane Hilbert, Claire Standish, Gladys Schultz, Joanne Darys, Thurston Hall, Ernest Torrence, John Findlay, Jed Prouty, Richmond Bartlett and others.

Tuesday night will find another musical comedy as the offering, for on that evening Mr. Weber's old partner, Lew Fields, will bring "Suzi" into the Casino. "Suzi" is an adaptation from the Hungarian book of Franz Martos, the American version having been made by Otto Hauerbach. The music is by Aladar Renyi and the piece has been running for three years in Budapest. It is in three acts.

Jose Collins will sing the title rôle of Suzi, a young comic opera star, whose romance with the young son of a Colonel of Hungarian Hussars forms the basis of the story. Tom McLaughlin plays the rôle of the tutor of Stephan, in love with Suzi. Connie Ediss is a stage mother to Suzi, while other rôles are played by Lew Hearn, Robert Evely of the London Gaiety Theatre company, as Stephan; Fritz von Busling, remembered in "The Chocolate Soldier" as the Countess Rosetti; Melville Stewart as the Colonel, and Arthur Lipson as an Italian composer.

There will be a lull after Tuesday night until Friday, when Mme. Nazimova comes into the Harris Theatre in a new play, "That Sort," by Basil Macdonald Hastings, an English author, who is known here only by his play "The New Sin," which was produced at Wallack's Theatre two seasons ago. The play is said to be different from anything Nazimova has ever done. Further than that the producers have little to say about the drama.

TO BE CONTINUED.

Astor—"The Miracle Man." Belsaso—Leo Dittichstein. Booth—"Experience." Candler—"On Trial." Cohan's—"It Pays to Advertise." Court—"Under Cover." Eltinge—"Innocent." Empire—"Diplomacy." 44th Street—"The Little Domino." 48th Street—"The Law of the Land." Fulton—"Twin Beds." Garrick—"Milady's Boudoir." Gaiety—"Daddy Long-Legs." Globe—Montgomery and Stone. Harris—"The Salamander." Hippodrome—"Wars of the World." Hudson-Rose Stahl. Knickerbocker—"Girl from Utah." Liberty-Douglas Fairbanks. Long Acre—"Kick In." Little—"A Pair of Silk Stockings." Lyric—"The Battle City." Manhattan—"Life." Maxine Elliott's—"Mr. Wu." New York—"Big Jim Garrity." Park-Mrs. Patrick Campbell. Playhouse—"My Lady's Dress." Republic-Lew Fields. Shubert-William Faversham. Wallack—"The Highway of Life." Winter Garden—"Dancing Around."

Joan Sawyer's Persian Garden. Joan Sawyer announces a series of theatrical evenings at her Persian Garden. The first of these will be on Wednesday evening when the stars from the Winter Garden, Al Johnson, Cecil Cunningham, Bernard Granville, Clifton Webb, and Miss Melancon will be Miss Sawyer's guests.

TOPPING THE VAUDEVILLE BILLS

PALACE THEATRE—Valeska Suratt in "Black Crepe and Diamonds"; Irene Franklin, assisted by Burt Green, in new songs, and Mae Murray and John Jarrott in dances.

HAMMERSTEIN'S VICTORIA—A company of twenty European midgets in a varied series of vaudeville acts; Joe Howard and Mabel McCane in a new act, and Robert L. Dailey and company in a farce.

BROADWAY THEATRE—Harry Bulger, former musical comedy star, in a new act; Mike Bernard and Amy Butler and Barney Fagan and Henrietta Byron in a little musical comedy, "Captain Kidd, Jr."

ALHAMBRA THEATRE—Eddie Leonard and Mabel Russell in new songs; "The Bride Shop," a miniature musical comedy, and Valerie Bergere in "The Lion Tamer."

ROYAL THEATRE—Mr. and Mrs. Carter De Haven in "The Masher"; Bessie Wynn in songs, and Paul Morton and Naomi Glass in "Before and After."

COLONIAL THEATRE—Kitty Gordon in "Alma's Return"; Adelaide and Hughes in dances, and James and Bonnie Thornton in their well-known offering.

MONTGOMERY AND STONE

THERE'S a man outside with a tin-type of you taken sixteen years ago," said the valet of Fred Stone and Dave Montgomery to those artists in their dressing room at the Globe Theatre the other afternoon just before the matinee hour.

"Let him stay out there with it," said Stone.

"Tell him to bring it in," said Montgomery.

"Oh, that's all right," said Stone. "If Mr. Montgomery wants him to come in, bring him along."

"Not at all," said Montgomery. "If Mr. Stone doesn't want him in here, never mind."

And that was the most serious quarrel Montgomery and Stone have had since way back in 1906 when they joined Haverly's Minstrels and formed the team which has stuck together year in and year out.

The matter was settled to the satisfaction of all by a compromise. The valet went out and got the tin-type and brought it in leaving the owner at the door. The picture turned out to be an ancient one of a couple of long since forgotten variety performers and the owner got his property back instead of making the sale which he hoped for.

"I'll leave it to you," said Stone, addressing no one in particular but looking in the general direction of the two newspaper men who had dropped in to get a dressing room interview. "I leave it to you if that tin-type wasn't taken twenty years ago. How old does that guy think we are anyway?"

Which brought the interviewers easily and naturally around to say just how old the actors were.

"I was born in Valmonte, Col., in 1872," said Stone.

"And when I was a little boy," said Montgomery, "I remember my father coming to take me to a show. I was five years ago, said he had admired him for years."

"Before I was interrupted," went on Stone, "I was telling when and where I was born. In 1906 I met Montgomery in Galveston, Texas. He was with a circus and attracting much attention as the first white person born in St. Joe, Missouri. Although much older than I, he seemed to be a pretty decent sort of fellow and so we got together and formed the team of Montgomery and Stone. Haverly's Minstrels happened along right then and we went to work with that show. We did a song and dance together and I also did some acrobatic stunts. That was just about twenty years ago and we've been together ever since."

"And you'll find us together twenty years from now, too," said Dave Montgomery. "I don't know just what we'll be doing, but we won't have to bother for the next three years, any way. All we've got to do is to sit down and count the money that will be coming in from 'Chin-Chin.' Pretty soft for this fellow Stone to have a partner like me who can put a show over big."

Callers come and went, but while they were there the interviewers had a chance to look around a bit. The most prominent feature of the room was a photograph of Frederick on Stone's dressing table. During the performance of "Chin-Chin" Stone gives an imitation of the celebrated pianist and it is not an understated imitation either. He follows the photograph closely in making up for the part and he imitates every move of the other artist to perfection.

And in that imitation Stone plays a piano on the stage. There are a lot of people in the audience every night who think Stone isn't really playing and one of the big laughs of the entertainment comes when Stone falls from the piano stool and the instrument keeps right on. That happens to be the only moment when Stone isn't really turning out the music himself, for he can play the piano just as well as he can dance.

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HEN Matson Turner, engineer and mathematically methodical, first met his future wife in a certain irresponsibility in her character that attracted him. She never knew what she had done with anything; he person could guess what she might do across her face—which was no more reason why the engineer was attracted. When the ceremony was over and the pair were newly settled Turner continued to admire the quality of irresponsibility in her. For himself he felt his responsibilities every time he drew his salary check. When he discovered that the same quality that had made her an attractive sweetheart made her an extravagant, wife, he began to get a new light on things.

Once the ice man claimed and got payment for a third more than Mrs. Turner thought was due him. Then the grocer's monthly bill was more than Turner had been led to expect—more by \$13.65.

The engineer talked with his wife about it, and ended by comforting her. She declared tearfully that figures had always been her despair. She vowed that it was his easy and confident proficiency in mathematics that had drawn her attention to her husband. She said that, except when he handled them, she hated figures. But the next morning she came to the table with a do-or-die expression and said that she would learn to conduct the household on a strictly business basis. As a starter, he brought out an old ledger which he had partially used for taking notes, and tearing out the used leaves, made it ready for its new duty. Angela did not seem any too well pleased when she found that she was expected to enter every cent of household expenditure in the old, dilapidated book. But the engineer preached economy at the start and knowledge and no need for economy at the end, so she gave in with what grace she could muster.

Turner and his wife settled on a monthly allowance for housekeeping, and he gave her a lecture on how to use it. He impressed upon her the need of making everything down in easily understandable details, so that she might know at the end of the month just how everything had gone. From the data thus gathered there could be arranged these economies that in time would make possible the desired savings. From day to day thereafter Angela tried to get him to look at the old book. She was proud of the rows of neat entries, and proud of the perseverance that had gone to keep the entries straight. But the engineer, after vainly trying to put her off with the plea that he was too tired after a long day with figures at the office, at last came right out and refused to examine the book before the end of the month. He wanted to teach her self reliance.

He would talk with her of the best way to save. He showed her easy methods of apportioning the allowance for a given period, so that she could know how much she might expect to owe or be ahead at the end of that time. When she was \$3.75 ahead of the game he found it easy to rejoice with her; and when, after the March 10th and Cousin James Pindexter had come to dinner and the \$3.75 had magically given place to a deficit of \$2.22 he was sorry, but refused to grow despondent. He ate what she set before him thereafter in silence and thought to himself that if it did not quite come up to his ideal of a well found table, there were better times ahead—after she had learned her lesson.

son. He took to assuring himself that she was learning, and that the credit all belonged to him.

As the end of the month drew near his interest increased, but he steadfastly refused to look at the book. His wife hinted daily that there was really going to be something left. He encouraged her, delighted to believe that his idea was bearing fruit so soon. Then Angela ceased to ask him to look at the book, and did not mention it save when she could not avoid it.

The last few days of the month there was very little for dinner. Angela still seemed worried, but said no word of the accounts. He thought that it was better not to question her, and he let things take their course.

At last the end of the month arrived, and Turner managed it so he could get home early. Angela was all smiles, and there was a first-class dinner, eaten in expectant appreciation.

After dinner he lit his pipe and asked for the old account book. His wife went into the library and returned with an ornately bound book, from which hung silken ribbons in profusion. When he opened the book there was no finding it. "Received from Matson \$80" at the top of the first page. Opposite was a short list of entries headed by the glaring statement: "Spent all but \$8 for the house."

The engineer looked up to find his wife smiling with conscious satisfaction. "Why," he said, "I thought you were keeping an itemized account. Everything you spent money for marked down when it was spent. In the old book, you know."

Angela took a precarious seat on his chair and arranged the book so that both might see. "Now let me show you, goose," she explained. "On the 28th I was sure that I was going to have something left over, so I thought I might as well get a new book. I didn't know whether I could make the clerk understand just what I wanted, so I took the old one down with me. And on the way home I lost it."

"But it was as easy as could be to find out how much I had spent—I remembered about the milkman; the ice man had left a lot of used tickets; I just called up the grocer, asked for the month's bill, and he was nice about it as could be. Then I transferred those amounts, just as you see them, into this new book."

"I knew when I went downtown for the book that there was going to be enough left for a silver inkstand, too, and I thought I ought to have a pretty pen to put in it, so I just got them while I was down."

She pointed to the entries below the "Spent all but \$8 for the house," and read: "Inkstand, \$3.50; Pen \$2.50."

Turner sat silent and she went on: "So then when I realized that things were going to turn out so nicely I thought I might as well get a little desk—not too cheap, because it had to go with the inkstand and pen, you see—and I got the dearest one for only \$18.50 at Gold's. Now don't you think I did fine?"

Turner took a moment before he mustered courage to ask: "But these things cost money, my dear, and what about the bills for last month's living expenses. You've spent \$16.50 more than we allowed already."

"Oh, now, Matson," explained Angela sweetly, "I thought the old living expenses didn't matter so much—I can keep the account of what remains unpaid in this new book with the expenses for the coming month. There's lots of room for both. And with that dear of a pen, and that perfect love of an inkstand, and the cute desk I won't mind making lots of entries. Not a bit!"

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Armour's Shield Brand Sugar Cured Hams—all the popular family sizes; Monday, lb. 19c

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8c Bleached, Soft Finished Muslin—15 yards to customer; Monday, yard 5c

MAIN BUILDING
Men's 50c Silk Neckwear—large, open-end four-in-hands; Monday 25c

MAIN BUILDING
98c to \$1.45 Maline Ruffs—Monday, each 39c

MAIN BUILDING
Women's 89c to \$1 Nightgowns—extra sizes; V or round necks; Monday 59c

MAIN BUILDING
Sugar—best refined granulated; Monday, 25 lb. cotton 1.54

MAIN BUILDING
Jonathan Apples—selected hand packed fruit for eating, baking or cooking; reg. \$2.45 box; special, Monday, at \$1.45; dozen 15c

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Men's \$1 Heavy Weight Union Suits—all sizes; Monday 65c

ANNEX BUILDING
21c Table Oil Cloth—first quality; 1 1/4 yd. wide; desirable designs, also white; Monday, yard 14c

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Men's Irish Linen Hemstitched Initial Handkerchiefs—usually 6 for 75c; Monday, 6 for 49c

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19c to 25c Silk and Embroidered Dot Mulls—black, best colors; Monday, yard 10c

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85c Black Dress Taffeta—35 inches wide; Monday, yard 55c

ANNEX BUILDING
\$2.50 Scrim Curtains—imitation lace insertion trimming; Monday, pr. 1.29

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"Daggett & Ramsdell" Cold Cream—usual 50c size; at 29c

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\$1 All Silk Satin Messaline—35 inches wide; all colors; Monday, yard 58c

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The Celebrated Shield Brand; mild sugar cured; special, 19c

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FANCY PASTRY FLOUR—Fountain Quality; 1-8-bbl.-bag 92c
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NEW TOMATOES
SOLID PACKED TOMATOES—the well-known Riverdale brand; case 25c
FLAVOR TOMATOES—3 lb. wooden box, 48c; 3-lb. can 25c

QUAKER CORN FLAKES
reg. 10c package 5c
NEW LAYER PIGS—imported from Smyrna; 2 lbs. 32c

Evaporated Fruits
CALIFORNIA PEACHES, golden apricots, sliced apple rings, sweet sweet prunes, imported Fair dates; 5 lbs. 74c; 2 lbs. 30c

New Sweet Peas
Fountain Quality. SWEET MARROWFAT PEAS

The Belgian coast and destined for the proposed attack on the English coast, have passed Liege, but have not been stopped at Bruges until further notice, the attack on England having been postponed until the present battle is decided.

"Germany has prohibited the importation of Dutch newspapers into any part of the German Empire."

A dispatch to the London Morning Post from Amsterdam says: "The Handelsblad says that all the German attacks yesterday were north of the Scheldt, and that the Germans in some places were forced back several kilometers, while the Allies on the left wing advanced to Middelkerke. The whole coastal line occupied by the Germans is strongly fortified, and trenches have been thrown up near Knokke."

"The way to Bruges is now open to the Allies, owing to their recapture of Roulers, and the Germans are digging new trenches behind Ghent with feverish energy. To do this is to announce their retreat." This statement is made in the Observer in a dispatch dated "Near the Franco-Belgian Frontier."

The message continues: "The losses (the German) losses have been enormous. A German officer captured yesterday estimates that there have been 150,000 killed or wounded since the occupation of Ostend, in northwest Flanders, alone. Whole batteries and battalions have been annihilated by the shell fire from the warships. Thousands of the wounded have been drowned as the result of the opening of the dikes. In hand-to-hand fighting the German losses have far exceeded those of the Allies. Thousands of bodies of German soldiers floating on the inland sea bear witness to the heavy fighting."

Only the main roads and railroad tracks remain exposed above the flooded area. The abandoned German regiments are having no time to reform and amass. They are abandoning their wounded, and their transport, and are leaving their fleet comes out to create a diversion that will be driven from the Belgian coast within a week.

POOR CHANCE OF INVASION.

British Expert Says England Must Make Ready at All Events.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES, LONDON, Monday, Nov. 2.—A military expert discussing the possibilities of the invasion of England says: "If Germany thinks that there is a sporting chance of being able to land an army on British soil she is very likely to take it. German militarism would willingly sacrifice a quarter of a million men in order to be able to invade the island of England as Belgium has been ravaged."

"The men may be sent, though I do not think that they will succeed in landing as a complete and effective fighting force. It would be foolish, however, on our part to refuse to contemplate the possibility of a successful attempt."

"The expert insists that the rule is to make every preparation to meet such a contingency. Above all, we must insist upon knowing what each of us personally and individually will have to do and demand facilities for preparing ourselves for whatever task may be allotted to us."

"The authorities must clearly understand this fact: that against an invader we shall all fight. If no ordinary weapons of war are available, we shall fight with shotguns, pistols, and pikes. If no organization exists to direct our efforts and make the best of our fighting powers, we shall first be defeated and then we shall be killed."

"Such ferocious behavior may seem to be quite foreign to the nature of the English citizen, but the result would be slaughter such as the world has never seen before."

"The expert says that the world is affected by all the conventions made by civilized man."

GERMANS ARE REINFORCED.

Big Battle Appears to be Developing in Middelkerke Region.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES, AMSTERDAM, Oct. 31. (Dispatch to the London Morning Post.)—The stubborn efforts made by Germany to recross the Yser Canal after their first repulse have not succeeded. An English infantry brigade did brilliant work in clearing the region at the bayonet's point, and driving the Germans from their trenches. Moreover, the naval guns did deadly work on the Germans' flanks. Their losses were severe, and their dead lay in heaps. The Germans attempted to advance along the coast beyond Nieuport, but were repulsed.

"It appears that a big battle is developing in the region of Middelkerke, Willemkirk, Sijpe, and Westende. The Germans have moved up reinforcements, but it is not believed that they will be able to make good their grave losses. Every day long trains are conveying wounded from Ostend, Bruges, and Ghent. I learn that several German soldiers have been arrested in Ghent, dressed in civilian clothes, so as to enable them to desert. The marines particularly are said to be in low spirits, as they are not accustomed to fight in trenches in the field."

"As to the feeling among the German troops in general, the following remarkable report has been telegraphed from Bruges to the Nieuport Rotterdam Correspondent:

"A doctor from Antwerp said yesterday that three German officers begged for a change of uniform in order to pass across the Dutch frontier. This morning 600 German soldiers of the garrison troops in Antwerp begged to be sent to the front. It is presumed that all are deserters."

"A telegram from Oostburg says that fugitives arriving there said that the Germans had set fire to the pier at Blankenberge. The added that the Germans were retreating."

GERMAN FORCE CUT OFF?

Number of Many Thousands of Prisoners Taken in Belgium.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES, LONDON, Monday, Nov. 2.—(Dispatch to the London Morning Post.)—A report has just reached me that as the result of the blowing up of a railway bridge by a Belgian cyclist corps a very large German force was cut off from the main army and surrounded in a body. The prisoners are said to number many thousands.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES, ROTTERDAM, Nov. 1. (Dispatch to the London Morning Post.)—I am informed from the London Times that the heavy fighting which commenced yesterday and the whole of this afternoon is drawing nearer and nearer.

ALLIES GAIN IN BELGIUM.

Cross the Yperles and Occupy Bixschote—Wide Area Flooded.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES, LONDON, Monday, Nov. 2.—(Dispatch to the London Morning Post.)—The floods, due to the opening of the dikes, extend as far as the environs of Perwez, where the Germans are bogged.

"Another part of the line the allied troops have advanced to Perwez, where the Germans have been occupying ground to the east."

"The Germans have lost Bixschote and are maintaining their position on the line with difficulty."

"The London Times says that the twenty-second German Reserve Corps has been cut off from the main army."

Important Points on Battlefields of Belgium and Northern France



1. Between Nieuport and Dixmude the relative positions of the Allies and the Germans were unchanged yesterday.

2. According to the French official report violent German attacks have been repulsed to the north, east, and south of Ypres, and two villages have been retaken from the Germans.

3-4. The same report told of the repulse of German assaults on the ally and in the Argonne Forest.

5. The French announce the capture of the heights of Verdun de St. Marie, in the Vosges Mountains.

is to be commanded by Gen. von Falkenhayn.

WAR'S CHANGES SINCE OCT. 1.

Centre of Fighting Now 155 Instead of 60 Miles from Paris.

By Marcel Transatlantic Wireless Telegraph to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PARIS, Nov. 1. (Dispatch to the London Morning Post.)—Comparisons of conditions a month ago and now made here show that on Oct. 1 the centre of fighting was about sixty miles from Paris, while on Nov. 1 it is 155 miles away.

The Allies' position, indeed, is much better than it was a week ago when there is now need to regard the fact-matters were in a critical state.

Paris is animated with a spirit of calm confidence. The Chamber of Deputies is engaged in special session about Nov. 15. Three days before the opening session the Budget Committee will meet to discuss the financial proposals, which the Government will present to Parliament.

GERMAN LOSS NEAR NIEUPOORT.

Belgian War Office Says the Allies Took Many Prisoners.

BRUXELLES, Nov. 1.—The Belgian War Office today issued the following official communication:

"This morning the enemy, who still occupied a part of Namur, was repulsed beyond the railway line between Nieuport and Dixmude. The enemy lost a great number of prisoners and left many wounded on the field."

"On the other side of our front the enemy made no further infantry attacks. The bombardment was rather violent at Nieuport during the day and intermittent on other points of our position."

"The situation between the Yser and the railway line between Nieuport and Dixmude has made the ground marshy and the trenches of the enemy unbearable."

"To the south of Dixmude, between Linghem and Panschendale, the French troops have continued their offensive movement. Dixmude was completely surrounded last night."

"At the south of Panschendale the English troops were violently attacked by German tanks and were repulsed. At the end of the day the ground was completely covered by the enemy."

"On several other parts of the fighting line the English have repulsed the attacks of the enemy."

"The French made progress almost everywhere, especially on the heights of the right bank of the Yser, below Solennes, and on both sides of the Meuse at the north of Verdun."

"The troops of the Third Reserve German Corps have received supplementary reinforcements since their departure from Antwerp. A company of the German Regiment No. 35 has received ninety men and a company of the German Regiment No. 12 forty-five men. All these men are from 33 to 35 years of age. They appear to have little spirit."

INDIAN TROOPS TOOK SHELLS FOR FIREWORKS

Their First Experience in Trenches in Belgium Described in an Officer's Letter

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES, LONDON, Monday, Nov. 2.—The London Morning Post prints an extract from a letter of a cavalry officer, giving an account of how the Indian troops behaved in their first encounter with shell fire. Although a cavalry officer, the writer was serving in the trenches. In his letter, dated Oct. 24 and written from Belgium, he says:

"Last night before we were told that the regiment was going to be relieved by the Indians, we were told that they had been ordered to stay out to give them moral support as it was their first experience of shell fire."

"I thought that at the time it was the most weird sight I've ever seen."

"There were six tanks and a windmill blazing, all at night by shell fire, with flashing eyes and teeth, came up out of the darkness. The undisciplined and nervous nature of the Indian troops was evident at once. French Belgians, Indians—they make a fine sight."

"Well, these natives had hardly got into the trenches on either side of me when the first shell fell. It was the worst half hour I've ever spent. As of course I couldn't make them understand that they were to stay where they were, I didn't know what they would do. They behaved splendidly, however, and I was proud of them."

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TURKISH TROOPS INVADE EGYPT

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Austrians and Germans, Rumania is almost certain to declare for the Allies, and Greece, even before this, may decide to take her revenge on Turkey. In fact, it is believed that her treaty with Serbia would compel her to take action should the latter be attacked by Bulgaria or Turkey.

Italy, too, is brought nearer to war by the entrance of Turkey, for she has large Mediterranean possessions, to protect which would not be easy with a strengthened Turkey.

RUSSIA STILL HOLDS OFF.

Turkey Has a Chance to Disavow Hostile Acts in Black Sea.

PETROGRAD, Nov. 1. (Dispatch to the London Morning Post.)—The situation in connection with Russia and Turkey still remains obscure.

Russia has recalled all her diplomatic and consular representatives from Turkey, but has not yet proceeded to acts of war.

conditions on which Turkey may avoid war include, of course, a full apology and damages, with the dismissal of the offenders and probably all other Germans in the Ottoman services by land or sea.

The cruisers Goeben and Breslau remain in the eyes of the Allies, German not Turkish ships, and will be dealt with as such according to the general principles of war. That is, they must be disarmed and interned in a neutral port for the duration of the war.

As regards the Dardanelles, it is probable that the existing regulations will be left untouched in case of the best. In the worst, of course, the whole Eastern question comes up for final settlement.

The allied Governments have, doubtless, jointly considered every possible question that can arise out of this war, but it is too early for public discussion.

If Turkey fails to get out of the German clutches and war is inevitable, the Dardanelles in one of the main points for settlement. Upon possible differences of opinion between the Allies on this point Germany is basing all that part of her plans which depends upon the embolism of Turkey in the world war. As on every previous occasion, her calculations here are at fault.

When this war is over there will be two great waterways at opposite extremities of the European continent whose future status must be settled as England, France, and Russia may decide. There seems to be no reason why the Dardanelles should not be left in neutral hands and guaranteed open in perpetuity for the commerce of the world.

The Dardanelles and the Kiel Canal will thus serve the purposes of peace and the prosperity of humanity at large.

ENVOYS OF ALLIES DEPART.

Leave Constantinople—British, French, and Russians Quit Turkey.

BORDEAUX, Nov. 1.—It is officially announced that the French, British, and Russian Ambassadors to Turkey have left for their respective capitals.

The American Ambassador, Henry Morgenthau, has taken charge of French interests in Turkey.

PARIS, Monday, Nov. 2. 3:15 A. M.—The Turkish Ambassador has not yet left his residence here.

At the Turkish Embassy it is stated that no news has been received from Constantinople.

The Ambassador has refused to see newspaper men.

PETROGRAD, (via London), Nov. 1.—The Russian Government handed his passports to the Turkish Ambassador today.

All the Mohammedan newspapers in the Caucasus are energetically denouncing Turkey's aggression against Russia and pledging the loyalty of the Caucasian Mohammedans to the Russian Government.

The Russian military officers are being overwhelmed with offers of Cossack volunteers, who although they are exempt from military service, desire to serve.

LONDON, Monday, Nov. 2.—Reuter's Amsterdam correspondent sends a telegram received from Berlin which says that during the last few days British, French, and Russian subjects have hastened to Constantinople.

"The Russian Ambassador," the dispatch from Berlin says, "advised all Russian subjects to depart immediately from Constantinople and the British Ambassador sent his family home."

"Many enthusiastic demonstrations have taken place in the streets of Constantinople."

"The Bulgians have notified all the powers that the British attitude toward Egypt presented the execution of this sovereign rights and that the Khedive will demand of Great Britain an explanation of her actions."

BULGARIA IS WARNED.

If She Attacks Serbia Her Ports Will Be Shelled by Russians.

ROME, Nov. 1.—A dispatch received here from Athens says:

"Since the beginning of the war Petrograd has admonished Bulgaria that if Bulgaria profits by the situation, attacks Serbia, the Russian fleet in the Black Sea will punish Bulgaria by bombarding her coast towns."

ALL IN GERMAN UNIFORMS.

A Captain's Statement as to the Turkish Cruiser Breslau's Crew.

PETROGRAD, (via London), Nov. 1.—The Russian steamship Jerusalem, which has arrived at Odessa from Constantinople, reports that she was overtaken by a Turkish squadron, headed by the former German cruiser, Breslau, on the night before the Turkish ships bombarded the Russian ports.

The Turkish battleship Turgut Reis ran across the bow of the Russian steamer, causing her to reverse her engines.

It was seen from the steamer's deck, according to the Captain, that the entire crew of the Breslau were in German uniforms.

Before leaving the Bosphorus the Jerusalem was stopped by two black ships and held for six hours. Later she received puzzling wireless messages, indicating one directing her to proceed to the Crimea. The genuineness of this was doubted by the Captain, who disregarded it, and later found that the message had not been sent by his company.

BERLIN, (By way of Amsterdam and London), Nov. 1.—A dispatch to the Telegraph from Constantinople says that the Turkish fleet when it bombarded Novorossiysk, on the Black Sea, sank fourteen Russian transports and destroyed several warehouses, oil reservoirs, and a wireless station.

The Russian battleship Novorossiysk, and a wireless station, were also damaged by the Turkish fleet.

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A SERVICEABLE STATE OFFICIAL.

It is worthy of remark that many of the reforms with which Governor Glynn is credited were undertaken in response to suggestions from the present incumbent of the office of State Controller. A rigorous ruling that only current expenses be met by current appropriations had the effect of exposing the deficiencies and extravagances of preceding years. Department expenditures were so segregated that it became possible to ascertain with some degree of certainty what were the real resources of the State, and what funds would be available for a new fiscal year, after all expenses had been paid.

This put an end to juggling. In three reports to the Governor, the Controller outlined the ways and means whereby the State could deal, so to speak, in good faith with itself. Business principles were applied. The legislative Conference Committee having charge of matters relating to finance adopted a concert of action policy, the outcome being that the Controller's purposes prevailed, the Conference Committee's bills being substantially identical with all the suggestions he had to make.

Though there has been controversy on the subject, it is susceptible of proof that the State is indebted to the Governor for reduced taxation to the extent of more than \$11,000,000, and for immunity from a direct tax. It is only fair to add, however, that part of the credit therefor is due to the Controller, who was not only in accord with the Governor, but who solved many of the incidental problems. Actual figures speak plainly. This year shows a surplus of \$12,338,000, exceeding the estimates by not far short of \$7,000,000.

Audits at Albany are no longer an official fiction. Upon the recommendation of Controller Sohmer, an act relating to them was passed, with the result that claims involving thousands of dollars have been disallowed, and contracts involving hundreds of thousands have been rejected. There would have been no Stiegel failure had the bill suggested by the Controller been enacted into law. That suggestion is now part of the general banking bill, and those who deposit in private banks are protected.

This is but part of the record. It is set forth because much remains to be done, and because of the danger that there may be undoing. What the Controller does is apt to be very much less conspicuous than important. There is nothing spectacular about the present incumbent, but there is no exaggeration in the statement that he has been of great service to the Commonwealth. He it was that first called attention to the extravagances involved in awarding highway contracts without competition, and that put an end to the favoritism shown in supplemental agreements. The State can ill afford to lose the benefits of his experience.

ALL SEE VICTORY;
PROMISE REFORMS

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that the Democratic candidates were being made the victims of religious bigotry. Mr. Whitman refused the request, saying that under no condition would he permit campaign literature in his behalf to be carried to churches of any denomination whatever. He said he believed every candidate should keep his campaign entirely away from church doors. Members of the Catholic Benevolent Legion called at Mr. Whitman's rooms to assure him that they were in favor of his candidacy and were entirely convinced that he had nothing whatever to do with stirring up a religious issue. Concerning his plan to elect Governor, Mr. Whitman's managers gave out this statement from him:

"When I first ran for District Attorney I was asked to make many promises, but the only promise I would make was that I would find good men and would work through them to do the work that the people wanted done. That is all that public service consists of, I insisted, and I asked that the people turn me out of office at the end of my term if I failed to find and failed to do the kind of work I said I would do. "That is the basis of my plan. I am now making as to the Governorship. I will organize the small army of those who must serve the State. I will make no error in order to make his administration a success, in such a way that I can always feel that no man can tell in advance just what he can and what he cannot do in specific cases that may arise. "When I first ran for District Attorney I was asked to make many promises, but the only promise I would make was that I would find good men and would work through them to do the work that the people wanted done. That is all that public service consists of, I insisted, and I asked that the people turn me out of office at the end of my term if I failed to find and failed to do the kind of work I said I would do. "That is the basis of my plan. I am now making as to the Governorship. I will organize the small army of those who must serve the State. I will make no error in order to make his administration a success, in such a way that I can always feel that no man can tell in advance just what he can and what he cannot do in specific cases that may arise. "When I first ran for District Attorney I was asked to make many promises, but the only promise I would make was that I would find good men and would work through them to do the work that the people wanted done. That is all that public service consists of, I insisted, and I asked that the people turn me out of office at the end of my term if I failed to find and failed to do the kind of work I said I would do. "That is the basis of my plan. I am now making as to the Governorship. I will organize the small army of those who must serve the State. I will make no error in order to make his administration a success, in such a way that I can always feel that no man can tell in advance just what he can and what he cannot do in specific cases that may arise."

HOME RULE FOR THIS CITY.

Gov. Glynn Says New York Should Solve Its Own Problems.

Gov. Glynn spent the greater part of yesterday in his rooms at the Vanderbilt Hotel trying to rest, but he had his success. During most of the day he was receiving committees and callers as fast as they could be ushered in and out, and when left alone he was busy preparing himself for a final speech-making tour. He will carry on his campaign almost to the day of election, beginning with a Long Island trip this morning and ending with a chain of meetings in the city tonight. He will make twenty-four speeches on Long Island during the day and thirteen in Manhattan and Brooklyn in the evening. He expects to take a midnight train for Albany where he will vote and await the return.

Several of Gov. Glynn's callers yesterday asked him what special legislation and benefits New York City might expect from his administration, if he is elected, and last night he consented to express his views on this subject. He said:

"As I have stated repeatedly in my speeches, the best and fairest legislation that the State can enact for the benefit of New York City is a law freeing the State from the necessity of such legislation. That is to say it ought not to be necessary for a city which includes within its limits the population of the State to petition a distant Legislature for needed changes in its government."

Favors Home Rule for New York.

"Throughout its entire history the Democratic Party has advocated the principle of home rule, and during the last year the Democratic Party in this State has given a concrete expression to its belief in local self-government by passing a law giving every city in the State but two the right to choose its own form of government. It is to say it ought not to be necessary for a city which includes within its limits the population of the State to petition a distant Legislature for needed changes in its government."

"This great city has tremendous problems of its own which it should be permitted to meet and solve without outside interference. No Legislature has ever gathered together which understood the needs of New York City as its citizens understand them. Every Legislature has enough problems affecting the entire State to occupy its attention without being called upon to pass judgment on municipal questions. If the mass of legislation affecting New York City, which is annually passed upon by the State Legislature, were removed from its docket of business it would not only be better for New York City, but it would be better for the entire State."

"Another matter which I believe is of particular concern to New York City is the problem of unemployment. This winter the entire State was aroused over the number of men in this State who were unable to find work. Through my efforts, a law has been passed creating a State Employment Bureau, and before the winter this large city bureau will be in operation. I do not flatter myself that there is no room for improvement in the law it stands in framing the law I sought counsel and guidance from the experience of European countries in their attempts to solve the problem of unemployment, but because conditions are not the same here as abroad I believe that the law creating the New York State Employment Bureau may be improved after

How to Vote For Delegates to Constitutional Convention

Special effort is being made to get the voters to give proper consideration to the nominations made by the various political parties for delegates to the Constitutional Convention. The work of that convention rises above party considerations, and men should be selected to sit in the convention without regard to party lines.

Each voter will be called upon to vote for fifteen Delegates-at-Large. All of the political organizations, except the American Party, have nominated fifteen candidates. Their names will all appear on one separate ballot, in columns under their party emblems. The nominees of the three principal parties are:

DEMOCRATIC.	REPUBLICAN.	PROGRESSIVE.
Edgar M. Callen.	William Berry.	Vance P. Abbott.
John A. Dix.	Edgar Truman Brock.	Charles C. Alden.
Samuel Gompers.	Jacob Brainerd.	Frederic W. Bird.
D. Cady Harrier.	Alphonse T. Clearwater.	Thomas D. Call.
Calvin S. Himes.	Patrick W. Callahan.	William Hamilton Childs.
Maria W. Littleton.	Seth Lov.	William E. Davis.
James M. Lynch.	Louis Marshall.	Charles M. Dickinson.
William F. McCombs.	John L. O'Brien.	Frederick E. Draper.
John F. McGoldrick.	Herbert Parsons.	William H. Hotchkiss.
John F. Murphy.	Adolph C. Rodenbeck.	John Mitchell.
Morgan J. O'Brien.	William Root.	Edwin M. A. Seligman.
William Charles Osborn.	Jacob Gould Schurman.	Charles E. Starnes.
Jacob Sappert.	Henry L. Stinson.	Charles H. Strong.
Samuel Tatemeyer.	George W. Wickert.	George S. Van Schaick.
Robert B. Van Cortlandt.	Charles H. Young.	James C. Thomas.

The voter can put a cross mark under any party emblem and vote for the fifteen nominees of that party, or he can vote for any fifteen candidates by putting a cross mark in the blank space to the left of each candidate's name, and no man can tell in advance just what he can and what he cannot do in specific cases that may arise.

In addition to the Delegates-at-Large, each voter will be called upon to vote for three District Delegates, the districts being the same as those for State Senators. The names of the District Delegates will appear on the ballot under those of the Delegates-at-Large.

In the Voters' Guide, published in this New York Times last Sunday, appeared brief sketches of the lives of the forty-five Delegates-at-Large printed above. There was printed on the same page information gathered by the Citizens' Union regarding the fitness of all the candidates for District Delegates in New York City.

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GLYNN REASSURES POLICE.

He Will Oppose Legislation Taking Away Right of Review.

Several representatives of the men on the police force called on Gov. Glynn at the Vanderbilt Hotel yesterday to find out his views as to legislation at Albany next year regarding the abolition of a policeman's right to review by a jury. After talking with them a short time the Governor gave out this statement:

"Mayor Mitchell's public statement that he will not have any police legislation of this character made this question a dead issue. I do not regard it within the realm of possibility that any legislation taking away the policeman's right of review will be presented to me, but so as to settle any doubts that may exist I want to say again that I am absolutely opposed to the policeman being deprived of their right of review."

John M. O'Hanlon, editor of the Legislative Leader News, sent a telegram yesterday to the Governor

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Chauncey J. Hamlin
Progressive Candidate
FOR
LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR



Mr. Hamlin is a representative of one of Western New York's leading families. His grandfather, Cicero J. Hamlin, was proprietor of the famous "Village Farm" at East Aurora, the home of "Mambrino King." A graduate of Yale, where he won his Y on the football team, and also Phi Beta Kappa key for high scholarship, and of the Buffalo Law School, with high honors; his ability at the bar was early recognized through his appointment to the important office of Referee in Bankruptcy in 1909. He held this office until upon the organization of the Progressive Party he felt it his duty to resign this Republican appointment.

In the City of Buffalo, his home, he has been a leader in many movements for the betterment of his city. He was one of the founders of the Municipal League of Buffalo, an organization which had for its sole purpose the compilation of the records of candidates, so that citizens might know the manner of men they were voting for; many a bad candidate has been defeated because of the exposures made by this organization. The next great municipal movement in Buffalo was the fight to obtain a commission charter for Buffalo; he was one of the five who drafted the new charter, and is one of the men whose efforts have largely contributed to the success of the movement. Last year he was one of the originators of a non-partisan good government citizens' ticket in the City of Buffalo in an effort to take the municipal election out of the field of politics. Mr. Hamlin organized, and is President of the Legal Aid Bureau of Buffalo, which has done much humanitarian work in giving free legal aid to poor people. He is married and has three children.

Mr. Hamlin's candidacy is endorsed by prominent Independent Republicans and Democrats. Adolph Moot, one of Buffalo's leading Republicans and former President of the New York State Bar Association, in endorsing Mr. Hamlin's candidacy, said: "He should be supported, because of his public spirit and work in founding the Buffalo Legal Aid Bureau, in helping frame the commission charter and in starting Buffalo's first non-partisan and citizens' movement."

State Senator Geddes H. Wande, one of the leading Independent Democrats in the State said, regarding Mr. Hamlin's candidacy: "Altogether, the Independent Democrats are under deep obligation to Mr. Hamlin for the good work he has done in the interests of clean politics and honest government."

The Albany Knickerbocker Press, recognized as one of the leading Republican newspapers in the State, in editorially declaring in favor of Mr. Hamlin for Lieutenant Governor, says: "If the next Governor dies or is impeached the Lieutenant Governor will become Governor of the State, it is therefore the part of wisdom to elect a man as Lieutenant Governor, who is fitted and qualified to perform the duties of Governor."

"Considering the qualifications of the respective candidates for this office and the possibility of one of them becoming Governor under the provisions of the Constitution, the Knickerbocker Press is compelled to say that Chauncey J. Hamlin is the most likely candidate."

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ROCKEFELLER AIDS WAR RELIEF FUND

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stuffs was such that it was impossible to comply exactly with Ambassador Page's suggestions as to proportions. To fill and dispatch the ship called for an expenditure of about \$275,000.

Cargo of the Massapequa.
On next Tuesday morning, therefore, the Massapequa, of the New York and Porto Rico Steamship Company will sail direct to Rotterdam, Holland, laden with 4,000 tons of supplies, consigned to the American Consul. The cargo will consist of: 20,000 boxes (100 lb. each) of rice, 3,000 bags (200 lb. each) of beans, 10,000 boxes (100 lb. each) of bacon. The British Consul has kindly agreed to certify that these supplies are absolutely for the aid of non-combatants and should not be delayed in transit.

The extraordinary need in Belgium is further indicated by the following cablegram received from H. C. Hoover of the American Relief Committee in London:

Have received reports from members of our committee, from the American Minister in Brussels, and from local officials that within three weeks the real famine of foodstuffs in Belgium will have been exhausted and the entire population of over seven million people will be without food. The minimum supply of foodstuffs required annually is 1,000,000 tons of cereals per month, together with bacon or lard. The minimum monthly expenditure required is from four to five million dollars, of which some part is returnable through sales.

It therefore appears that the problem of feeding the people of Belgium transcends other than Belgian relief. The one function of Americans in Belgium relief is the purchase and dispatch of food. We have expended every dollar that we have received in the purchase and dispatch of foodstuffs already, and it will take all the funds we can raise here to take care of emergency pending arrival of such supplies from America.

It is obvious that no philanthropic exertion will be too great to relieve the acute suffering of those victims of the war who are innocent of any participation in it.

Feared by Belgian Consul.
When Starr J. Murphy and Frederick T. Gates of the Rockefeller Foundation were asked to amplify the statement, they replied that it gave all the details available at this time, and there was nothing they could add. Mr. Murphy, the Belgian Consul General, at his home in Plainfield, N. J., said that he had not heard before of the Rockefeller plan.

"I can only say at this time," Mr. Murphy added, "that it is a very handsome thing to do, and that I know the people of Belgium will be deeply grateful for it."

Robert W. de Forest, Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Belgian Relief Committee, was out of the city and could not be reached. Mr. de Forest, a member of the Belgian Relief Committee, said at his home, 119 Amity Street, Brooklyn:

"The importance of Mr. Rockefeller's generosity may be realized when it is known that not more than ten daily supplies remain for the Belgian people. This aid could not come at a more

fortunate time. A splendid organization has been provided throughout Belgium for the distribution of supplies, which is recognized by both the Belgian and German Governments. This organization is composed of prominent Belgians, who will see to it that the food supplies reach those for whom they are intended.

Some Pay for Food.
"It was arranged that food should be furnished free to those who were unable to pay for it. Others able to pay would be required to pay the actual cost, whereby the relief fund would be helped to this extent and the money used over again for the good of the most unfortunate and poverty-stricken in the war zone."

John D. Rockefeller's desire to establish the Foundation was made known first in March, 1910, when a bill was introduced in the United States Senate by Senator Gallinger of New Hampshire for its incorporation. Its object as stated in the bill was "to promote the well-being and to advance the civilization of the people of the United States and its territories and possessions and of foreign lands in the acquisition and dissemination of knowledge; in the prevention and relief of suffering; and in the promotion of any and all elements of human progress."

For this purpose the corporation was to establish, maintain, and endow institutions. The membership of the Foundation was to be not fewer than five nor more than twenty-five, and elections were to be held by the members to fill vacancies. No limit was placed on the amount of funds that the corporation might hold, and provision was made for the exemption from taxation of personal property and funds applied to the uses of the trust.

No member of the Foundation was to receive any pecuniary benefits other than a reasonable compensation for his services. The annual report of the corporation was to be reported annually to the Secretary of the Interior, and the charter was to be subject to alteration or repeal at the pleasure of Congress.

Foundation Once Criticized.
There was widespread criticism of the project. It was urged that there should be some restriction of the power of the members of the corporation to elect their own successors, and that the amount of money that could be accumulated should be limited. Some contended that the foundation should not be perpetual, but subject to termination with a distribution of its funds, and that the corporation should be vested more specifically in Congress.

Amendments to the bill were made by the House, providing that the objects of the corporation as the interests of the public might demand, and that all gifts to property should be subject to this provision. The total amount of property the Foundation might hold was limited to \$100,000,000, and it was provided that the income should not be accumulated or added to the principal, but should be disbursed currently.

It was suggested that after a period of fifty years the corporation might distribute the principal as well as the income with the consent of two-thirds of its members, and that after 100 years Congress might direct such distribution. In order to prevent a self-perpetuating board controlling the corporation, it was proposed that new members should be elected by the House, the Senate, the President of the United States, the President of the Senate, the Speaker of the House, and the Presidents of Harvard, Yale, Columbia, Johns Hopkins, and Chicago.

The bill was passed by the House and the Senate, and the President signed it into law. The Rockefeller Foundation was organized, and the first meeting of the trustees was held in New York City. The trustees included John D. Rockefeller, Jr., Frederick T. Gates, Harry Pratt Judson, Dr. Simon Flexner, Starr J. Murphy, Jerome D. Greene, Dr. Wickliffe Rose, and Charles D. Walcott. The foundation's plan for aiding the destitute non-combatants in Europe to make their way to America was announced. Dr. Rose, it is understood, will leave for New York within the next few days to make arrangements for the foundation's plan to send abroad a

relief from State taxes, while the minimum relief was raised from five to nine.

Chartered in New York.
The bill never became a law, and in 1913 a measure to give the Foundation a New York charter was introduced in Albany by Senator James A. Foley of this city. The Foley bill, as it was passed and signed by Gov. Sulzer, defined the powers of the corporation as follows:

"To take and hold by bequest, devise, gift, purchase or lease, either absolutely or in trust for any of its purposes, any property, real or personal, without limitation as to amount or value, except such limitation, if any, as the Legislature shall hereafter specifically impose; to convey such property and to invest and reinvest any principal, and deal with and expend the income and principal of the corporation in such manner as in the judgment of the trustees will best promote its objects."

It shall have all the power and be subject to all the restrictions which now pertain by law to membership corporations created by a special law, so far as the same are applicable thereto and are not inconsistent with the provisions of this act.

The persons named in the first section of this act, a majority of them, shall hold a meeting and organize the corporation and adopt a constitution and by-laws, not inconsistent with the Constitution and laws of this State. The constitution shall prescribe the manner of selection of members, the number of members who shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business at meetings of the corporation, the number of trustees by whom the business and affairs of the corporation shall be managed, the qualifications, powers, and the manner of selection of the trustees and officers of the corporation, the manner of amending the constitution and by-laws of the corporation, and other provisions for the management and disposition of the property and regulation of the affairs of the corporation which may be deemed expedient.

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ARRANGEMENTS MADE ABROAD
Difficulties in Distributing Supplies to Non-Combatants.
WASHINGTON, Nov. 1.—While representatives of the Rockefeller Foundation seem to have kept their plans for relief quiet in this country, here they have reached sufficiently definite stages to make the unobstructed transportation of supplies sent to the innocent sufferers from the war. These arrangements, though apparently without any direct reference to the sweeping plan announced today by John D. Rockefeller, Jr., were made some weeks ago in London. The subject then was considered particularly, it is understood, by the American Ambassador and the Belgian Minister in London with special reference to getting foodstuffs to the starving people of Belgium.

It is believed those arrangements may be extended so as to apply the relief to at least the more accessible of the other countries now at war.

President Wilson may comment formally on the plan tomorrow, and meantime White House officials let it be known that unofficially the Government would do everything possible to aid the movement. Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, British Ambassador, Jules Jusserand, French Ambassador, and other diplomats said the plans showed great public spirit.

"It is a magnificent idea," said Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, "and I am sure that it will be declared with unanimity by every one who has occasion to comment on this humanitarian plan."

Ambassador Jusserand declared that the news of such immediate and practical relief for the stricken Belgians especially would be indeed welcome to all the world.

"It has given me great pleasure to hear this," he said, "and I know that it will be of great satisfaction to every one, and especially to those who understand what terrible destitution exists among the families in Belgium."

The Belgian Minister, Mr. Havenith, was in New York today discussing methods for the furtherance of the work of the Belgian Relief Commission, with the Belgian Consul General. The news was received with satisfaction at the legation, and it was stated unofficially that the present action of the Foundation probably would be the means of saving a great many lives.

DR. ROSE COMING HERE.
Noted Southern Educator to Meet Foundation Colleagues.
Special to The New York Times.
WASHINGTON, Nov. 1.—Dr. Wickliffe Rose stated tonight that he did not know enough about the Rockefeller Foundation's plan for aiding the destitute non-combatants in Europe to make their way to America to say more than that he was interested in it. Dr. Rose, it is understood, will leave for New York within the next few days to make arrangements for the foundation's plan to send abroad a

This is the Sum Given by New Yorkers Since the Conflict Started.
New Yorkers have contributed for the relief of suffering in Europe \$1,074,036, according to figures compiled on Saturday. Add to this the unreported sums collected, and it is estimated that more than \$1,100,000 has been obtained here for the wounded and destitute in the war zone.

This table gives the amounts collected by fifteen committees in this city:

Red Cross, New York branch	\$317,064
Red Cross, Hudson River branch	4,000
Belgian Relief Committee	150,710
American Hospital, Paris	112,687
Prisoners of War Fund	85,000
Swiss Relief Fund	25,000
French women and children	23,003
Committee of Mercy	11,136
Belgian Dollar Fund	10,000
Silk Association	10,000
French Artists	8,327
Vacation Committee	4,000

The Committee of the British War Relief Association, the offices of which are in the British Imperial Club, 308 East Thirtieth Street, announced yesterday these subscriptions to its fund:

Robert Bond	\$25
Mrs. M. V. Wilson	25
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Mrs. R. F. Bowen	25
Concert tickets	132
Mrs. J. N. J. N.	2
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The benefit for the Committee of Mercy, which was announced for Nov. 1, will be given at the Park Theatre on Sunday evening, Nov. 8. Mrs. Maude Kissam of 680 Madison Avenue, is Chairman of the Entertainment Committee, and associated with her are Elizabeth Jordan, Mrs. J. W. Gay, Laddie Cliff, the English comedy dancer, Elsie St. Ger, Eber, and Alfred Rose of the Princeton Club.

Why You Should Support James W. Wadsworth, Jr. For United States Senator

BECAUSE Senator Elihu Root writes to him: "I want you to be Senator because I have watched your career, and I consider that, above all the other younger men who have been in American public life in recent years, you have exhibited the greatest promise of useful public service of the highest order. I rank your ability and fitness for great service in the Senate of the United States far, far above the competency of any of your competitors."

Because, in the words of Robert H. Fuller, Esq., secretary to Governor Hughes, "He co-operated with the Governor in the passage of many other important but less conspicuous measures which Mr. Hughes recommended for the consideration of the Legislature. Speaker Wadsworth's attitude was always frank and above-board, and Governor Hughes felt a warm personal liking for him."

The argument that it is necessary to defeat Mr. Wadsworth in order to sustain the President's policy of neutrality is foolish and absurd. Every Senator, Republican or Democrat, will sustain that policy. That is not a question of politics, it is a question of patriotism.

Remember, you are electing a Senator to serve six years. Do you want New York represented in the Senate solely by Tammany Hall? *Think this over.*

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Born at Chennault, Kentucky; 48 years of age; married; residence, 312 West 83d Street; office, 35 Wall Street.

Graduate of Transylvania University, at Lexington, Kentucky, where he received the degrees of Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Science, and Doctor of Law, and of Yale University, where he received the degrees of Master of Laws and Doctor of Civil Law.

Has been engaged in the general practice of law in New York City for the past sixteen years. Has a wide experience in litigation matters and in the trial of cases; is a good trial lawyer.

is thoroughly familiar with the practical working of the courts.

Has taken an active interest in public affairs ever since he has been a resident of New York, and has been an earnest advocate of measures making for real and substantial political and economic reform.

Elected to the Assembly as a Union candidate in the old 9th (now 7th) Assembly District of New York County in 1902, and served with honor and independence as a member of the Assembly of 1902.

Has been elected, under appointment by Justice Ernest Hall, as a commissioner in condemnation proceedings.

Member of the Association of the Bar of the City of New York, Kentucky Society, Southern Society, Society of Medical Jurisprudence and West Side Taxpayers' Association.

Nominated by the Democratic Party and Independence League, Endorsed by Jeffersonian Alliance, Cleveland Democracy, N. Y. County Lawyers' Association.

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American Ambassador to Germany

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Mr. Voter, Read Facts!

The statements which appear in the public press regarding the office of State Comptroller show that Mr. Whitman is so absolutely unfair in what he has to say about my department and so reckless in his misrepresentation that I feel justified in making a public reply.

Mr. Whitman charges that the transfer tax appraisers and other appointees engaged in fixing the transfer tax are members of Tammany Hall, which, in the county of New York in some instances is true, but Mr. Whitman did not state, and in all of his speeches has neglected to state, that the law provides for the appointment of appraisers in sixteen counties, and attorneys in all the counties of the State, and that in every instance I have appointed residents of each county to do the work in that county. He refused to state that under a decision of the Court of Appeals in New York and Kings counties I removed the appointees of my predecessor who were, with two exceptions, district leaders of the Republican organization. He refused to state that my appointees have performed month for month almost twice as much service as their predecessors; that besides keeping up the work of appraisals they have disposed of more than 1,500 cases neglected by their predecessors and that the revenues received from this tax have been each year more than \$2,000,000 greater than during any year of the Republican administration, and that this increase would have been impossible if the appraisals had been conducted with such delay and laxity as existed under the Republican administration. Mr. Whitman refused to state that the enforcement of the Transfer Tax Law is under the direction and control of Judge George W. McElroy, an organization Republican, retained in office by me solely because of his efficiency.

Mr. Whitman in no place and at no time has dared to say that the work of my office has not been conducted efficiently and honestly; he has absolutely ignored the fact that during my administration more has been done to better the management of the fiscal affairs of this State than during the term of any predecessor. Mr. Whitman has ignored the fact that his party organization a few weeks ago sent a statement broadcast through the State that the State was bankrupt and the surplus had been exhausted, when the truth was that due to the efficiency of the administration of this office on the first of October last there was a surplus in the treasury of more than twelve millions of dollars. Mr. Whitman ignored the fact that if the policies followed by my predecessors had been continued there would have been no surplus, but the fact that a large surplus exists to-day is due almost entirely to the enforcement of the Finance Law along the lines laid down by myself. Mr. Whitman ignored the fact that while he had promoted a great amount of publicity concerning the management of our State highways without obtaining any definite result, that I had absolutely and completely stopped favoritism to contractors by means of supplemental agreements and had brought it about that not a dollar of the State's money is spent for the repair or construction of highways without free and full competition. Mr. Whitman cannot say anything or make any charge against the efficiency of the management of the Comptroller's office during the past four years, which is true. Again, while Mr. Whitman wilfully misrepresented my administration for the purpose of creating a prejudice which would benefit him, he is absolutely silent about the qualifications of my principal opponent in this campaign. I claim that if Mr. Whitman chooses to attack me he must, at the same time, approve the attitude of Mr. Travis on public questions while in the State Senate and be bound by his record.

When Mr. Whitman attacks me he must declare himself as favoring the repeal of the 54-hour law and the other labor laws enacted to protect the health and welfare of our children, for that is the record of my opponent. He must declare himself as being opposed to the pensioning of worthy employees in the several departments of the public service, because that is the record of my opponent. He must declare himself as being opposed to recognizing the long years of service of our public school teachers, because that is the record of my opponent. Finally, Mr. Whitman must declare himself as believing that matters of public policy and efficient public service, and that an appeal to prejudice is more effective in seeking the support of the voter than the record of duty performed and results obtained in the public interest.

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MANY INCREASES IN BUDGET GRANTS

But Allowance of \$125,396,625 for City Government Is a Cut of \$40,924 from 1914.

MORE FOR ESTIMATE BOARD

Its Appropriation of \$635,436 is an Increase of \$249,787, the Largest in Any Department.

The budget appropriations for 1915 made public yesterday, together with comparative tables of the appropriations for 1914, show increases in some departments and decreases in others. The total for the various departments, \$125,396,625, is an increase over the 1914 budget of \$40,924,734.

The legislative branch of the City Government consisting of the Board of Aldermen and the City Clerk gets \$300,187, an increase of \$7,948. The central administrative departments consisting of the Mayor's office, the Board of Estimate, the City Chamberlain, and those departments immediately under the Mayor get a total of \$3,722,548, an increase of \$304,250. The principal increase is to the Board of Estimate, which gets \$935,436, an increase of \$249,787. The appropriation for the Mayor's office is \$61,350, an increase of \$5,277.

The principal items which make up the budget, together with the borough assessments are shown in the following table:

	1914.	1915.
City Government	\$125,396,625	\$125,396,625
Debt service	29,812,381	29,812,381
Public utilities	6,112,000	6,112,000
Rentals	538,471	538,471
State taxes	1,378,303	1,378,303
Borough assessments	3,615,596	3,615,596
New York County	1,007,122	1,007,122
Richmond County	140,328	140,328
Queens County	140,328	140,328
Westchester County	140,328	140,328
Yonkers City	140,328	140,328

Here are the amounts granted to the more important departments, showing the increase or decrease over the 1914 figures:

	1914.	1915.
Police	\$17,364,994	\$17,364,994
Fire	5,243,332	5,243,332
Health	2,720,410	2,720,410
Charities	4,008,889	4,008,889
Water	1,046,213	1,046,213
Correction	1,312,259	1,312,259
Bridges	802,219	802,219
Public Works	1,046,213	1,046,213
Education	4,008,889	4,008,889
Law	1,312,259	1,312,259
Board of Education	1,312,259	1,312,259
Comptroller of Accounts	299,320	299,320
Finance	1,046,213	1,046,213
Courts and Coroners	2,000,173	2,000,173

The Department of Central Purchases, Publicity, and Printing gets \$1,088,455, a decrease of \$15,445. The principal decrease here is in the appropriation for advertising, the amount being cut from \$275,000 to \$150,000. The record gets \$888,455, an increase of \$3,556. Devoted to amortization of debt reducing is \$40,924,734, or \$10,822,505 more than last year. The total appropriation for the operation of the Government of the City proper for the year is \$192,160,669, an increase of \$6,354,198 over last year. In addition there is appropriated \$220,016, devoted to the payment of assessments to the boroughs.

The appropriations to the administrative departments of New York County are \$1,184,947, a decrease of \$19,146. The County Clerk, with an appropriation of \$183,168, shows a decrease of \$10,000. The District Attorney's office, with an appropriation of \$278,110, shows an increase of \$8,000. The County Engineer, with an appropriation of \$121,382, shows a decrease of \$12,070.

J. A. SULLIVAN FOUND DEAD.

Wealthy Passaic Lawyer Victim of Heart Attack in His Office.

Special to The New York Times. PASSAIC, N. J., Nov. 1.—With his walking cane clutched tightly in his right hand, and leaning against a bookcase, James A. Sullivan, a prominent lawyer of this city, was found dead in his office, 241 Main Avenue, this morning by one of his law clerks who had an appointment to meet him there at 9 o'clock. Physicians say that heart disease caused his death.

He left his home early last evening, and when he did not return, members of the family believed that he was staying over night at the home of his brother and law partner, A. D. Sullivan.

James A. Sullivan was born at Saratoga, N. Y., fifty-three years ago. He was admitted to the Ohio bar in 1888. Several years ago he came to this city and joined his brother in the law business. He made a specialty of real estate law, and became very wealthy.

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The Times Searchlight to Tell the Results of the Election

After the closing of the polls, at 5 P. M. next Tuesday, the counting of the vote will start immediately throughout the State. As soon as enough returns have been received to make the results of the complete count reasonably certain, the verdict of the voters will be instantly communicated to every body for miles around through the use of the great searchlight on the tall tower of The Times Building. The signals will be as follows:

GLYN ELECTION GOVERNOR.—White shaft of light pointing south.

WHITMAN ELECTION GOVERNOR.—White shaft of light pointing north.

GERARD ELECTION SENATOR.—White shaft of light pointing west.

WADSWORTH ELECTION SENATOR.—White shaft of light pointing east.

DEMOCRATIC CONGRESS.—White shaft of light south, swinging east and west.

REPUBLICAN CONGRESS.—White shaft of light north, swinging east and west.

Detailed election returns will be thrown by a stereopticon on a large screen on The Times Building, Broadway and Forty-second Street.

3 DEAD; LIQUOR BLAMED. SHOT IMPERILS MANY LIVES.

Druggist Accused of Selling the Liabilities Held Pending Investigation.

BRISTOL, Vt., Nov. 1.—The sudden deaths today of three men and the illness of three others led to the arrest tonight of D. A. Bisbee, proprietor of a drug store. According to the officials, the deaths were due to the effects of liquor obtained at the store.

The dead men are Fred O'Brien and Samuel King of Bristol and Edward Wakefield of Warren. An autopsy was held tonight under the direction of Dr. H. H. Stone of Burlington, Director of the State Laboratory of Hygiene, assisted by local physicians. A quantity of liquor seized at the drug store was turned over to Dr. Stone, and will be analyzed at the State Laboratory. It is expected that Bisbee will be arraigned tomorrow on the report of the autopsy.

The streets were crowded. Atlantic, Flatbush, and Fourth Avenues converge in an open plaza, where hundreds of persons were waiting for trolley cars, yet the youths stepped forward and one of them fired a revolver at Downs. The bullet passed between the policeman's right arm and his side, tearing the sleeve and the side of his coat, but not hitting him. It sped through the waiting throng and through the open doorway of the Long Island Railroad Station in Flatbush Avenue, where, almost spent, it struck Miss Mary S. Van Wagner, sister of Police Capt. Jacob Van Wagner.

While people in the station gathered about the screaming woman, Downs, dragging the girl, set out after the young men. He was followed by an attendant in Mayor Mitchell's office, blew a police whistle, and some one rushed from the station and tried to hit him with a blackjack. Police Chief Stucke and Charles Witscher caught him in an armway near Nevins Street.

They said they were Peter Riccio of 80 Front Street and Joseph Emme of 24 Front Street. Both were charged with violation of the Sullivan law, for they had revolvers, and an additional charge of assault was made against Riccio, who, the police said, fired.

Miss Van Wagner was taken to her home, 877 Union Street, in an automobile driven by Dr. Brown, from Brooklyn Hotel, where she was found. She was only a flesh wound in the back.

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SAYS SULLIVAN PAID FOR AUTO REPAIRS

Cropper Has a Bill for Sing Sing Motor Which the Bank Wrecker Settled.

PARDON BOARD INVOLVED

Governor Will Be Asked to Investigate Story That It Took Convict Away on Auto Rides.

With Dr. J. Ellis Rohrer, Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Union Bank Depositors' Association, preparing to ask Gov. Gilman to investigate the conduct of the State Board of Pardons in connection with the Sullivan-McCormick-Sing Sing scandal, District Attorney Cropper of Brooklyn announced yesterday that he planned today to show that the bank President-conduct at least paid the repair bills for the Sing Sing automobile if he didn't invent his car outright. Mr. Cropper said he had a copy of a bill paid by David A. Sullivan and had subpoenaed, before the Grand Jury tomorrow, automobile men who would present the original of this bill.

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WIRE ON BOMB PUT OUT FUSE

Test Shows High Explosive Was Put at Door After Threat

RUSSIAN ADVANCE ON EAST PRUSSIA

Northern Forces Covering Warsaw While Army from There Pursues the Germans.

RETREAT IN THREE LINES

Centre and Southern Defeated Sections Following Railroads to Reach New Positions.

PRZEMYSL SORTIE FAILS

4,000 of Garrison Reported to Have Been Captured—Austrian Victory East of Fortress.

PETROGRAD, Nov. 2.—The following report from the General Staff of the Russian Commander in Chief was made public here tonight:

On the front in Eastern Prussia, our troops have repulsed German attacks directed against Vladislavov, driven the enemy from the eastern edge of the Rominten forest, and advanced to the north of Lake Raigorod.

Beyond the Vistula our troops continue the offensive without being opposed. Only in the region of Opatow the Austrians attempted to resist us with considerable forces. They were repulsed. Beyond the Opatow River the Austrians held fortified positions. In Galicia, on the San River, our troops entered the village of Lisko, where fierce fighting took place.

On the rest of the front the situation is virtually unchanged.

The military correspondent of the Novoe Vremya, explaining the changing dispositions of the enemy's forces, says:

"The Austrians are moving south and southwest toward the Galician frontier and Cracow, while the Germans, retreating from Warsaw, are falling back west and southwest toward the Silesian frontier.

"As the Russian troops from Warsaw and Novoe Georgievsk follow the Germans, the Russian East Prussian corps is moving in force on the regions north-west of Warsaw, covering Warsaw from the direction of Mlava and capturing both banks of the Vistula below Warsaw."

German officers captured near Warsaw state that on account of the impassable condition of the roads the Germans are following the double-tracked railroad from Warsaw to Czenstochowa, through Skierniewice and Piotrkow.

"The southern divisions are following the railway lines from Kielce toward Cracow, while the German extreme left, not in actual contact with the centre, but keeping in communication with it by 'flying' cavalry squadrons, is moving west toward Kalisz. This wing constantly is drawing reinforcements from Thorn and Mlava."

MAY CUT AUSTRIANS OFF.

Russians in Swift Pursuit of Army—Przemysl Sortie Disastrous.

SPECIAL CABLE TO THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Tuesday, Nov. 3.—The Petrograd correspondent of The Morning Post sends the following:

"According to official news, the Russians are advancing with success along the whole Vistula front. Details are confined to information about that the Austrians are retreating. The Russians have secured Piotrkow and other places in such positions as to suggest that the Austrian armies run the risk of being cut off from Cracow, their ultimate goal of retreat. A rear-guard defense was attempted at Opatow, but without success, and the Russians took several hundred prisoners and six Maxim guns with a supply train."

"On the San River, where the fighting has been severe for a fortnight, the Russians adopted the method of deliberately sapping their opponents' trenches, precisely as a besieging force does its way toward a fortress. This proved an admirable success. When the Russian sap burst into Austrian trenches the men in them were seized with panic and fled precipitately. The Russians, taking advantage of the panic, rushed the fortifications in the neighborhood and took them, capturing five officers, 500 men and all the Maxim guns."

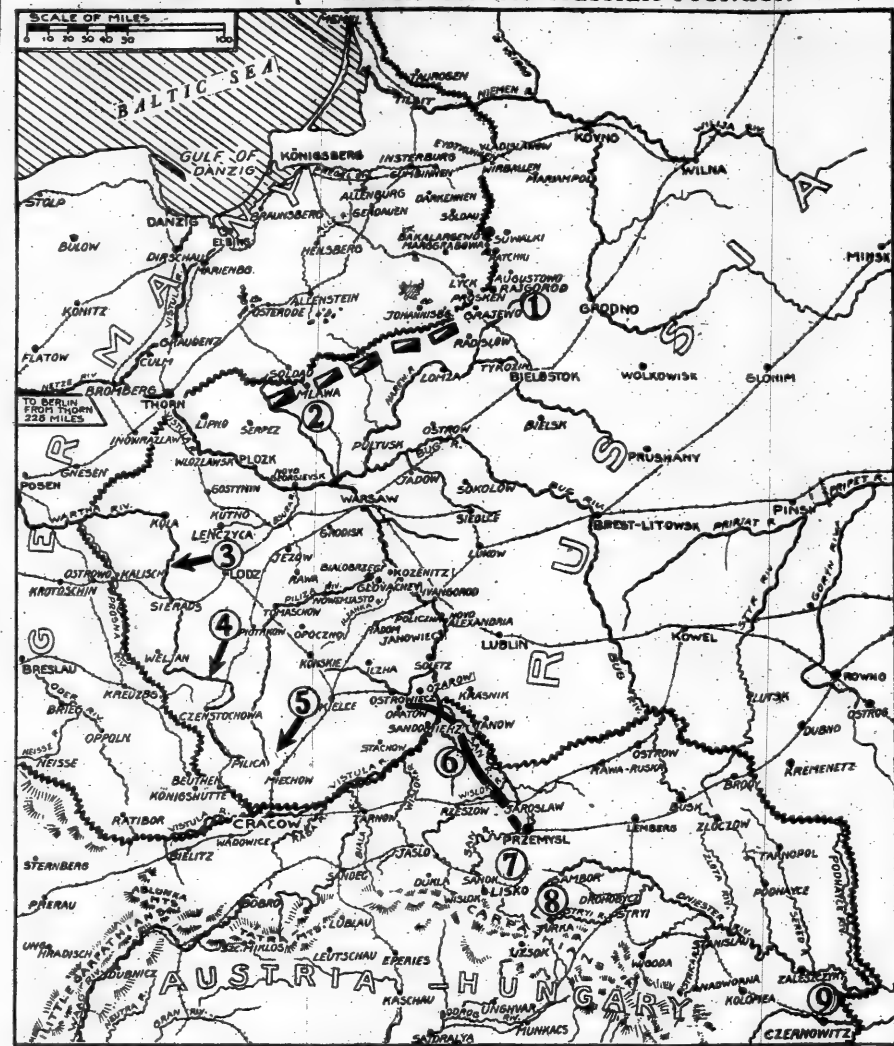
"An Austrian column which had descended the north shore of the Carpathians in the direction of Nadworna, where it had entrenched itself, has been attacked and driven back. This operation is removed by more than a hundred miles from the nearest point of the great struggle, and shows that the Austrians, confident of victory under German leaders, sent forces across the Carpathians to catch the Russians in the rear when the proper moment came. Unfortunately the moment failed to arrive, and the local Russian forces, enjoying the entire support of the native inhabitants, seem to find no difficulty in dealing with successive isolated attempts of the considerable Hungarian reserve bodies sent across the Carpathians at various points."

"Persistent rumors still prevail about Przemysl having been taken, but they should be disregarded. What really has happened is that the Russians have captured 4,000 of the garrison, with all their arms and equipment. I am still uninformed on points and detail, but the garrison attempted to break through the Russian lines and to proceed until they could cut in behind, when the force was surrounded, and when it found it was impossible to cut a way through either forward or backward it capitulated."

"Whether the force, whose captured remnants after a desperate attempt to cut a way out still numbered 4,000, were Germans or Austrians, whether they were the only sound men left in the fortress, where cholera and typhus are reported to be raging, or whether the attempt was merely a part of the routine of the beleaguered stronghold, it is impossible to affirm."

"The Russian advance into East Prussia appears to be on a thirty-mile line running from Vladislavov to the great forest of Rominten, which is a day's march away from the scene of the severe fighting already reported. It has been in progress for a week. Whether the Russians are advancing on the whole front of thirty miles or, as is more probable, only at some point in that distance, is not yet clear, what is perfectly

Scene of Operations on the Russian Frontier.



In the fighting on the East Prussian frontier the Russians announce that they have advanced to the north of Lake Raigorod, (1). The Russian Army operating on this frontier, and indicated by black and white blocks, is also covering Warsaw from the direction of Mlava. (2). The reports of German troops pursuing the left wing of the main German Army, indicated by an arrow marked 3, which is reported to be headed for Kalisz. The centre, (arrow 4), because of the impassable condition of the roads, is following the railroad from Piotrkow to Czenstochowa, which has been that Russian headquarters. The right, or southern wing of the main army (arrow 5) is retreating down the railroad from Kielce toward Cracow, its base having been Miechow.

In Galicia the Austrian line, indicated by black blocks, (6), is held in check all along the San River. While the Russian announce that they have captured the village of Lisko, (7), the Austrians report an important victory in the district between Sambor and Turka. (8). They also announce that the Russians are bombarding Czenowitz, (9), the capital of Bukovina, from which they were recently driven.

It is plain that the Germans in East Prussia have had no better fortune elsewhere and the moment has evidently arrived for the Russians to advance in force into their enemy's country."

GERMANS DRIVEN BACK.

Loss Heavily at Bakalargewo, but Resume Attack.

By PERCEVAL GIBSON.

PETROGRAD, Nov. 2. (Dispatch to The London Daily Chronicle).—Fighting along the East Prussian front, which began Oct. 25, developed into an attack of great force by the Germans on the Russian positions west of Suwalki, centering on the big village of Bakalargewo.

The Russians seized the opportunity of German inaction to establish themselves very strongly in Bakalargewo, situated at the southern end of a long, narrow lake in a country dotted with patches of fir wood. The eastern bank of the lake rises steeply, and here the Russian position commands a considerable stretch of country. Behind the front line the town of Margabowo on the railway.

For days past the Germans have been attacking the Russian position with the largest calibre. The former include many divisions of reserves and a large number of regiments from the Konigsberg garrison.

A faint toward Lyck on the south, where the Russians have taken the German strategic railway, was beaten off with ease. The Germans were under the impression that the Russian positions were weakened here because of reinforcements they sent to Poland, and their object was to thrust the Russians back from certain points and so enable them to attack the railway line near Margabowo and cut the Russian line between Suwalki and Augustow.

From Oct. 26 to 29 there continued a tremendous artillery fire across the lake and over the low ground south of the village. The Russian forces on the front include men who were with Gen. Rennenkampf in his advance on and retreat from Liebenburg. They are a strong leaven of hardy men, expert in the art of using ground. Their dispositions in a labyrinth of wooded hills and valleys made it impossible for the Germans to ascertain the effect of their fire.

Many times following observation signals of aeroplanes the direction of their fire was seen to change and ground was often heavily shelled on which there were no Russian troops at all. The Russian explanation is that the Germans were attempting to change the whole line at one point actually impeding the fire from the trenches. The slaughter was indeed colossal. To the east of Bakalargewo alone there were more than 4,000 German dead on the ground. At no point was the Russian line broken.

To the west of the lake the Germans attempted to entrench despite the Russian shell fire from the water. On Saturday afternoon Siberian battalions moved forward from the village to dislodge them. Finding this at which the Russians excel in co-operation between the infantry and artillery. This engagement

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THE WAR SITUATION.

BY THE MILITARY EXPERT OF THE NEW YORK TIMES.
(An Associate Editor of The Army and Navy Journal.)

The confidence of the Allies in the strength of their position along the Yser River in Belgium is shown by the length of time that they opposed the Germans along this stream before they turned its waters into the districts prepared for inundation. This use of the river had been planned for years as a method of defense for Belgium against troops invading the country from the west; now it is used for the opposite purpose. If the Allies had feared the German attacks in this district they would have turned loose this flood when they first took up their position along the Yser two weeks ago. Instead of taking this course the Allies reserved this weapon for the time when its use would produce the greatest effects.

The German crossing of the Yser accordingly turned out to be a trap. When the Kaiser's troops had established their hold on the west bank, in spite of great losses in the attack, the Allies turned loose the flood behind them and cut off their retreat. At the same time the Allies' artillery fire overpowered the German forces that were thus isolated and inflicted heavy losses.

The fighting in this field has been a costly one for the Germans. It seems beyond question that their losses must be double those of the Allies. They have pressed their attacks under particularly unfavorable conditions, while their early repulse lost the chance to even the score, that could only come through inflicting a decisive defeat.

The reports of German attacks along the center of the line indicate that they are feeling their way in preparation for a resumption of a strong aggressive move. It is unlikely that they can attempt this with hope of success unless they are able to send to their armies in France reinforcements of at least two army corps. If they are making such a movement it should be shown not only by increased activities in France, but also by a further retreat of the German and Austrian armies in Poland.

The renewal of the attacks along the center of the line is coincident with the delivery of desperate attacks on the Russian lines on the East Prussian border. The German troops in this region seem to be under orders to make every sacrifice in an effort to decrease the pressure that is being exerted by the Russians in Western Poland.

Along a front of 100 miles on the East Prussian border the Germans are making vigorous efforts to break down the Russian defense. The flat country in which the fighting is taking place is, however, a serious disadvantage for the attacking troops. Their movements are difficult to conceal, and they have trouble in finding shelter from the enemy's fire after they have left their intrenchments. The Germans also are at a disadvantage in that their East Prussian army is largely made up of reserve forces, armed with less efficient rifles and field guns than those of the Russians. The latter in this field are mostly first-line troops, who have

also captured 400 prisoners. We have progressed here and northeast of Turka."

RUSSIAN AMBASSADOR HURT.

Envoy in Auto Smashup While on Way to Pimlico Races.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 2.—The Russian Ambassador at Washington, George Bakmeteff, was slightly injured here today, while bound for the races at Pimlico, when a taxicab in which he was riding collided with a motor car. The injury was not serious, but he was flying glass.

One of the occupants of the other machine was not severely hurt and was taken to a hospital.

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SPECIAL CABLE TO THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PETROGRAD, Nov. 2. (Dispatch to The London Morning Post).—A number of women coming back wounded or with wounded husbands from the front proves that the contingent of adventurous female warriors who have actually been engaged in fighting in the lines is quite considerable. A Cossack girl went as a trooper with the full knowledge and permission of the immediate authorities, but most of the amazons get there in disguise, many to be near their husbands and some from sheer love of adventure.

The Cossack girl mentioned long distinguished herself in the special martial exercises practiced by the Cossacks, and could best most men of her age at feats of horsemanship and sword play. Her name is Helen Choba, and she belongs to the Kuban Cossacks.

A Colonel's daughter, named Tomiloffskaya, distinguished herself in the East Prussian front in Augustow by a series of fights. Like all women at the front she donned an ordinary soldier's uniform, which she wore so naturally that she passed quite unnoticed among the men. Those who go with an officer-husband's convalescence usually adopt the uniform of an ensign or reserve. Tomiloffskaya was hit on three occasions, but her wounds being slight she remained on duty.

She once was for five days under fire with men, but specially distinguished herself as a scout leader in Augustow Woods, where she had a squad of men under her own command. Her special piece of service here was intercepting a telegram from a German commander, whence it was ascertained that the German intention was to attack the Russian center, and of course it was foiled.

Tomiloffskaya has also served as scout orderly and telephonist. She was the stories of German excesses are only too true and that she herself saw a German cleave the head of a Russian officer.

A dispatch from Nis, dated Oct. 23, contains the following semi-official note:

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cer lying helpless on the ground. The man was shortly after shot by advancing Russians. Tomiloffskaya, who is only 21, comes from Minsk.

The wife of a Captain, a native of Moscow, whose initials alone are given, she fought her way through the Galician campaign with her husband. She possessed herself of an Austrian horse, sword, and revolver, and was present at all the fights in Galicia, being sometimes ten days under artillery and rifle fire without being injured. A fortnight ago, however, her regiment was near Kosenitz when her husband was wounded in the wrist. She was in another part of the fight, and only learned of this later.

Both are now in Moscow. Her usual employment during the campaign was to write reports and buy comforts for the men, and she once rode fifty miles to get some tobacco for her husband's pipe. This was a feat, as she was a woman, and she was with a demand to be sent to the front as soldiers. They had cut their hair and assumed soldiers' uniforms.

The general rule is for the girls to get away secretly with the connivance of friends among the soldiers going to the front, but many start alone on various pretexts, such as seeking an alleged fiancé or wounded brother, and they only don male attire when they have reached their goal.

SERVIANS IN HOT FIGHTS.

Vienna and Nish Both Claim Victories—Violent Bayonet Charges.

LONDON, Nov. 2.—A dispatch to Reuters' Telegram Company from Amsterdam gives the following official Austrian dispatch received there from Vienna:

"The Austrians on Saturday successfully attacked a strong fortified Serbian position near Rovnye. Our troops crossed the Save and Drina Rivers, which were obstinately defended by Servians, and occupied Oranibar, Banovole, Radomir, Glusci, and Tabonovo."

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SPECIAL CABLE TO THE NEW YORK TIMES. LONDON, Nov. 2.—Prof. George Burton Adams, Professor of History in Yale University and a Ph. D. of the University of Leipzig, has just returned to England after a stay of several months in Italy. He is inclined to believe that the Germans have already spent their strength in two great attempts—one in the east and the other in the west—to crush the Allies, and has failed in both. He says that, judging from all information from all available sources, he believes there are not enough soldiers in Germany to strengthen either army sufficiently to bring about a decision in the Kaiser's favor.

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Continuing the article says: "During the last three months the net receipts of gold from abroad have amounted to more than 30,000,000 pounds sterling, and Treasury notes equivalent to over 30,000,000 pounds also have been issued, but the stock of gold in the Bank of England has not increased. The amount received from abroad, however, has been used for other purposes, and the operations have already been extended to the west front of Verdun, is regarded as the most serious of the war."

Letters from the front, reaching Berlin, describe the fighting between Neuport and Ypres, and probably the fiercest of the whole war. The Germans forced their way southward by repeated night attacks. The toll of death was great on both sides.

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MAY RUN GAUNTLET OF JAPANESE SHIPS

German Cruiser Geier Must Now Face Two Foes or Be Interned at Honolulu.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 2.—It is believed the reports on the German cruiser Geier at Honolulu have now progressed to such a point that the commander of the ship must elect to run the gauntlet of the two Japanese cruisers lying outside the harbor, or apply to the port authorities to have his ship interned until the end of the war.

A conference which took place last night in Honolulu between the port officials and the Japanese Consul is supposed to have had some bearing on this subject, although no report upon it has yet reached the Japanese Embassy here. In reply to a suggestion that, as in the case of the British cruisers which were hovering off Sandy Hook recently, the Japanese Government might be requested to remove these vessels from the vicinity of Honolulu, it was pointed out by some of the officials today that the Japanese were materially different. In the case of the British cruisers, their presence was said to be embarrassing to American ship masters, whose vessels were being signaled and detained. The Japanese cruisers off Honolulu are not interfering with American shipping or with any necessary vessels, but are simply waiting to do battle with an enemy's warship. Their position is said to be precisely like that occupied by the U. S. S. Kearsarge, which waited outside the French harbor at Cherbourg until the laws of neutrality of the Confederate cruiser Alabama were forced to go out and meet her end.

HONOLULU, Nov. 2.—A midnight conference was held between Collector of the Port Franklin, Deputy Collector Sharp and the Japanese Consul here last night, and wireless messages were exchanged with the United States cutter Thetis, patrolling outside the harbor.

THE PLATIRIA RELEASED.

Oil Ship on Her Way—Turpentine and Resin on Free List.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 2.—Formal notification that the British ship Platiria, recently detained at Stornoway, Scotland, was conveyed to the State Department, this morning by Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, the British Ambassador. The Ambassador's advice said the Platiria had proceeded on her way to Copenhagen in the Standard Oil steamer.

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PASSENGERS LAND IN BRAZIL

Vast Quantity of Frozen Meat, Coffee, and Coal in Her Hold—Two Other British Ships Taken.

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ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 2.—A private cable to a local firm received today from Para, Brazil, reports the destruction of the British steamship Vanduyck by a German cruiser. H. D. Haight, Boston, and Delgado of Rochester were on board, but were put ashore with other passengers before the Vanduyck was sent to the bottom. The Vanduyck plied between Buenos Aires and New York. The representatives of the local firm boarded her on Oct. 21.

The first news of the capture of the Vanduyck was received in New York yesterday afternoon by Buick & Daniels, agents of the Lampport & Holt Line, in a cablegram sent by Capt. Anthony Cadogan from Para, advising them that the vessel had been captured by the Karlsruhe on Oct. 28. The dispatch said the passengers and crew of the Vanduyck were all well, and had been landed yesterday at Para by a German steamship. Capt. Cadogan did not state whether the Vanduyck had been sunk or not. She had about 3,000 tons of frozen beef on board from Buenos Aires and about the same quantity of coffee from Santos. The ship and cargo were estimated to be worth about \$2,000,000, the agents said.

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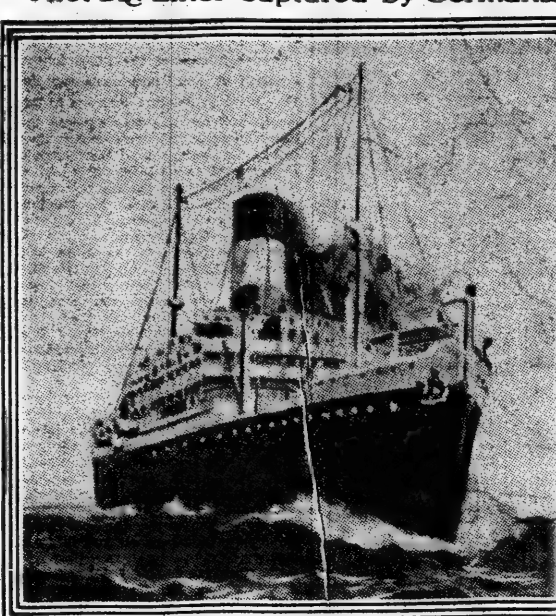
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BELGIANS' ONE HOPE IS AMERICAN AID

Their Country's Food Supply Commandeered by Contending Armies.

FOUR-FIFTHS OF THEM IDLE

Even Those with Money Are Hungry—Postal Communication Only with Germany.

BRUSSELS, (Via London) Nov. 2.—Between six and seven million Belgians have little or nothing to call "home." They are a people almost without a country. Foodstuffs, forage, horses, cattle and automobiles not commandeered by the Belgian Army when the war broke out have been seized by the Germans. Practically every acre is now swept of everything valuable.

It is estimated that there are now 200,000 Belgians in England and 900,000 in Holland. The lowest estimate made here places the number of Belgian homes destroyed or so badly damaged as to be uninhabitable at 1,000,000. Lines, Louvain, Liege, Namur, Charleroi, Mons, Dinant and a score of smaller places have been so shattered by the artillery fire of the opposing armies that less than half of the normal population is decently sheltered. A report from Limbourg says that the supplies for the breadline have been exhausted and the feeding can be resumed only when American food arrives. The seizure of cattle for the armies has left the country without beef, milk and cheese. The supply of grain or other foodstuffs imported from the United States and Canada has been cut off. For several weeks Flanders was able to help the eastern portion, but now that the lowlands have become the scene of fighting, Bruges, Ghent, Antwerp and Ostend are suffering the same distress which earlier befell the eastern part of the country.

At Liege, the Pittsburgh of Belgium, the steel industry has been brought to a standstill. At Antwerp, the New York of Belgium, all shipping has stopped. Hundreds of big steamers lie idle at the docks along the Scheldt. Thousands of freight trucks are rusting beside the canals, while the horses

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OTHERS WERE INDULGED

Former Policeman and ex-Official of
Wrecked Trust Company Said to
Have Wandered from Sing Sing.

When the Kings County Grand Jury resumed its investigation yesterday of the doings of David A. Sullivan, the convicted Union Bank wrecker, it became known that Harry Meyersohn, of 135 Osepa Parkway, an assistant cashier in one of the branches of the Union Bank, who knows Sullivan well, had testified that he saw Sullivan in Flatbush in the summer of 1913 while returning home one evening with his brother-in-law, leaving a Brighton Beach train at the Church Avenue station, the two entered a drug store on that thoroughfare. While they were in the pharmacy, Meyersohn says, he saw a man whom he recognized as Sullivan, although his mustache had been shaved off.

Sullivan, the witness said, upon seeing him, walked out of the place. Meyersohn turned to his brother-in-law and remarked:

"There is a man who is supposed to be behind prison bars and yet he is roaming the streets of the city."

It was said yesterday that other convicts with influence in Sing Sing had enjoyed extraordinary privileges. One of these was a former policeman who was sentenced for bribery as a result of a police graft investigation in Manhattan. Another was in control of a trust company in Manhattan which went to the wall. Mr. Crosey said yesterday that he had no proof that members of the State Board of Parole had ridden in the Sing Sing automobile with Sullivan as they were reported to have done. Henry J. McCann of Albany, one of the members of the board, has denied that he was ever in the car.

About a dozen witnesses were before the Grand Jury yesterday in the District Attorney's investigation. These included politicians of Westchester County, who were asked whether they had seen Sullivan in that county in an automobile with Warden Thomas J. McCormick.

McCormick did not appear before the Grand Jury yesterday, as the District Attorney had been unable to serve him with a subpoena. James M. Clancy, former Warden of Sing Sing, has volunteered to go before the Grand Jury tomorrow and tell of the behavior of Sullivan while he was in charge of the prison.

District Attorney Crosey gave attention to another phase of the Union Bank troubles yesterday. This was the motion by Lawyer Stephen C. Baldwin requiring him to show cause why the indictment against Edward M. Group, ex-President of the bank, and James T. Ashby, who was cashier of that institution, should not be dismissed because of failure to prosecute. The hearing on the motion was adjourned until tomorrow.

UTICA, Nov. 2.—William Townsend of this city, a member of the State Parole Board, said this morning that he had never ridden in a car with Sullivan, Harmon, or Harmon to New York, with Sullivan or any other man.

Canal Tolls \$377,000 Last Month.
PANAMA, Nov. 2.—The total canal tolls for the month of October amounted to \$377,000, a gain of \$107,000 over the September collections.

SELL DAHLGREN'S HOUSE.

Mutual Life Forecloses on Claim
Against Son of Late Rear Admiral.

The home of Eric B. Dahlgren, son of Rear Admiral Dahlgren, at 812 Madison Ave., was sold at auction yesterday under foreclosure proceedings for \$30,000. The purchaser was the Mutual Life Insurance Company, which held a claim against the property amounting to \$73,007. A deficiency judgment was entered against Mr. Dahlgren for the difference.

The house has figured largely in the matrimonial troubles of Mr. Dahlgren and his wife, the daughter of Joseph Drexel of Philadelphia. Mr. Dahlgren is a member of the Stock Exchange. His father left him a fortune and his wife inherited some \$20,000,000 from him. In the spring of 1912 Mrs. Dahlgren left her Madison Avenue home, taking her eight children with her. Soon afterward she began suit for divorce. The matter was submitted to a referee, who reported in favor of granting a decree. This decree was made final and then Mrs. Dahlgren went abroad, where she has since lived.

CANDIDATE ARRESTED.

Bluecoat Said Martin McCue Used
Abusive Language to Him.

Martin M. C. Cue of 734 Third Avenue Democratic candidate for Assemblyman in the Sixteenth District, was arrested last night on the stoop of the Men's Night Court and was charged with disorderly conduct.

Eugene McCue, 18 years old, a son of McCue, had been arrested by Patrolman Duffy of the East Fifth-first Street Station for building a bonfire in Forty-ninth Street, near Third Avenue. His father went to court and told Magistrate Levy that the arrest of the boy was spite work on the part of the policeman. Magistrate Levy ordered the subject be discharged, no further, and cautioned the policeman and candidate not to speak to each other. He discharged the boy.

After leaving court Martin McCue was arrested by Duffy on the sidewalk. The policeman said that McCue had used abusive language to him. The prisoner was represented by Robert Donnelly, who asked for an adjournment until tomorrow afternoon in the Yorkville Court. McCue was paroled.

CUTS OFF HIS FAMILY.

Lawyer Hall Leaves His Estate to
Mrs. Emma S. Smith.

The will of Charles Mason Hall, a New York attorney, who died at Charlottesville, Va., on Oct. 18, leaving his estate, about \$1,000 in personality, to a Mrs. Emma S. Smith, who is charged with the sole custody of his body, was filed for probate yesterday. His widow, Mrs. Ella Louise Hall of 615 West 12th Avenue, and his daughter, Sybil Pease and Ruth Elizabeth Hall, and Vivian Whittier H. Smith of 112 West 12th Avenue are referred to in the will as follows:

"I do not leave anything to Ella L. Hall or my children for the reason that the latter have been provided for and the former has had all the money and support for years which I could afford to give her."

Mrs. Hall said that she had not been provided for. She states she only knew about Mrs. Smith for the last two years, previous to which the beneficiary had been a Miss Freeman.

Buys Storage Eggs for England.

CHICAGO, Nov. 2.—An English buyer arranged today through a Chicago bank to purchase all the available storage eggs in the city. He announced that he had already purchased 50,000 dozens in an endeavor to satisfy the English.

START FUND TO KEEP PASTOR OUT OF JAIL

Appeal Made for Money to Pay
Lawyers of Dr. Frank W.
Sears's Former Wife.

LETTER SENT TO HIS FLOCK

New Thought Leader and Co-
spondent Went to Europe with
Cash Raised by Congregation.

Still another urgent relief fund was brought to the attention of benevolent New Yorkers several days ago when subscriptions were asked for to help Dr. Frank W. Sears, pastor of one of the New Thought churches, pay the counsel fees incurred by his wife, Mrs. Julia Seton Sears, in her successful suit for divorce last June. Mrs. Sears, who founded the New Thought congregation, of which she says her husband's church is an offshoot, did not ask for alimony, but Justice Gieserich directed her husband to pay her lawyers \$500. At the time he paid \$100. The rest of the judgment was not met, and last Tuesday Mr. Sears was adjudged in contempt of court by Justice Blanchard for failure to pay it and was threatened with arrest if he did not make good his delinquency at once.

On Friday a letter was sent to sixty of the members of his church which read as follows:

Oct. 20, 1914.
Dear Friend: The New Thought Church has decided to work out its destiny in love and harmony, and to that end will comply with the Divine Laws, as well as the laws of man.

The man-made laws have decreed our leader, F. W. Sears, in default for the payment of the sum of \$400, and he is personally willing to accept the penalty such default demands, but we feel that the higher laws are asking more than that, and even though the penalty was suffered, yet there remains to be paid our tribute to the law of harmony.

Realizing that somewhere down the path of our Cosmic Journey each of us will be called upon to pay our portion of the discordant debt, some of us have concluded to pay our portion here and now, thereby releasing or antedating our negative causes, permitting us to go on in constructive peace to the law of harmony.

I know that it will be necessary only to call to your attention what would be the loving thing to do in the circumstances, and to give you the opportunity or invitation to contribute to your portion to the fund being raised, to release not only our speaker, but our church.

This is not in any way intended as an appeal—simply a message of love between souls interested in the advancement of themselves and the Higher Truth.

Your subscription for whatever amount you elect will be appreciated. For if you will receive the thanks of the church and the benefit of your life that such consciousness will create. If the amount is over-subscribed, the balance will be used for the purposes of the church.

Lydia B. Koch of 56 Pine Street is a Trustee of the church. Miss Koch yesterday refused to discuss the matter, and though she admitted that a Trustee meeting had been held last week, she would not say whether she was acting for the entire Board of Trustees in the matter.

Dr. Sears, however, was willing to explain the letter. When the judgment was brought against him, he said, he was unable to pay it; indeed, he testified that the trial that his income which was derived from New Thought teaching and healing, amounted to only \$15 a week. In 1912 he had been divorced from his first wife at Kansas City and ordered to pay her \$45 a month alimony, which during a second divorce suit he admitted he did not always do.

As to the circumstances of his parishioners raising the money to pay the expenses of the divorce suit, he said that it was not unusual for members of a church to raise funds for their pastor's use in one way or another. Indeed, it was with money raised by members of the congregation that Dr. Sears and the girl named by his wife as co-respondent once went to Europe with a party of friends. The contributions to that fund were at the time referred to as the doctor's "ministering angels."

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Blue, gray, Oxford, brown and olive shades in Chinchilla Balmacaans; black and Oxford gray Kersey, Skinner satin lined overcoats; these include "sample" overcoats as well. Many of the finest "Kirschbaum" suits are included in this sensational sale at \$17.50.

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Plaid backs—plain backs and double texture. Warranted not to leak.

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Boys' Long Overcoats—button-to-neck and polo models; 2 1/2 to 17—\$2.95
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Boys' Long Convertible and Military Collar Coats—polo and Russian styles; 2 1/2 to 17 years—\$5
Boys' Blue, Gray and Brown Chinchilla Coats—also Fancy Mixtures; \$5
Boys' Long Convertible Collar Overcoats and Balmacaans—\$6.75
Boys' All-Wool Chinchilla Balmacaans and Long Convertible Collar Overcoats—sizes 10 to 18—\$7.95
Boys' \$4, \$5, \$6 and \$7 Balmacaan all sizes, at \$1.95 & \$2.95

Boys' Suits in the Finest Makes and Materials—sizes 7 to 18—\$9.75
Boys' Fine All-Wool Chinchilla Overcoats—gray, blue, brown and Oxford; Military and Long Convertible Collar and Shawl Collar Coats—also Fancy Mixtures Coats; sizes 10 to 18 years—\$9.75
Boys' All-Wool Suits—2 pairs knicker trousers; various fabrics; sizes 7 to 17 years—\$6.75
Boys' Suits in Choice Styles \$7.75—sizes 9 to 18 years—\$7.75
Boys' Mackinaws—3 to 18—\$3.95
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Overcoats—\$1.95 & \$2.95

Boys' Hats, Sale Today, at 49c
TELESCOPE and RAH! RAH! styles in Grey and Brown Mixtures, Blue Chevrons; also Mackinaw materials. The assortment includes Chinchilla RAH! RAH! with ear tabs; black plush RAH! RAH!; Gold Caps in mixtures, and Blues with inside fur bands. Also a fine assortment of SILK CAPS in all-wool Worsteads and Angora wool; plain and combination colors.
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The assortments in this sale are very attractive. One choice lot includes several hundred pairs of Gunmetal Calf button and Blucher lace shoes, with good, heavy, serviceable leather soles on a full, roomy last. Another lot of several hundred pairs of leather-lined Gunmetal Bluchers—just right for "heavy going." All sizes from 6 to 11.

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\$16 Roll Edge White Layer Felt Mattress—Our "Slumber Mattress"; splendidly built, and guaranteed not to "lump." Weight 50 lbs. to the full size; all \$11 size.
\$14 Sterns & Foster Mat—\$9.75
\$23 Genuine Ostermoor Felt Mattress—\$15
\$15 New Sanitary Box Spring—No wood; all metal; cover can \$12
\$12 Reins Couch—drop back; \$9
\$10 Simplex Sliding Couch \$7.75
\$6 Cotton Linter Mat—\$4.50
\$3.50 Soft Top Mat—\$2.75
\$7 Combination Felt Mat—\$5
\$10 Roll Edge Felt Mat—\$7.50
\$8.50 White Enamel Bed Outfit—Consists of a single bed with 1 1/2 inch continuous posts; good woven wire spring and soft top \$6.50 mattresses

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50 Manila de Luxe Republicanos—sold elsewhere at \$1.75; today, at \$1.25
\$2.50 Cigar Humidor—made in nylon oak, cedar lined; copperware mounting pad; piano lock; substantially made and finished; today, at \$1.50
50 Seidenberg & Co. "Buffalos" \$1
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Miniature Theatre of Women's Political Union Is Part of Their Campaign for Vote.

ARRANGE SPEECHES ALL DAY

Dr. Davis Says Experience Has Taught Her That Teasing and Flattery Go a Long Way.

Society's Woman Suffrage Shop, under the auspices of the Seventeenth Senatorial District Women's Political Union, opened at 563 Fifth Avenue yesterday morning with a theatre and cannon in the window and a large gathering of people inside. The cannon, belonging to the Federal Government, was captured by the Sixty-ninth Regiment during the civil war. It bore a placard which read: "Sixty years ago this cannon helped to free the negro." The women were promised at that time that if they would work for the negro their turn would come next. The cannon yesterday pointed the fact that they were still waiting.

In the theatre, one of the scenes showed a house mother with her hands tied, while sisters reaching from different departments of her home to departments of the municipality illustrated how closely the two are related. A string stretched from a baby in the cradle to a soldier in the trenches to the Health Department, in which the women have no voice, was another scene. Big war pictures in the window showed women at work in the hospitals at the front and other women fleeing from besieged towns or doing the work of the men who were engaged on the battlefield. Crowds gathered in front of this window all day.

Borough President Marcus M. Marks and Miss Lillian Wald spoke at the noon meeting, and Norman Hapgood and Commissioner of Corrections Katharine B. Davis from 430 to 6 P. M.

"From the time Adam and Eve set up housekeeping and little Cain was born," said Dr. Davis, "woman has been at the head of the Corrections Department. Eve began it when she punished little Cain for crying at night. The various city departments are only our own housekeeping problems on a large scale, and by the time we have done it, we are large for us to do them ourselves. The men have a way of getting to the bottom of things and we want to do so. The way we women have been getting things done is by flattery and charm is not good. We haven't all of us got personal charm—perhaps we don't get more things done that way. It is bad for the character to get things indirectly."

"I can get things by teasing. I know, because I have done it. A few words of flattery will go a long way. It has its effect in Albany, too, because I have had thirteen years' experience, but I have always felt when got things in any of those ways as if I had been stealing."

"I shall have the work of my department so well organized by next April that I shall be able to take the time each week required to attend the convention if that honor is given me, and I have a very efficient deputy, so you need not be afraid to vote for me. Men and women will have to live under the Constitution for the next twenty years."

"There will be speakers every day except Sunday, from 12 to 1, and from 2 to 4 P. M. at the Suffrage Shop, which is near Fifty-second Street. On the committee are Mrs. Henry Bull, Mrs. Ralph Ellis, Mrs. Sumner Gifford, Mrs. Henry White Miller, Mrs. Gifford Pinchot, Mrs. Ogden A. Jones, Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., Mrs. Willard D. Straight, Mrs. Norman De R. Whitehouse, and Mrs. Charles S. Whitman.

CONTEST FLURSCHHEIM WILL.

Three Daughters Object to Bequest Made to Mme. de Lyteuil.

Mrs. Estelle L. Loeb of 315 West 110th Street, Mrs. Agnes V. Cowen of Park Avenue and Seventy-seventh Street, and Mrs. Helen I. Strauss of Haverhill, Mass., daughters of Hermann Flurschheim, half owner of the Franklin Simon Company, started proceedings yesterday in the Surrogate's court to contest the codicils attached to their father's will making a conditional bequest of \$100,000 to Mme. Bertrand de Lyteuil of Paris, France, who was not a relative. Undue influence and undue mind are alleged. The estate exceeds \$1,000,000.

The will left to the daughters, the sons, Bernard H. and Henry D., and Madeline Lindauer, a grandchild, two-thirds of 40 per cent. of the new corporation to be formed out of the co-partnership of Franklin Simon & Co., secured by the other third.

The codicils set aside bonds of the 416 Fifth Avenue company, sufficient to produce the \$100,000 which Mme. de Lyteuil was to receive in the event Mr. Flurschheim lived till 1915, but she was to receive only \$50,000 should he die in 1914. The codicil, dated Jan. 9, 1914, reads:

"Should the payment of these sums not be agreed to be made, my executors can postpone the payments until convenient and meanwhile pay 6 per cent. interest, so that Mme. Bertrand de Lyteuil will receive 3,000 francs, equal to about \$1,000 monthly."

Crazed Woman Hurt by Trolley Car.

A well-dressed woman, thought to be demented, ran in front of a crosstown car at Bedford Avenue and North Fourth Street, in Brooklyn, early yesterday morning, and was knocked down. She was run severely on the head. Before the motorist could set her she disappeared in the direction of McCarran Park. The motorist reported the incident at the Bedford Avenue Police Station, and Policemen Bracken found the woman running about in McCarran Park. The woman attacked him, and Bracken was forced to call two other men to his assistance. She was taken to the observation ward of the Kings County Hospital. Her name was not ascertained.

INDICT 21 IN DEALS OF THE NEW HAVEN

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He is not held under any bail, but is in my custody—the first time he ever has been. He is absolutely guiltless of any wrongdoing, for who could have told when these things were done that the Sherman law would be held to cover them? But this Grand Jury has been really sitting in Washington; at any rate, it adjourned there."

None of the other defendants had anything to say about the matter. Howard Elliott, President of the present New Haven board, was in Boston, when he was informed of what had occurred he declined to make any comment for publication. Those who are mentioned as having been in the conspiracy with the defendants were: John H. "Peripat" Morgan, George N. Miller, Wilson G. Hunt, M. M. "Crowbridge" William D. Bishop, Nathaniel Wheeler, Henry C. Robinson, Edward M. Reed, Charles P. Clark, Joseph Park, Chauncey M. Doper, Henry S. Lee, Lovett Brainard, William E. Barnett, Lucius Tuttle, Charles A. Mellen, John H. Hall, Charles J. Choate, Nathaniel Thayer, Royal C. Taft, Charles French, George J. Brush, J. de Ver Warner, Arthur D. Caborn, B. Morris, Frank W. Cheney, Percy R. Todd, Richard A. McDermid, H. M. "Twombly" John C. Parker, Alexander J. Cassatt, John H. Whittemore, Timothy B. Byrnes, Elram M. Kocherger, James McCrear, Edwin Miller, Amory Lawrence, Augustus S. May, Edward G. Jordan, Arthur F. Cushman, J. Jones, Samuel G. Lawrence, George G. Haven, W. P. Berry, W. H. Newman, Kenneth Thorne, and Marjorie J. Perry.

The Conspiracy Charge.

In addition to these Grand Jury stated it believed there were others whose names were unknown to it with whom the men indicted had conspired to monopolize interstate commerce. This, it was explained in the indictment, consisted in the common carrier business of transporting passengers and property by railroad, by water, and by both from New Jersey, New York, Connecticut, Rhode Island, Massachusetts, Vermont, New Hampshire, and other States.

The indictment gave a list of the transportation companies which it was alleged had been merged in the New Haven system. There were more than 100 of them, and they included the Boston & Maine, the Boston & Albany, the Central New England Railway Company, the Central Vermont Railway Company, the Eastern Steamship Corporation, the Joy Steamship Company, the Merchants and Miners' Transportation Company, the Maine Steamship Company, the Metropolitan Steamship Company, the New York & New England Railroad Company, the New York & Westchester, the New York & Connecticut, the Rhode Island Company, and the Rutland Railroad Company.

It was noticed that in drawing up the indictment the grand jury had taken into account the fact that the men indicted had been merged in the New Haven system. There were more than 100 of them, and they included the Boston & Maine, the Boston & Albany, the Central New England Railway Company, the Central Vermont Railway Company, the Eastern Steamship Corporation, the Joy Steamship Company, the Merchants and Miners' Transportation Company, the Maine Steamship Company, the Metropolitan Steamship Company, the New York & New England Railroad Company, the New York & Westchester, the New York & Connecticut, the Rhode Island Company, and the Rutland Railroad Company.

the Rutland, and the New York, Ontario & Western Railroads. In the indictment, the Government went back to July 1, 1880, and found that from that time until the actual presentation of the indictment, there had been a conspiracy to form a monopoly by acquiring the stock or control of all the subsidiary companies of the New Haven, whether they were left to it in accordance with the civil service law or not. It is likely that the defendants will bring this point up in the demurrers which they are expected to file.

Question of Immunity.

It is believed that some of the defendants may raise the plea that as they have testified on New Haven affairs before the Interstate Commerce Commission they are entitled to immunity. As Mr. Mellen has been the chief witness before the Grand Jury it has been impossible to indict him, but at the time that he was called upon to give evidence at Washington it was suggested that he had won immunity for himself.

Those who now may put forward the same plea are Mr. Skinner, Mr. Elliott, and Mr. Cuyler. They were sworn and gave such testimony as they were asked for in addition to Edward and Mr. Robbins submitted to the commission unsworn statements. Those charged with conspiracy, it was alleged, took advantage of the fact that the New Haven was the only railroad of any importance which led from New York City to the New England States, and treated it as a nucleus to "bring as many" of sold common carriers and their properties and facilities for carrying on said commerce under their influence, management, domination, and ownership. The Grand Jury asserted that the measures taken to bring this about were "unlawful, unreasonable, and unlawful practices."

Special mention was made of the purchase of the New York, Westchester & Boston at approximately \$12,000,000 more than its value, according to the Government. This was merged with the New York & Port Chester in 1910, and last year earned \$400,000 less than its operating expenses.

It was remembered that at the annual meeting of the New Haven last week Mr. Elliott had given out some notes with regard to the personnel of the present board of the company in which five of the men indicted still have seats. Mr. Brewster, who was elected on May 1, 1914, he said, was a substantial holder of the securities of the company and had been identified with the financial and industrial life of the community.

Praised by Mr. Elliott.

Mr. McHarg, who has also been a Director since May, 1907, was said by Mr. Elliott to have been helpful to the New Haven in its financing and by his good advice and criticism. Mr. Cuyler, whose service on the board dates from 1907, was said to be a representative stockholder from Pennsylvania with much experience in large corporations and financial affairs, and Mr. Maxwell, who joined the directorate in May, 1911, was said to have been active in the latter part of the year in bettering the position of the company.

Series of Mergers and Leases.

In 1893 the New Haven leased the Old Colony Company and formed the first agreement with the Boston & Maine Railroad. Meanwhile a series of mergers and leases were in progress, by which the New Haven absorbed small railroad lines in New England, and in 1896 it acquired a majority of the stock of the Boston Terminal Company, which controlled the terminal facilities in Boston. In 1904 the New Haven acquired the Central New England, and in the following year the New York, Ontario & Western. Three years later the Boston & Maine passed finally under New Haven ownership, and the agreement for the joint operation of the Boston &

Albany was made with the New York Central. In June, 1906, the Boston Railroad Holding Company was organized, and in February, 1911, the New York Central sold to the New Haven the Rutland Railroad. Finally in 1912 an agreement was entered into between Mr. Mellen and Edson J. Chamberlain of the Grand Trunk of Canada, which ended the latter's invasion of New England.

The acquisition of a steamboat monopoly by the New Haven began before 1880, by which time it had acquired the Providence and Stonington and other important lines. Between 1900 and 1903 it took over the New Haven Steamboat Company, the New London Steamboat Company, and the Bridgeport Steamboat Company, and in 1904 to 1906 it sold its steamship holdings to the New England Navigation Company, which sold them in 1907 to the Consolidated Railways Company, which in its turn, was merged with the New Haven.

In 1911 the Eastern Steamship Corporation, another New Haven subsidiary, took over the Metropolitan, the Maine, and the Eastern Steamship Companies, and the New England Navigation Company, by secretly buying up the stock of the Joy Line, was able to drive out all competition. In this way the New Haven acquired twenty-two of the thirty steamship lines serving New England.

Control of Trolley Lines.

It was in 1893 that the appearance of trolley lines began to disturb the New Haven, and, beginning with the purchase in 1895 of the Stamford Street Railway Company, it by 1906 had obtained the ownership of 1,500 of the 1,632 miles of trolley lines in Rhode Island, and all but 110 miles of the trolleys in Connecticut. In Massachusetts, it had practically everything south of the Boston & Albany line and west of Worcester. Then, in 1906, occurred the Westchester deal, by which it acquired the New York, Westchester & Boston at approximately \$12,000,000 more than its value, according to the Government. This was merged with the New York & Port Chester in 1910, and last year earned \$400,000 less than its operating expenses.

It was remembered that at the annual meeting of the New Haven last week Mr. Elliott had given out some notes with regard to the personnel of the present board of the company in which five of the men indicted still have seats. Mr. Brewster, who was elected on May 1, 1914, he said, was a substantial holder of the securities of the company and had been identified with the financial and industrial life of the community.

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who, with an ownership of 100 shares, had been on the board since 1910, retired. On Oct. 15 William Skinner, Thomas De Witt Cuyler, who had been a Director since Oct. 26, 1910, and A. Heaton Robertson, who was elected on May 31, 1907, resigned. Finally last week, at the annual meeting, the resignations of D. Newton Barney, Robert W. Taft, and James F. Hemmingsway were announced.

INDICTED MEN RETICENT.

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HARTFORD, Conn., Nov. 2.—Attempted interviews over the long-distance telephone tonight with D. Newton Barney of Farmington, Edward D. Robbins of New Haven, John L. Elliott of Meriden, and Francis T. Maxwell of Rockville, and a talk in this city with Director Edward Milligan of the New Haven Road, who is also President of the Phoenix Fire Insurance Company, elicited little comment on the Federal Grand Jury indictments in New York City against Directors and former Directors of the New Haven system.

Mr. Maxwell seemed to think he had a good defense because he was not on the board in 1906, when the various purchases were made. Mr. Milligan had nothing to say beyond that Edward D. Day of Hartford would be his counsel.

Mr. Barney said he was no longer a Director of the New Haven, and was not interested in what the Grand Jury did. John L. Elliott declined to offer any comment. Mr. Robbins laughed cheerfully, and seemed amused at the suggestion that he might like to discuss the Grand Jury's action. Mr. Barney said he thought he again would retain H. S. Cummings of Stamford, but he would not even say if he would retain counsel, after he had done so, he would not make any comment except that "of course the thing would be fought."

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of the Department of Justice feel that they have the best opportunity since the Sherman law was enacted to test its value as a criminal statute. There have been other indictments under the law, but in no previous cases have so many prominent men been in danger of trial and imprisonment.

Attorney General McReynolds, before he left the department to become a Supreme Court Justice, was convinced on the evidence secured by department investigators that criminal prosecutions were forthcoming. His successor, Mr. Gregory, who was special assistant in the New Haven case, had reached the same conclusion. To add strength to their position President Wilson, when the negotiations for a peaceful dissolution of the New Haven system seemed doomed to failure, directed that the criminal phase be gone into.

It was the New Haven case that brought the present Attorney General to Washington as special attorney for the department, and it was the way in which he handled preliminary negotiations for a peaceful dissolution of the New Haven system, which led ex-Attorney General McReynolds to recommend him as successor.

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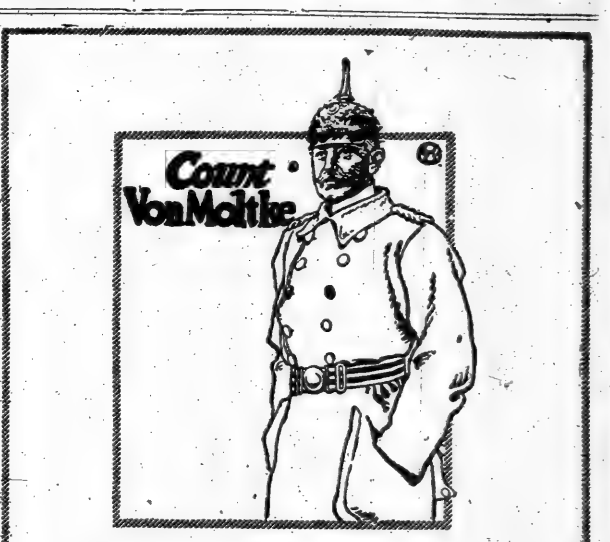
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VANDERBILT GIFT FOR COLUMBIA SITE

University Takes Title to the
North Half of Drexel
Estate Block.

REPORTED PRICE \$500,000

Negotiations Ended After Five Years
When Generous Donation of \$113,750
Made Purchase Possible.

A gift of \$113,750 from William K. Vanderbilt enabled Columbia University to take title yesterday to the north half of the block bounded by 116th and 117th Streets, Amsterdam Avenue and Morningside Drive. This property was a part of the Drexel estate and was purchased by the university after five years of negotiations at the reported figure of \$500,000. The Vanderbilt gift was announced yesterday afternoon at the regular meeting of the Trustees of the university.

The property was acquired by the university with the original view of moving the College of Physicians and Surgeons to the Morningside Heights campus. From a statement given out yesterday by the Trustees, it seems doubtful now whether the college will be moved from its present site on Fifty-ninth Street. The university has not decided what disposition will be made of the property.

"The university began the acquisition of this block five years ago," the Trustees stated, "with a view to providing a site for the Medical School, now situated on West Fifty-ninth Street, that would be in immediate juxtaposition with the other departments of the university. The subsequent alliance between the university and the Presbyterian Hospital has led to a re-examination of the whole question as to the best future site for the Medical School, and the educational and financial problems involved are still unsolved."

The newly acquired property is already occupied by the Crocker Laboratories for Cancer Research and by a research laboratory for the use of the Department of Botany. Both buildings are temporary and may be readily removed when the plans for the permanent development of the newly acquired property are completed.

Clinical instruction is hereafter to be provided for medical students at the Montefiore Home, and to carry on this instruction the following new appointments were made: Dr. Siegfried Wachsman, (Berlin, 1901), Professor of Clinical Medicine; Dr. George L. La Porte, (Columbia, 1904), Assistant Professor of Clinical Medicine; Dr. S. Philip Goodhart, (Yale, 1904), Assistant Professor of Clinical Medicine; Dr. John Leslie were appointed instructors in the laboratory.

Roscoe C. E. Brown, formerly managing editor of The Tribune, was added to the teaching staff of the School of Journalism, and Dr. Deane S. Flanders was appointed Lecturer in English. Dr. Warfield T. Longcope was appointed to serve as a member of the Board of Managers of the George Crocker Special Research Fund. Dr. Theodore C. Janeway resigned from the service of the university, his resignation having been tendered last Spring. President Butler submitted his annual report on the work of the university for the year ended June 30, which was ordered printed.

Among the gifts received in addition to Mr. Vanderbilt's were:

One thousand five hundred dollars on the class of 1906, Arts and Mines, on the account of their class memorial to be presented at commencement, 1915; \$875 from the Royal Nether-

lands Government toward the salary of the Queen Wilhelmina lecturer for 1914-15; \$20 from A. Elmer of New York toward the maintenance fund of the Deutsches Haus.

N. Y. U. DEDICATES NEW HALL.

\$100,000 Building Is the Gift of Mrs. John Stewart Kennedy. New York University formally dedicated the Cornellus Baker Hall of Philosophy at University Heights yesterday. The ceremonies, which were very impressive, took place in the auditorium of the new building, designed, when the institution moved to the Heights, by the late Stanford White. The building itself was designed by William D. Crow, and cost more than \$100,000, all of which was the gift of Mrs. John Stewart Kennedy, the last \$15,000 being conditional on the raising of \$20,000 from other sources, to insure the completion of the part of the Hall of Fame adjoining the new building.

The new structure was given in memory of Cornelius Baker, father of Mrs. Kennedy. The bronze memorial tablet in the new hall was unveiled by Miss Charlotte Baker, a granddaughter of Cornelius Baker.

In accepting the new building on behalf of the university, Chancellor Elmer E. Brown spoke of the necessity which it relieved. In the presentation address, the Rev. Dr. Adolphus A. Scholten, who spoke on opportunity and the part that it played in life. The dedicatory prayer was delivered by the Rev. John Henry Jovett, pastor of the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church, the dedicatory address was made by the Rev. Henry Mitchell MacCracken and the statement on behalf of the Building Committee by John H. MacCracken, syndicate of the university. The Rev. Dr. George Alexander, President of the University Council, presided.

Among those present were Mrs. Finley J. Shepard, donor of the Gould Memorial Library and the college dormitory, Gould Hall; Mrs. John Stewart Kennedy; Mrs. A. F. Schaffner; Miss Elsie White; Mrs. J. C. Bodman; Mrs. P. A. Constable; Miss Florence Harper; Charles Alexander, representing the State Board of Regents; Mr. and Mrs. James Abbott, Francis Hovey Stoddard, and the members of the Faculties of the different schools.

VEHICLES KILL 276 YOUNG.

Heavy Death Toll of Children in City's Streets Since Jan. 1.

Since Jan. 1, 276 children have been killed on the streets of the greater city by vehicular traffic, according to a report of the National Highway Protective Society. During October 43 persons were killed, 25 of them children under 16 years of age. Automobiles killed 28, trolleys 8, and wagons 7. Of the 28, trolleys 8 and wagons 7, occurred in Manhattan.

On account of the deaths of so many children Col. Edward S. Cornell, Secretary of the Society, urges that the Board of Aldermen pass an ordinance similar to the following, which went into effect in Chicago last year:

"That it shall be unlawful for any person to skate on wheels or on skates upon any street or public way in the city, except on the sidewalks thereof or at street intersections while crossing from one side of the street to the other."

During October in New York City, automobiles killed 53, trolleys 14, wagons 3. In New Jersey automobiles killed 22, trolleys 2 and wagons 1. Twenty-four persons were killed at highway railroad grade crossings in New York State and 9 in New Jersey.

Franconia Touches Bottom.

The Cunarder Franconia, commanded by Capt. D. S. Miller, which sailed at 4 P. M. yesterday for Liverpool, touched the mud about a mile below the entrance to the Ambrose Channel. The liner was steaming out slowly and had to swing to avoid hitting a big tow bound up to New York. She was stopped for fifteen minutes, and then proceeded on her way.



Scientific Opinion
the World Over

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CONVICT TWO MORE IN BOOK FRAUD CASE

James J. Farmer and Col. William J. Hartley Quickly Found
Guilty by a Jury.

THOS. P. DUNN ACQUITTED

He Falls in Faint While Prosecutor
Is Summing Up—Women Give
Farmer a Bouquet.

After being out only one hour the jury which for the last two weeks has been trying the rare book fraud case in the Federal District Court, before Judge Foster, returned a verdict of guilty against James J. Farmer, President of the Anglo-American Authors' Association of 225 Fifth Avenue, and Col. William J. Hartley, one of his chief agents. On the other hand, it acquitted Thomas P. Dunn, who also stood trial with them. The two men convicted were admitted to \$10,000 each until Friday morning, when argument will be made on a motion for a new trial.

This ends the trial by which the Government has hoped to break up country-wide frauds in the sale of so-called rare books which it is asserted has taken from the public in the last few years millions of dollars. Of the other men indicted with Farmer and Hartley, Glen Farmer, son of J. J. Farmer, is now serving a sentence for a similar offense in a Massachusetts penitentiary; W. H. Scott is said to be in a lunatic asylum; Romeo Nathan has pleaded guilty; Samuel Warfield, acquitted in the Federal courts, has been arrested on a grand larceny charge by the State authorities; and George Fisher has been permitted to go free.

One more witness was called yesterday by the defense to show that the prices charged by the defendants were not exorbitant. Albert M. Adams, a Chicago bookbinder, valued their edition of Shakespeare at \$100 a volume and the Queen Victoria series at \$250 a volume. Then Isaac Weill, counsel for Dunn, addressed the jury, urging that three letters on which the Government relied to connect him with the alleged conspiracy were ordinary business communications and proved nothing.

James R. Ely tried next to explain the "Col. Bill" letters which were put in by the Government. He scoffed at the emphasis put upon the phraseology in familiar letters and described the Government's book experts as pessimists of the worst sort. Moreover, he attacked the theory of conspiracy, saying that there was no combination, but every

man was out for himself competing with his neighbors for business.

James Mack also dwelt on the sunshine which Hartley radiated on all who met him and suggested that some of the letters, it should be remembered, had probably been written after the Colonel had taken a higher or two.

As Assistant District Attorney Roosa was summing up for the Government Dunn, who is 33 years old, fell in a faint on the floor. Hartley and the court attendants ran to his side, but it was fifteen minutes before the trial could proceed. Both Mr. Roosa and Assistant District Attorney Wood attacked the defendants and their tactics severely for their misrepresentations, and Mr. Roosa denounced Miss Wendell's secretary for Farmer, whose forgetfulness had been a stumbling block to the Government.

After Judge Foster had summed up the jury went out for luncheon. It was not able to come to a decision with regard to Dunn until it had sent for the letters which had been used as evidence against him. When the verdict of acquittal was announced, Col. Hartley was the first to congratulate Dunn.

Early in the day two women entered the courtroom and presented a bouquet to Farmer.

\$13,000,000 IN GOLD ARRIVES

First Shipment from Denver Brought Here in 3 Express Cars. Eight motor trucks of the American Express Company, bearing heavy loads of gold bars and guards with repeating rifles, trundled down from the Grand Central Station yesterday and held the attention of a large crowd behind the Assay Office most of the afternoon. They delivered about \$13,000,000 of \$20,000 started this city from the Denver Mint last Friday. Each bar was contained in its separate bag to prevent abrasion, and each bag was checked up several times before the treasure finally found lodgment in the vaults.

W. A. Beasley, the Denver manager of the express company, brought the shipment through. It came in three express cars, each containing armed guards in addition to the regular express messenger. The gold is being brought here to offset inroads made upon the Government's supply of the metal by shipments to Canada in process of liquidating the country's debts in Europe.

Big Mortgage on Brokaw Realty. MINNEOLA, L. I., Nov. 2.—A mortgage of \$100,000 has been given by Irving Brokaw, a cousin of W. Gould Brokaw, and John D. Dennis, all of Oyster Bay, on property purchased recently by Mr. Brokaw from the Mill Neck Club. Mr. Brokaw from the Mill Neck Club. Mr. Roosevelt, Mr. Weeks, who is President of the Mill Neck Club, and Mr. Dennis are the trustees of the club. A deed conveying part of the property to Brokaw was filed yesterday with the county clerk on Saturday. The consideration of that part of the deed was \$100,000. Mr. Brokaw paid a mortgage tax of \$500.

NURSES GO ON STRIKE AS DOCTOR OPERATES

Leave Patient with Appendicitis When Called Out as a
Protest at Flushing Hospital.

TWENTY-SEVEN QUIT WORK

Five Suspended After Row Over the
Dismissal of a Supervisor—The
Other Nurses Reinstated.

A strike of the twenty-seven pupil nurses of the Flushing Hospital, which caused two girls to quit the operating room at the summons, though Dr. C. B. Story was then working over a man on whom he had already started an appendicitis, has started a controversy in which some of the oldest and best-known families in Flushing, Bay side, and the surrounding districts are now concerned. Five of the nurses were expelled after an investigation of the strike, which occurred on Saturday.

They, as well as most of the others, are daughters of prominent families, many of whom are interested in the hospital work, and they have sided with their daughters. The young nurses who have been dismissed are the Misses Ethel Olsen, daughter of Capt. Charles K. Olsen, a trustee of the hospital; Margaret Shafter, May Schultz, Sophia Belle Hardgrove, and Bertha Scheper.

Miss Shafter and Miss Schultz were the girls who left the operating room, according to a sister of Miss Olsen, who spoke for her last night, a cold having temporarily destroyed Miss Olsen's voice. Miss Olsen said that all the pupil nurses had agreed to strike on signal because the hospital authorities had refused to give a public hearing to Miss M. E. McVillie, Supervisor of Nurses, who had been dismissed, and Miss Schultz and Miss Shafter left the operating room when another nurse knocked on the door and called out that the strike had started.

"There are four physicians in the room, and Miss Frances Nicholson, the operating room supervisor, was present," said Miss Olsen. "So the girls felt no hesitancy in quitting the room as they might have done under other conditions."

At Miss Shafter's home it was said

that neither she nor Miss Schultz left the operating room until ordered to do so by Miss Nicholson, though Miss Olsen insisted that all the girls had acted voluntarily. Miss Olsen said that the regular meeting of the trustees would be held on Nov. 10, when the matter of the dismissal of the nurses which was ordered by the Executive Committee of three would be taken up in full meeting. All the nurses except the five dismissed have been reinstated.

The unexpectedness of the strike left the hospital work paralyzed for a time, but presently the authorities got fifteen nurses from Brooklyn and Manhattan and meantime the physicians attended the sixty patients in the wards. Several doctors stayed by Dr. Story with the result that his operation was completed successfully.

"Thank Heaven no harm was done," said Dr. Story last night. "We were able to handle the situation but it was certainly a most unwelcome thing for the nurses to leave a patient at such a critical time."

GRAND JUROR WITH MAYOR.

W. A. Reid Says He Didn't Sign
Attack on Charities Department.

Mayor Mitchell received a letter yesterday from Wallace A. Reid, a member of the August Grand Jury, which handed down a presentment criticizing institutions under the control of the Charities Department. Mr. Reid said:

"The writer, in addition to one or two other members of the August Grand Jury, declined to sign the presentment in regard to the Charities Department. You are quite correct in your position. The Morgue employees having been indicted for robbery, the jury should have passed on to the next piece of business."

CITY HEADS WASTE LIGHT.

Commissioner Williams Says 15 Per
Cent. Could Be Saved.

Commissioner Williams has sent a circular letter to the heads of all city and borough departments calling their attention to the waste of gas and electricity.

"The funds for the purchase of gas and electric current for use in public buildings in New York are disbursed under the direction of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity," said Commissioner Williams. "Gas, electric light and power cost money. To waste them is to waste money, and the co-operation of all will save at least 15 per cent. of the appropriation."

WOMAN HELD AS AUTO THIEF

Miss Elsing Arrested While Driv-
ing Stolen Car.

Miss Nellie Elsing, 21 years old, of 34 West Sixty-first Street, who says she is an Australian actress, was arrested before Magistrate Deane, at the Harlem Court yesterday and held in \$1,500 bail for examination Wednesday on a charge of having stolen a seven-passenger touring car belonging to Adolph G. Seagood, of 26 West Seventy-fourth Street. She is the first woman to be arrested as an auto thief in this city.

In court the young woman said she had dined the Sunday night at a café at 123rd Street and St. Nicholas Avenue with a man whom she knew as Al Mitchell. When she told him she had a mania for motoring, she says, he gallantly placed the use of his car at her disposal. He directed her to a car which was standing outside, she says, so she drove off in it.

Ten minutes later Joseph Hanrahan, chauffeur for Mr. Seagood, rushed into the West 123rd Street Station and said his car had been stolen. The police communicated with Mr. Seagood, and on learning that the car had been taken out without the owner's permission, he called Hanrahan. Shortly afterward Patrolman Powell noticed a large touring car stalled at the intersection of 107th Street, William Blair, a garage employee, was working over it and Miss Elsing sat at the wheel. Patrolman Powell recognized the car from the description that had been sent out, and arrested her.

In court, Mr. Seagood refused to make a complaint against Hanrahan, and he was set free. Miss Elsing protested that she had no intention of stealing the auto.

BROKE LAW TO SAVE CAT.

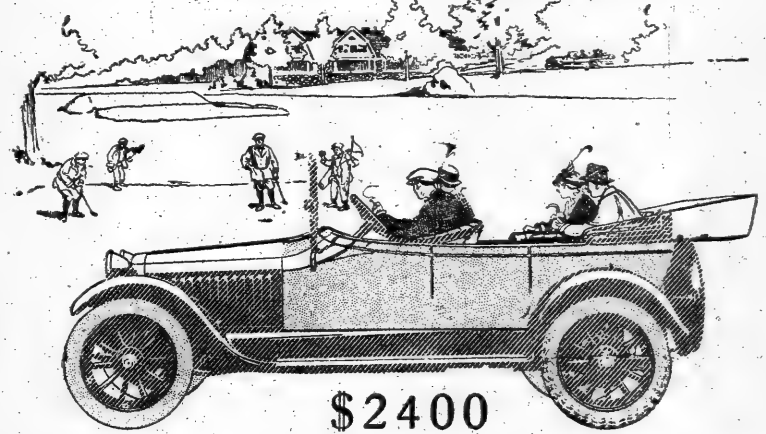
Veterinarian, Called to Attend Sick
Feline, Arrested for Speeding.

Christian Rohrer, a veterinarian, of 123 West Fifty-third Street, an employee of the State Agricultural Department, pleaded in the West Side Court yesterday that he drove his automobile along Riverside Drive at the rate of twenty-eight miles an hour because he was on his way to attend a sick cat.

"You should not hurry to attend a cat that has nine lives," said Magistrate Herbert. "Since your speeding endangered human beings with but one life, you are fined \$25."

Rohrer paid the fine.

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retary who does not owe his appointment to the President might be inclined to take the law in his own hands. It is needless to say that the Constitution has not been regarded in this proceeding, but it has been ignored since the triumph of the so-called Constitutional Revolution.

CARRANZA, it seems, started yesterday to explore the Toltec pyramids at Teotihuacan, which probably he has hitherto neglected to visit just as New Yorkers neglect to visit the Statue of Liberty and the Aquarium. Anyhow, at latest advice the deposed First Chief was at least thirty miles away from any peril that may abide in the capital and well on his way to Vera Cruz, where he may meet the Belgian Ambassador whom he so rudely treated last week.

It cannot be said that the latest news from Mexico is immediately reassuring, but the convention has undoubtedly taken itself seriously and accomplished something, though twenty days is a short time in which to quiet a disturbed country. The appointment of a Provisional President capable of forming an effective temporary Government to restore order while preparations are making for a new election is the first essential. The banishment of VILLA was not desired by anybody except CARRANZA, and if that discomfited leader now goes into exile, along with so many other patriots who have tried to help their afflicted country and gratify their own ambition since the Fall of 1910, he does so by his own choice. No tears can be shed over the political fate of CARRANZA. He had the situation in his hands, but his empty pomposity and childish intolerance have had the inevitable result.

SOMETHING NEW IN CAMPAIGNS.

There has never been a campaign like the one now ended. It is not that there has been "apathy," or lack of interest; that has happened before, and there is probably less of it now in reality than in some other campaigns, such as that of 1892, where there seemed to be great excitement. The registration was not abnormally low, and evidently men have made up their minds on candidates and issues just as positively and for as good reasons as ever.

But for the war the Ten Nations has overshadowed it. The cloud that hangs over the issue insured, for the first time in our history, a cold, appraising attitude among the voters. All attempts to create partisan excitement, the old hurrah-boys atmosphere, failed. No venom has been shown except by the candidates, and by only a few of them. A man just returned from a visit to several up-State cities said that he had seen only two campaign banners and no red fire or brass bands. Men did not discuss the issues excitedly on street corners and in barrooms, but made up their minds coolly about them at home over their newspapers.

This is why, despite all their predictions, the politicians are at sea, and it explains the fear privately admitted in both camps. There is no peg to hang a conclusion on. They do not know how the people in their own districts are going to vote, for they have not even heard them talk. Yet we should think such a campaign would favor the chances of Gov. GLYNN, for he has made a cool, business-like appeal to voters on State issues, while Mr. WHITMAN has run away from the questions Mr. GLYNN has put forward. Mr. WHITMAN has conducted a campaign in the old-fashioned way, abusing his opponent, seeking to arouse a dark suspicion and appealing to prejudices which for the moment are dormant. He has not struck in the key to which the popular mind just now is attuned, and the result is shown in his comparatively unresponsive audiences. The old tune was always good enough to play, it will be good enough today, but it is not the tune for today, while this great course of war hangs over us.

We should think, too, that with the public mind unquestionably disposed to put no obstacles in the way of President Wilson, or to do anything likely to impair his standing with foreign nations in view of the figure he is likely to be called upon to play before the war is over, the character of the campaign should favor Mr. GERARD's election as Senator and the election of a Democratic House. No one wants to have it go out in Europe that the President has been rebuffed and discredited by his own people; he will need every inch of his prestige when the time comes. In an ordinary campaign this consideration might be lost sight of in the shouts, the red fire, and the appeals to passion; but nothing has tended to obscure it in this campaign.

THE LONG BALLOT.

The ballots which the voter in New York City will receive and on which he will be expected to record his choice for sixteen officers of more or less importance will contain, one eighty-nine names and the other at least fifty-four names, and it is by no means as big or baffling a ballot as we sometimes have. In reckoning the chances of a voter making a reasonable choice in this extensive collection we may put to one side the ballot for delegates to the Constitutional Convention. This is submitted after a long interval, and there has not yet been invented any mode of election superior to the direct choice of delegates at large for the State and of delegates for each Senatorial District. We shall be pretty sure to get a fairly representative body of fairly able men, with enough material for leadership to assure a reasonably good Constitution. That is about all, under the best

conditions, that we are entitled to hope for. We may also put aside the consideration of candidates for legislative offices. They are properly chosen by direct ballot, and though the work of the Legislature may well be reorganized and improved, there is no prospect of any serious change in the selection of its members.

But if we examine the so-called State ballot we find that there are thirty-two candidates for five offices that might be and ought to be filled by appointment. The offices are those of Secretary of State, who has very little responsibility; Controller, whose position is far less important than that of the United States Secretary of the Treasury; Treasurer, a still less important officer; Attorney General and State Engineer and Surveyor. Except the candidates for State Engineer, the names put forward for all these offices are relatively unknown save to a very small proportion of the voters of the State. Of these voters there must be a still smaller number who are able to pass more than a vague general judgment on the qualifications for these five places. Even if information regarding them were attainable we ask any one of our readers, when he gets home this evening, to try and recall the names of the men he voted for for these offices, the names of their chief competitors, and specifically why he chose the one set and rejected the other. It will be a good object lesson in the working of the suffrage and in the need and usefulness of a short ballot.

SENATOR ROOT AND JUDGE CULLEN.

We renew our suggestion that before going to the polls the voters should prepare a list of fifteen delegates at large to the Constitutional Convention and three district delegates, picking out the best names they can find among the nominees of all parties, and use this list for their guidance in marking the official ballot. The work of the Constitutional Convention will be very important. It ought to be entrusted only to men well qualified for such a task. In the few minutes that the voter remains in the booth there is insufficient time for a deliberate, intelligent choice. Time should be taken and sound judgment exercised.

We again urge upon the voters of all parties that to whatever other candidates they may give their vote they should certainly vote for Judge CULLEN and Senator ROOT. The wisdom, the great knowledge of Constitutional Law and the practical judgment of these experienced men will be of inestimable value in the deliberations of the convention.

INVESTORS AS RAILWAY RATE REGULATORS.

The Interstate Commerce Commission may fancy that it has the power to regulate rates, and the shippers may fancy that if they can hold the ear of the Commission they may regulate rates. Both shippers and Commissioners exercise their powers in the first instance only. The last word on rates rests with the silent class, which thinks rather than talks, and which acts as silently and surely as it thinks. It matters nothing how nearly ideal may be the regulation of rates by the Commission. It matters not at all how well the Commission's acts suit the shippers, whose counsel is so prominent in the proceedings. The rates may be perfection in these respects, but if they offend the investment class they cannot be permanent. There is no argument before investors, and there is no appeal from their decision. If the securities of the railways fall in the market, it is a sure sign of starvation for the railways, and a worse thing for the shippers than any rates which are possible.

That is exactly what has happened. Railway securities have fallen in the estimation of discriminating investors. One sure sign of it is the replacement of railway securities in the holdings of national banks. Another sign is the testimony of CHARLES FRANCIS ADAMS, in his letter to the President, published in yesterday's TIMES. In his own words: "Personally, I have no financial interest in 'railway' securities. Watching the 'course of events and legislation, I long since ceased to feel confidence in them." He sold out because he foresaw what is now here. That was the course of action of a man who has been a Commissioner of railways for many years; a railway Director for other years; a man of inherited wealth and of training in the selection of investments; a man who in many relationships, such as that of Overseer of Harvard University, is influential regarding the investments of many other than himself. No doubt the Commission thinks him as wrong as he thinks the Commission. But the purpose of this comment is to show how superior his position is to that of the Commission.

He and his class have the final word, and the power of absolute veto over whatever action the Commission takes, good or bad. But the Commission cannot reach him and his class in any way. They buy and they sell on their judgment alone, and there is no power which can control them. They are exercising this privilege, and the regulation of railway rates in the recent manner is doomed. The country must have railways and cannot get them because the Commission affronts the investing class. It is the last word, and the decisive one. The Commission is helpless before a power which is

uncontrollable by legislators or the courts, still less by the Commission.

THE GREATEST OF THESE IS CHARITY.

Certainly the prompt aid offered to the literally starving non-combatants of Belgium and the Rockefeller Foundation's plan to devote "millions" to all non-combatants, of whatever nation, who can be reached, is a new and impressive example of the scope reached in the business of philanthropy in our country, and indeed, in the world. It is to be noted that this marvelous and unprecedented enterprise of humanity is conceived and is to be carried out in a systematic, scientific, and entirely practical manner. It is as far as can be imagined from the ordinary impulse of vague benevolence yielded to without forethought and carried out in haphazard generosity.

Ample funds have been provided. An active, continuous, and permanent organization has been effected. Ample precaution is taken against waste or misappropriation. The initial act in the work—the relief of the Belgian sufferers—proceeds with the celerity, the exactness, and the adequacy that characterize the work of a great industrial concern. For the later and still more extensive operations of the Foundation a system of investigation, planning, and execution is established that will assure the greatest efficiency with the least possible cost of time or means. The task assumes the proportions of an international undertaking, and, so far as can now be judged, it will have the co-operation of all the Governments concerned. The spirit thus expressed and carried out is a product of modern times and to a certain extent, we may say, with pardonable pride, of American conditions.

We cannot say that this spirit is peculiar to America, for it has been manifested, its precious seed has been planted, and its rich fruit garnered in other lands. But in our own land certain conditions have promoted it. First there is the unprecedented number and extent of great fortunes here, the product of the comparatively rapid development of resources unequaled in richness and variety. Second, there is the fact that among the possible uses of wealth in America what we have called the business of philanthropy offers the greatest and most inspiring attractions to possessors who can appreciate them. Honors cannot be purchased in any marked degree in the United States. Social ambition has a limited and fluctuating field. Mere lavish display furnishes to wealth but a barren and narrow field. Great hereditary estates can be established only with infinite difficulty and confer no considerable prestige.

But philanthropy, as a carefully planned and permanent use for wealth, offers incalculable scope not merely for humane activity but for the exercise of the energies and the talents of the investor and administrator. This latest instance of its pursuit is on a world-wide scale, and will draw world-wide attention. But only in its scale does it differ from the work which the Rockefeller Foundation has so wisely and thoroughly conceived and planned.

TOPICS OF THE TIMES.

Exactly how and why Sunday's grade crossing accident near Havertown happened will probably never be known. If one were to judge from the facts as observed by the only witnesses now available, there is the train that ran the automobile down—the instant killing of three persons and the infliction of terrible injuries on another—the result of an utterly reckless taking of chances in an attempt to avoid the few seconds' delay that would have been required for safety would have dictated.

"Accident" Hardly the Word.

This theory of the slaughter is accepted with reluctance, however, as Dr. West, the driver of the car, was a man of intelligence and character, and his companions were members of his immediate family, whose lives he would naturally have shown even more of consideration than for his own. Yet in broad daylight he turned in front of a rapidly moving train beside which he had been running along a parallel country road for half a mile, thus doing something which would be regarded only as a routine matter by a driver, such as this one certainly was not. It has been suggested that the doctor had intended to slow down, or even to stop, but by mistake pressed his accelerator instead of his brake. But that is a possibility too remote for the serious consideration of anybody familiar with the details of automobile construction. A far more plausible explanation—if that term can be applied to what is only a guess—is that Dr. West came unexpectedly upon the turn in the highway that carried it across the railway track, and was moving, when he saw it, at such a speed that with no opportunity for deliberation, he had to choose between two dangers. Both were serious, but one—that of overturning the car if he moved onward in a straight line—gave the certainty of disaster, while the alternative course at least delayed the disaster for a moment and therefore was intuitively selected.

Whatever the truth, the lesson remains the same—an amount of care that should have been taken, that every driver of an automobile can take if he will, was not taken and the deaths followed. In other words, the accident, like every other that occurred as a grade crossing, was distinctly of the sort called avoidable and involved a large element of contributory negligence.

Our curiosity, and presumably that of many others, as to the cost of building a house in such a way that a dinner party in one of its rooms need not be disturbed by a brick fire burning in another is met with definite information contained in a letter sent to THE TIMES by Mr. H. H. HARRIS, the architect. Dr. West Chief Clerk's dwelling, Mr. Harris writes, being absolutely

fireproof, for other superiorities. It is also proof against rats and smaller game, no dampness affects it except such as blows through open windows in the shape of fog, it is warmer in winter and cooler in summer than any house not of similar construction, and it is kept clean with much less work. Its cost was 40 cents a cubic foot, which is declared to be not materially greater than that of ordinary brick or stucco houses ranking with it in decorations, equipment, and conveniences.

As compared with houses otherwise similar, but built of wood in the common way, the one cost about 40 per cent. more. The advance over the usual brick-and-frame house was about 20 per cent., while the house of stucco on tile as built in general practice costs within 15 or 17 per cent. as much. Considering that a house like Mr. West's would be no more than a single-story bungalow, incurring no danger to life in it, will never suffer the loss and trouble which fire causes even to the "fully insured," these increments of expenditure do not seem either unreasonable or prohibitive. The general adoption of like or similar construction would work a wonderful diminution in the country's annual losses by fire, the damage of which is now both colossal and disgraceful, and which form a drain upon its resources not at all lessened by insurance except in the sense that the losses are widely distributed.

At Present He Is With Us!

When a man who writes a paper is of the opinion that he does not sign his name to his letter, it can be taken for granted that his modesty would suffer if any publicity were given to the subject of his communication. Therefore, as our earnest desire is to avoid the giving of pain to anybody, we will not print an anonymous letter received yesterday was about, but we do venture to reveal that the substitute for a signature was "A Reader of THE TIMES—for the President."

That, now, so far as memory serves, being a highly interesting letter, we are new as the description of a subscriber's status with relation to his newspaper. The man who writes to stop his paper because of something it has done or hasn't done is a familiar figure in the mails of every office. Familiar, too, is the fact that he and his class never have the slightest effect on a circulating library, a phenomenon from which various deductions might be drawn if it were necessary to do so. But to have a reader tell us that "at present" we can count on his support and countenance is disquieting, because it is so difficult to decide whether we can in fair safety count on the support of a reader who is so difficult to select or lose him.

We can at least hope that the toleration of this particular correspondent will persist. He has a grievance, but that is the common human lot; and he would have to stop more than his paper to escape from it.

A Weapon Against Submarines.

Anybody who has the trouble that can be made when a steamship is torpedoed, when a rope, even though not very strong, is large enough to be tangled in its propeller, will wonder what happened to the submarine, presumably German, that was reported in yesterday's dispatches as having run foul of a fishnet off the Dutch coast.

ALL GERMANY UNITED.

But Her People Did Not Seek War, Writes Prof. Baginsky.

The following is an abstract of a letter received by me from Prof. Adolph Baginsky, who is the editor of the *Archiv der Wissenschaften, Künste und Geschichte*, and also professor of the University of Berlin, and director of the Kaiser Friedrich Hospital in Berlin:

If ever there was a people that loved and cherished peace and wished to make peace its supreme treasure, it was the people of Germany, which grew up and flourished in the shadow of the great forest, and was witness to this war, in most ruthless fashion. If Germany had desired war, it could have gone into it much more comfortably and with the finest prospects of success ten years ago. At that time France was only a few years from ruin, and Germany would have been an easy matter for Germany to overthrow them individually or together. But there was not the faintest idea of that in Germany. And just as little did the German people desire war, although England at that time irritated and challenged us by its policy of preventing the building up of our fleet. But Germany endured all this in patience. Had it followed a policy of Bismarck's, it would have been a different matter, and Germany's citizens would not have been endured. Not we loved and strove for peace alone and paid no attention to the French and English, who could not understand that the Germans were taking away their grade because they did not compete successfully. It was only after the hostile powers, in carrying out the policy of the late King Edward to surround Germany with hostile allies, only after France, in her month's morose of "revanche" and when Alphonse Lorrain, joined England in their bringing Russia by paying her large monetary subsidies—only then was the war waged. Then it had to come, because the ruthless will of these three nations determined that the peace was to be broken, and therefore war was waged and was the opportunity they sought.

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tage; now is the time to discuss the
ter with Wayland Williams, Account
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THE WEATHER

Unsettled, with occasional light
rain Wednesday; fair Thursday;
moderate southwest winds.
For full weather report see Page 8.

PART 1, ELECTION NEWS.

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NEW YORK, WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 1914.—EIGHTEEN PAGES.

ONE CENT In Greater New York, Jersey City and Newark. Elsewhere TWO CENTS.

CONGRESS DEMOCRATIC BY 19 MAJORITY; REPUBLICAN LANDSLIDES IN THE EAST

Tidal Waves in New York,
Pennsylvania, and
Connecticut.

DEMOCRATS WIN ELSEWHERE

Massachusetts Goes Democratic
for Walsh, but by a Re-
duced Plurality.

INDIANA DEMOCRATIC, TOO

Illinois Probably Defeats Sulli-
van—"Uncle Joe" Cannon
Back in Congress

Woodrow Wilson will have a Demo-
cratic Congress to sustain him to the
end of his term. It will be Demo-
cratic by a greatly reduced plurality,
but the House has enough of a major-
ity to work with, and there is no
change in the Senate.

The Democratic plurality in the
House, which is 163, will be reduced
in the next Congress to 19. The fig-
ures are: Democrats, 227; Republi-
cans, 199; Progressives, 7; So-
cialist, 1; Prohibitionist, 1.

This victory in the nation is sup-
ported by Democratic victories in
many States, but in three States—
New York, Pennsylvania, and Con-
necticut—there has been a violent re-
versal against the Democratic Party,
and Republican landslides have swept
over all three.

The great Republican landslide in
New York was reflected in Connecticut
and Pennsylvania, but there it stopped.
There was no national landslide.
There were Republican victories in
some States and Democratic victories
in others, but taking the field as a
whole it was a drawn battle. Outside
of the little block of the Union includ-
ing these three States the ap-
peal to support the President in this
time of war did not go unheeded.

Even Massachusetts elected a Demo-
cratic Governor, returning Gov.
Walsh to office, though by a greatly
reduced plurality. His plurality of
53,000 a year ago slumped to
8,000, but he was elected, despite
the fact that his Republican opponent,
Samuel W. McCall, is a national figure
and one of the strongest men in the
State. The rest of the Democratic
ticket appears to have been defeated.

Maryland returned a Democratic
Senator, John Walter Smith, by a
plurality of 20,000.

In Indiana one of the Wilson leaders
in the Senate, Benjamin F. Shively,
was returned to his old post by
30,000 plurality after an extremely
hard fight. This stands out from
among other Senatorial elections as
a distinct Administration victory.

The Republicans, according to early
returns, have lost Tennessee, where
Gov. Ben W. Hooper has been defeat-
ed for re-election by Thomas C. Rye,
Democrat.

But in Pennsylvania, Boies Penrose
swept the State for United States Sen-
ator, and Brumbaugh, the Republican
candidate, for Governor.

In Connecticut there was a landslide
of New York proportions. The Rep-
ublicans carried everything. A Con-
gressional delegation of five Democrats
became one of five Republicans. Sen-
ator Brandegee, Republican, was
re-elected by from 12,000 to
15,000, defeating Gov. Simeon E.
Baldwin. The whole Republican
State ticket was elected, as well as
the Legislature.

Roger C. Sullivan, the Chicago boss,
who was nominated for Senator by the
Illinois Democrats, seems to have been
defeated by a small plurality by Sen-
ator Lawrence Y. Sherman, Republican.
His big lead in Cook County was cut
down to the vanishing point down-
state, and at 3 o'clock A. M. it seemed
to have vanished altogether. Sullivan
encountered bitter opposition, and two
United States Senators of his own
party appealed to Democrats in Illinois
to bolt him.

Senator Newlands, a Democrat of
long service in the Senate, has been
defeated for re-election in Nevada.

GOVERNORS ELECTED.

Alabama—Charles Henderson, Dem.
Arizona—Ralph Cameron, Rep.
Arkansas—George W. Hays, Dem.
California—Hiram W. Johnson, Prog.
Connecticut—Marcus H. Holcomb, Rep.
Georgia—Nat. E. Harris, Dem.
Iowa—George W. Clarke, Rep.
Kansas—Arthur Capper, Rep.
Massachusetts—David I. Walsh, Dem.
Minnesota—Winfield S. Hammond, Dem.
Michigan—Woodbridge N. Ferris, Dem.
New Hampshire—Roland H. Spaulding, Rep.
New York—Charles S. Whitman, Rep.
North Dakota—Louis E. Hanna, Rep.
Ohio—Frank B. Willis, Rep.
Oregon—James Withycombe, Rep.
Pennsylvania—Dr. Martin Brumbaugh, Rep.
Rhode Island—R. Livingston Beekman, Rep.
South Carolina—Richard J. Manning, Dem.
Tennessee—Thomas C. Rye, Dem.
Texas—James E. Ferguson, Dem.
Vermont—Charles W. Gates, Rep.
Wisconsin—Emanuel L. Philipp, Rep.
Wyoming—H. S. Ridgely, Rep.*

*Indicated.

U. S. SENATORS ELECTED.

Alabama—O. W. Underwood, (D.)
Arizona—M. A. Smith, (D.)
Arkansas—J. P. Clarke, (D.)
California—J. D. Works, (R.)
Connecticut—F. B. Brandegee, (R.)
Florida—D. U. Fletcher, (D.)
Georgia—Hoke Smith, (D.)
Idaho—J. H. Brady, (R.)
Illinois—R. C. Sullivan, (D.)
Indiana—B. V. Shively, (D.)
Iowa—A. B. Cummins, (R.)
Kansas—Charles Curtis, (R.)
Kentucky—J. C. W. Beckham, (D.)
Maine—J. W. Smith, (D.)
Maryland—J. W. Smith, (D.)
Massachusetts—J. P. Clarke, (D.)
Michigan—W. J. Stone, (D.)
Minnesota—W. J. Stone, (D.)
Missouri—W. J. Stone, (D.)
Montana—J. H. Gallinger, (R.)
New Hampshire—J. H. Gallinger, (R.)
New York—J. W. Wadsworth, Jr., (R.)
North Carolina—L. S. Overman, (D.)
North Dakota—A. J. Gronne, (R.)
Ohio—W. S. Harding, (R.)
Oklahoma—T. P. Gore, (D.)
Oregon—G. E. Chamberlain, (D.)
Pennsylvania—Boies Penrose, (R.)
South Carolina—E. D. Smith, (D.)
South Dakota—C. H. Burke, (R.)
Tennessee—C. H. Burke, (R.)
Texas—C. H. Burke, (R.)
Utah—Reed Smoot, (R.)
Vermont—W. P. Dillingham, (R.)
Washington—W. L. Jones, (R.)
Wisconsin—P. E. McGovern, (R.)

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SUFFRAGE REJECTED
IN WESTERN STATES

"Antis" Get Big Majorities in
Ohio and Missouri—Other
Defeats Probable.

Special to The New York Times.
ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 3.—Suffrage
was defeated overwhelmingly in Mis-
souri today. On the face of the returns
available up to 11 o'clock the proposal
to give women the ballot had been
beaten by 5 to 1. Returns coming in
from up-State indicated the extent of
the defeat would be even greater. In
St. Louis, Kansas City, and Jefferson
City the proposed amendment was re-
jected almost 10 to 1.

The suffrage defeat by such majorities
was a surprise. The women of Missouri
expected the first fight for the ballot
in this State would be close, but the in-
dications were that the "wets," guided
by their experience in Illinois, went
after the suffrage question with an axe.

The suffrage leaders were in evidence
during the day, but the rank and file
of party workers who were expected to
aid at the polls was lacking.

Special to The New York Times.
CLEVELAND, Ohio, Nov. 3.—Suff-
rage was defeated by from 25,000 to
75,000 majority in the Ohio election.
Leaders of the movement admitted this
tonight, but declared they expected the
loss and would continue their campaign
without a halt.

PIERRE, S. D., Nov. 3.—Scattering
returns indicate the defeat of the wo-
man suffrage amendment.

OMAHA, Neb., Nov. 3.—A fight in
school board matters, on which women
vote in Nebraska, brought many wo-
men to the polls in Omaha, in addition
to those who were working for the suf-
frage constitutional amendment.

HELENA, Mont., Nov. 3.—Meagre
returns so far received indicate that the
suffrage amendment in Montana is lost.

Special to The New York Times.
FARGO, N. D., Nov. 3.—Woman's
suffrage failed to carry in North Da-
kota. Under the provision of the Con-
stitution, a majority of the total vote
cast at the general election must favor
the plan. As the vote on the suffrage
issue was so much smaller than in the
general election, it was necessary to get
an almost unanimously favorable vote
on the ballots cast.

The first returns received tonight in-
dicated that the plan not only failed to
secure a majority of all votes cast, but
also fell short of a majority of the votes
cast on that question alone. The advo-
cates were undaunted and predicted they
would win on the Constitutional amend-
ment at the next general election.

If the coming legislative session in-
creases the movement of two years ago
a Constitutional amendment will be up
again with the next general election,
and at that time they will have to re-
ceive only a majority of the votes actually
cast on the amendment.

Special to The New York Times.
MILWAUKEE, Wis., Nov. 3.—United
States Senator La Follette's candidacy
for Governor, John J. Blaine, was badly
defeated in the election in this State
today, running a year third. His total
vote will be about 30,000, or less than
the estimated 35,000 plurality of E. L.
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gressive and the old party, but the
Republicans defeated him.

Five Republican Representatives in
Congress were elected, displacing the
solid Democratic delegation which was
chosen two years ago. The Representa-
tives elected are: First District, P.
Davis Oakley, Hartford; Second, Rich-
ard C. Freeman, New London; Third,
John Q. Wilson, New Haven; Fourth,
James J. Glyn, South Norwalk; Fifth,
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were the pluralities decisive, averag-
ing about 1,000.

OHIO "WETS" PILE UP
MAJORITY OF 50,000

Close Vote On Prohibition Issue
in Colorado—Princeton, N. J.,
Goes Dry by 800.

Special to The New York Times.
CLEVELAND, Nov. 3.—Ohio went
"wet" by a majority of 50,000 for the
home rule amendment today, according
to its leaders. Prohibition was defeated
by a narrow vote, but Wayne B.
Wheeler, Superintendent of the Anti-
Saloon League, protested such a victory
as the home rule backers claimed. He
declared their estimates were based on
returns from the big cities and that the
figures would be cut down as the small
towns and country districts reported.
Home rule won by about 30,000 in Cuyahoga County, according to Mayor New-
ton D. Baker, in a message he sent to
Gov. Cox, following the predictions
made at "wet" headquarters.

Special to The New York Times.
DENVER, Colo., Nov. 3.—The State-
wide prohibition issue is so close at
10:30 o'clock tonight that it is impos-
sible to determine whether Colorado
has gone "wet" or "dry." Pre-
dicts in all parts of the State, includ-
ing sixty in Denver, that the "wets" are
15,288 and the "drys" 13,212. The
"drys" are claiming the State by
10,000 majority, but in the face of the
returns the Rev. A. J. Finch, leader
of the Anti-Saloon League forces, issued
a statement declaring that the State
would go "wet" by 30,000. Both these
statements are believed to be excessive,
as the result either way will be ex-
ceedingly close.

The liquor issue, which defeated Pro-
hibition two years ago by 4,000, appears
to have turned in a "wet" majority of
about 10,000 in the rest of the State.
In the southern coal fields, where the Col-
orado Fuel and Iron Company is en-
gaged in a fight with the miners, the
company is charged with controlling the election
machinery, the "wets" are leading by
a large margin.

The proposed amendment to the Con-
stitution prohibits the manufacture, im-
portation or sale of liquor for sale or
gift, and if adopted, the saloons will
go out of business on Nov. 1, 1915.
The liquor issue is so close that a re-
jected measure cannot be sub-
mitted to the voters within six years.

PRINCETON, N. J., Nov. 3.—This city
voted license or no license today, and
the drys won by 800.

Special to The New York Times.
WILMINGTON, Del., Nov. 3.—The
chief issue in Kent and Sussex Counties
today was the wet and dry question.
The "wets" most likely will have a
majority of the General Assembly. This
year will witness another election
between the "wets" and the "drys" in
these counties, which are now dry.

Special to The New York Times.
WISCONSIN.
Wisconsin voted for United States Sen-
ator, Governor, and other State offi-
cials, and on amendments providing for
ballot by electors in the State, and
other State officials, at 1912: Demo-
cratic, 167,516; Republican, 179,350.

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The outcome of the election means a
new deal in Wisconsin politics with
the old conservatives, represented by
Phillip, and the old dry party, repre-
sented by Karel, in a merger of political interests, domi-
nated by the old party, but the
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Republicans Win Pennsylvania, Connecticut, Split Bay State; Illinois Race Close

Pennsylvania voted for United States Sen-
ator, Congressman, Governor, and other State
officials. Vote for Governor in 1910: Demo-
cratic, 132,851; Republican, 112,964. 1914
vote, 282,127.

Special to The New York Times.
PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 3.—Senator
Boies Penrose swept Pennsylvania to-
day by a plurality estimated at not
less than 150,000, and Dr. Martin Brum-
baugh, Republican, was elected Gov-
ernor by a majority approaching 160,
000.

Complete returns indicate a Republi-
can landslide that may increase the
majority of the Republican candidates
to 200,000. It is estimated that the Re-
publicans carried fifty of the sixty-
seven counties.

The unprecedented return to the Re-
publican Party carried to victory al-
most all the Republican candidates for
the State Senate and House of Repre-
sentatives. The Republicans will have
the largest majority in the Legislature
in many years and will have complete
control of the State Government.

The commanding lead of the Republi-
cans indicates that the Democratic
delegation in the National House of
Representatives will be reduced from
twenty to seven, the Progressive dele-
gation reduced from seven to two, and
the Republicans increased from 17 to 27.

Until late tonight, Democratic State
leaders claimed the election of Vance
McCormick, Democratic candidate for
Governor, by 125,000, despite the all-
apparent Republican victory. Progress-
ive State leaders admitted defeat short-
ly before midnight.

A. Nevitt Detrick, State Chairman of
the Progressive Party, said tonight:
Returns indicate an overwhelming victory
for Penrose and Brumbaugh. I attribute
this to a revolution against the Demo-
cratic Administration and the belief on
the part of the electorate that the Republi-
can Party is the best government there is,
which there will be a revival of prosperity.

State issues seem to have been lost sight
of by the voters, and the entire result is
apparently based on national traditions.
The Progressive Party is the only party
to be predicted as to the district, Con-
gressional, and Legislative candidates, but
there is little doubt that the return for
the head of the ticket will prevail through-
out the State.

Gifford Pinchot, Progressive candi-
date for United States Senator, said:
During the campaign just ended, I made
the statement that, win or lose, I would
keep on with the fight for the conservation
of natural resources for the use of the
people, against the monopolies and special
interests, and in particular against the
kind of government that Penrose represents.
I reaffirm that statement now.

A. Mitchell Palmer, Democratic candi-
date for United States Senator, said
second, with Pinchot, Progressive, that
Palmer commanded a much larger vote
than had been conceded by the opposi-
tion leaders.

The four Republican Congressmen at
large, Scott, Crago, Lafane, and Gar-
land, were elected.

Latest returns from this city indicate
that Brumbaugh carried Philadelphia
by a majority of 115,000 and Penrose
by 100,000. Republican leaders in Phila-
delphia asserted that this sweep meant
that the full Philadelphia delegation of
six Congressmen had been won by the
Republicans.

The vote throughout Pennsylvania
was exceptionally heavy, and it is
estimated that upward of 1,000,000 citi-
zens went to the polls.

While no estimate of the complete
Pinchot vote is yet possible, it is be-
lieved that Col. Roosevelt's recent in-
vasion of Pennsylvania aided little in
bringing success to the Progressive
Party.

Promptly on the heels of Dr. Brum-
baugh's success, a boom was started
for him as the next Republican candi-
date for the Presidency. State Senator
Vare said:
From the start I was convinced Dr.
Brumbaugh was the favorite with the
people. He is their idol. Of course we
are not going to let him go. The rest of
us start an anti-Brumbaugh campaign.
The doctor is the best of the rest of
us. To him alone and to the activity
of party workers is this victory due.

Special to The New York Times.
CONNECTICUT.
Connecticut voted for United States Sen-
ator, Congressman, Governor, and other
State officials. Vote for Governor in 1912:
Democratic, 124,254; Republican, 67,618; Pro-
gressive, 51,020.

Special to The New York Times.
NEW HAVEN, Conn., Nov. 3.—David
E. Fitzgerald of this city, Chairman of
the Democratic State Central Commit-
tee, at 9 o'clock tonight said that the
election of the Republican candidates
for the United States Senate and
House of Representatives was con-
firmed.

It was also conceded that the
Republican candidates for State execu-
tive offices had been elected, and that
the State Senate would be Republican.
The control of the Connecticut House
of Representatives he regarded as
doubtful.

J. Henry Roraback of Canaan, Chair-
man of the Republican State Central
Committee, said that the Republican
candidates for the Connecticut Legis-
lature by easy margins.

Early returns made the plurality of
Senator Frank B. Brandegee of New
London over Gov. Simeon E. Baldwin,
in the contest for United States Sen-
ator, and Dr. Martin Brumbaugh, Republi-
can, in the contest for Governor.

Five Republican Representatives in
Congress were elected, displacing the
solid Democratic delegation which was
chosen two years ago. The Representa-
tives elected are: First District, P.
Davis Oakley, Hartford; Second, Rich-
ard C. Freeman, New London; Third,
John Q. Wilson, New Haven; Fourth,
James J. Glyn, South Norwalk; Fifth,
James P. Glyn, Winsted. In no case
were the pluralities decisive, averag-
ing about 1,000.

Special to The New York Times.
MILWAUKEE, Wis., Nov. 3.—United
States Senator La Follette's candidacy
for Governor, John J. Blaine, was badly
defeated in the election in this State
today, running a year third. His total
vote will be about 30,000, or less than
the estimated 35,000 plurality of E. L.
Phillip, the Republican, over John C.
Karel, Democrat. La Follette tried to
elect Blaine as a fusion of the Pro-
gressive and the old party, but the
Republicans defeated him.

WHITMAN ELECTED GOVERNOR BY 133,000; WADSWORTH SENT TO SENATE BY 60,222



Governor elect
Charles S. Whitman
(FROM PHOTO
BY P. H. MACDONALD)

GOVERNOR PLURALITIES.

County.	WADSWORTH.	WHITMAN.
Albany	11,115	11,115
Allegany	2,318	2,318
Broome	1,463	1,463
Cattaraugus	4,200	4,200
Cayuga	3,203	3,203
Chester	2,206	2,206
Chemung	1,063	1,063
Chenango	2,068	2,068
Columbia	1,331	1,331
Cortland	2,233	2,233
Delaware	2,100	2,100
Dutchess	4,972	4,972
Erie	21,000	21,000
Franklin	1,828	1,828
Fulton	1,400	1,400
Genesee	2,913	2,913
Greene	1,200	1,200
Herkimer	2,410	2,410
Jefferson	4,200	4,200
Kings	5,600	5,600
Lewis	761	761
Madison	1,800	1,800
Monroe	19,614	19,614
Montgomery	2,206	2,206
Nassau	2,206	2,206
New York	33,911	33,911
Niagara	6,500	6,500
Oneida	3,300	3,300
Oranget	6,387	6,387
Ontario	4,900	4,900
Orange	2,506	2,506
Oswego	800	800
Rensselaer	284	284
Saratoga	6,380	6,380
Schenectady	1,600	1,600
Schoharie	2,196	2,196
Seneca	1,304	1,304
Stearns	4,901	4,901
Sullivan	2,484	2,484
Tioga	1,062	1,062
Tompkins	900	900
Ulster	2,500	2,500
Warren	800	800
Washington	1,000	1,000
Wayne	4,456	4,456
Westchester	4,400	4,400
Yates	2,800	2,800
Total	187,391	187,391
Plurality for Whitman	133,132	133,132

Special to The New York Times.
BOSTON, Nov. 3.—Massachusetts, a
State of big majorities, has reversed her
form, and it was hours later than usual
before the results of the election for
Governor and members of the Legis-
lature were known.

It then became evident that David I.
Walsh, Democrat, had been elected Gov-
ernor, who last year had 66,000 plurality,
would be re-elected by some 5,000 over
his Republican opponent, Samuel W. McCall.
Indications are that the re-
mainder of the State ticket in Republi-
can hands.

The smallness of the Progressive vote,
which last year gave the party
control of the State, was a feature
of the election. In many small towns
the Progressive vote for head of the
ticket was 10 to 20 per cent. of the
total vote. In the first 800 election districts
compiled the total for Joseph Walker,
Progressive, was 10,000, while for
only 22,916, as against 92,510 for Charles
S. Bird, who headed the ticket a year
ago.

The Republicans made a significant
gain in Congressional districts, dis-
placing three Democrats. The election of
Republican candidate in the Eighth
District, over Frank C. Dyer, Demo-
crat, was the only one of the kind.

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DETROIT, Mich., Nov. 3.—Gov. Fred-
rick D. Woodworth has been re-elected, prob-
ably by 40,000 plurality. Frank E. Do-
rsey, Democratic Congressman of the
First District, has been re-elected by a
reduced plurality, but the Republican
candidates in all other Congressional
districts probably have been successful.

Returns on Congressmen were very
light up to 10 o'clock. The Progressive
vote was so small everywhere that it
seemed impossible that either of the two
present Progressive Congressmen, Roy
Woodruff of the Tenth District and
William J. McDonald of the Twelfth,
could be re-elected.

As the Progressive vote of two years
ago returned in great part to the Re-
publican Party, the Republican candi-
dates were successful. This same trend
defeated Representative S. O. Seales,
Democrat, of the Second District.
The vote on Governor was a distinct
slap at the judicial recall and other
doctrines of Chase S. Osborn and at
the man personally hostile of his poli-
cies when Governor in 1911-12. Thou-
sands of old-line Republicans re-
sponded during the campaign and car-
ried their repudiation to the polls.

Republican Victory Is Over-
whelming Throughout
the State.

SWEEP IN LEGISLATURE

All State Candidates Carried In
with the Heads of
the Ticket.

SULZER CASE A BIG FACTOR

"Rock-Ribbed Schoharie" Goes
Republican for the First
Time in Her History.

Charles S. Whitman was elected
Governor of New York yesterday by
133,000 plurality over Martin H.
Glynn

CITY GAVE GLYNN 54,114 PLURALITY

Gerard's for Senator About
105,648, Almost Double
That of Governor.

UP-STATE VOTE BEAT BOTH

Dix's City Plurality in 1910
Was 105,282, and Sulzer
Carried It by 109,521.

OTHER REPUBLICAN GAINS

In City Congressmen, Senators, and
Assemblymen—Tammany Re-
elects its Justices.

Martin H. Glynn, when he lost the
Governorship, carried New York City
by a bare plurality of approximately
54,114. His small city plurality
was utterly swamped by the 197-
391 plurality given to Whitman
above the Bronx.

The total vote in the city, with even
election districts missing, was Glynn,
291,005; Whitman, 236,951;
Davenport, 15,218; Sulzer, 29,235.
Glynn's city plurality is surprisingly
small. In 1910 Dix carried the five
boroughs by a plurality of 105,282
over Stimson, and two years ago, in
the three-cornered fight between
Straus, Sulzer, and Hedges, Sulzer
carried the city by a plurality of 109,521
over Straus, (Progressive), and 192-
370 over Hedges, (Republican).

In its first direct vote for a United
States Senator the city gave Ambassa-
dor James W. Gerard a plurality
almost double that given to Glynn for
Governor. The city vote was: Ger-
ard, 247,365; Wadsworth, 143,171;
77,777; Colby, 13,814. Thus
giving Gerard a total plurality of
105,648.

The Congressional and legislative
delegations show a distinct Republi-
can gain. The Congressional dele-
gation gains at least three Republican
Representatives, and at midnight three
more seats were still in doubt.

The city Senate delegation, which
was solidly Democratic, now includes
seven Republicans.

In the Assembly contests in the city
Tammany took care of its own. Practi-
cally all the old Tammany standbys
are returned, but in some of the other
Assembly districts, where the Republi-
cans had fared with the Progressives,
the result was a Fusion victory. From
New York County there will be 7
Republicans, and 3 Democrats;
Kings will have 11 Republicans and
assemblymen out of 23. Queens, the
Bronx, and Richmond return solid
Democratic delegations.

Tammany re-elected its two Supreme
Court Justices, Messrs. Dugro and
Weeks. But, in all, there were
sore faces about Tammany Hall
when the city returns were scrutinized
last night.

CITY VOTE FOR SENATOR.

BOROUGH RECAPITULATION.

	GERARD.	WADSWORTH.	COLBY.	E.D.
Manhattan.	91,150	47,987	6,556	212
Brooklyn.	101,734	76,218	7,083	42
Queens.	28,301	10,012	1,402	18
Richmond.	1,830	4,524	380	1
Total.	221,915	138,739	15,341	297

Plurality for Gerard, 105,648.

287 election districts missing out of a total of 1,780.

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	GERARD.	WADSWORTH.	COLBY.	E.D.
1.	2,578	1,077	98	6
2.	3,815	814	164	3
3.	2,309	1,309	120	1
4.	4,113	973	95	2
5.	889	1,304	72	0
6.	1,082	1,304	120	1
7.	531	439	74	13
8.	2,867	1,017	67	1
9.	3,836	1,101	113	5
10.	3,862	738	130	1
11.	2,823	1,366	97	2
12.	3,506	2,923	267	1
13.	3,012	1,737	129	3
14.	3,161	2,469	378	8
15.	3,110	1,342	225	3
16.	3,082	1,307	120	1
17.	2,406	890	120	9
18.	3,318	2,173	340	8
19.	3,012	1,307	120	1
20.	6,894	1,168	890	21
21.	1,271	633	120	1
22.	3,012	1,307	120	1
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	GERARD.	WADSWORTH.	COLBY.	E. D.
A. D.	Dem.	Rep.	Pro.	Mar.
1	3,482	2,702	104	
2	3,376	1,008	83	
3	3,883	1,071	75	
4	8,325	2,581	238	
5	3,834	4,048	381	
6	2,861	2,909	308	
7	4,278	1,861	109	
8	3,820	1,441	111	
9	7,677	4,741	515	
10	3,478	2,802	232	

Dr. Graves

The Kaiser's Ex-Spy
Will Reveal
Germany's Plans
for the
Invasion of England
Tonight Tonight
Carnegie Hall
57th Street and Seventh Av.
VOTES, DIDN'T REGISTER.

Court Holds Law Does Not Apply to Small Places.

Michael J. Ryan, a manufacturer of this city, who yesterday was in his home town of Cedarhurst, L. I., although he did not register in October and did not register and vote in the last general election. Mr. Ryan intended to register last month, but his election district had been divided within the last year, and he was not informed of the place of registration in time to get himself on the rolls on the first registration day. Before the second opportunity offered he was called to the Pacific Coast on business and left word with Democratic leaders asking that they register for him.

When Mr. Ryan, who had returned from the West in order to vote, was challenged, William P. Langevin, city attorney, and George M. Bode, county clerk for the Democratic Central Committee of Nassau County, applied at once to Justice Van Sledright of the Supreme Court, at Mineola, for a writ of mandamus against the Board of Elections. It was said that Mr. Ryan had been a resident and property owner in Cedarhurst for three years, and that he had intended to register in October and had been prevented for the reasons given.

CROWDS AT SUFFRAGE SHOP

Controller Prendergast and John A. Hennessy Address Meetings.

Crowds were inside and outside the Society Suffrage Shop, at 663 Fifth Avenue, all day yesterday. Controller William A. Prendergast and Mrs. V. G. Hennessy spoke in the morning. Mr. Prendergast said that the law required that the voters be given the opportunity to vote, and that it was the duty of the State to see that the voters were given the opportunity to vote. He said that the law required that the voters be given the opportunity to vote, and that it was the duty of the State to see that the voters were given the opportunity to vote.

WOMAN KILLED BY DANCING.

Mrs. Curran Is Taken Ill at a Ball and Dies on Getting Home.

To excessive dancing is attributed the death yesterday of Mrs. Mary Curran, 22 years old, of 231 Driggs Avenue, Williamsburg. The young woman with two friends, Miss Nellie Doyle, 867 Grand Street and Miss Florence Young, who lives at 706 Grand Street, attended a reception on Monday night in a hall at Grand and Havemeyer Streets. She danced four dances in rapid succession and at the close of the last became ill. After trying to revive her, her friends put her in a milk wagon and took her home. She died there a few hours later.

Industrial Attache Sails Today.

Albertus H. Baldwin, the first of nine Attaches appointed by the Federal Government to study industrial conditions abroad, will sail today on the Lusitania for Liverpool. He has just returned from a trip through the Eastern States on which he interviewed manufacturers on the export trade of the United States. Mr. Baldwin said that he would make his headquarters in London.

HOW VOTE WAS CAST IN NEW YORK CITY

Nearly Half the Total Was Polled by 9 A. M.—Little Trouble with New Ballot.

300 DEPUTIES ON THE JOB

Former Football Stars Acted as Watchers—Suffragists Busy at Polling Places.

The fair weather and the fact that the new modified Massachusetts ballot gave the voters little trouble made ideal conditions yesterday for rapid voting. Voters began to crowd polling places within five minutes after the polls opened at 6 o'clock. They voted in steady streams until 9 o'clock, when the first full set in, and a tabulation of figures revealed the fact that nearly half the votes were cast.

There was a record for early voting for any election in recent years. By noon 65 per cent of the total vote was in, and at 4 o'clock reports indicated that the late afternoon rush would be inconsequential, as 85 per cent of the vote had already been cast. The total vote was recorded in several election districts more than an hour before the polls were scheduled to be closed.

Trouble had been expected from the new ballots, but as voter after voter emerged from the voting booths within a minute after entering, the watchers began to gain confidence that the day would pass without serious confusion. In the districts near Columbia University some voters took as long as nine minutes to vote, their extreme deliberation indicating that they were splitting their tickets with much care. In the downtown districts political parties set up sample voting places as near to the polls as the law would allow. They gave sample ballots and the aid of instructions they taught the voters who had not had the opportunity to familiarize themselves with the new ballots earlier, how to vote in the normal amount of time.

The "place of stay" voters were confused by their absence. Watchers for the Honorable Ballot Association, who were employed in squads of 100 members each, scoured the city with wariness, insisting, however, that they were not suspected, but they went empty-handed for the most part, although they challenged a few voters.

Shows Fight When Challenged.

One young man became very impatient and wanted to fight when challenged. He rushed into the office of Supt. of Elections Voorhis, denouncing everybody in general connected with the election, and demanding that an escort be given him to the polls. He was asked where he voted last year, and he said in New Jersey. He insisted, however, that he had lived here a year since that time. Supt. Voorhis with a smile informed the young man that the election law required that he vote on Nov. 4, so that if he swore in his vote this year he "would be taking a pretty good chance of being challenged by his belligerent mood at once and left with thanks for Mr. Voorhis's warning. The only serious quarrel of the day occurred at the opening of the polls in the Fourteenth Election District of the Eighth Assembly District at 180 Eldridge Street. A Democratic Captain objected to Joseph Strulowitz as a member of the Board of Inspectors. Strulowitz was supported by Missa Hymowitz, Chairman of the board, and a seventeen-minute argument ensued that sometimes grew so warm that bystanders had to separate the contenders.

Dispute Held Up Voting.

While it lasted not a single vote could be cast, and it was finally settled by the protest of more than 100 voters, who urged that they had to be on their way to work and couldn't afford to stand about just to see a row. Strulowitz finally was permitted to take his place, and the voting proceeded. A Special Inspector to a Brooklyn election district on receiving a report from a Deputy that only three inspectors in a district of four, as provided by law, were on duty.

Mr. Voorhis sent out 300 Deputies in search for election frauds. Upon receiving reports from them as to the speed and quietness of the voting throughout the city Mr. Voorhis announced that it was the quietest and most smoothly working Election Day he had ever known.

The entrance of former football stars to the business of watching the polls provided in some districts an element of interest that almost overshadowed the voting. J. E. Higgins, Jr., Captain of Yale's football team in 1907, led the football forces who had volunteered as watchers. He was the centre of admiring throngs of boys when he visited voting places in lower Fifth Avenue. With him were Walter Logan and Jew Kilpatrick, ends on the Yale team in 1910. "Pop" Foster, a Yale tackle in 1908, Arthur Howe, an Allie morican quarter back, selected from the Yale

team of 1910; S. D. Baker of Princeton, and "Big Ed" Farley of Harvard.

250 College Men as Watchers.

The football squad worked with 250 college men, who were registered as members of the Volunteer Watchers' league and were under the direct control of Assistant District Attorney Waller. Some of them remained in automobiles at the Criminal Courts Building ready to respond on an instant's notice to any call for help. A bit of humor that enlivened the day in the upper east side was contributed by the fact that four Election Inspectors, a ballot clerk, and a poll clerk and a policeman had to remain on duty all day at an election district where the entire vote was cast by 9 o'clock and there was no possible prospect of getting any more votes through the long hours of the day. The last of the day at the Forty-seventh Election District of the Nineteenth Assembly District at McGowan's Pass Avenue, Central Park at 8:58 o'clock 50 per cent of the district's vote was cast when Max Boehm emerged from the booth two minutes before 9 o'clock. He was one of the 250 registered voters in the district.

Women from the Women's Political Union visited the President of the distributing suffrage literature. The women were on duty, some of them from 8 A. M. to 8 P. M. and they remained close. Hundreds of women passed in and out of the headquarters of the day to get literature and directions for distribution. Mrs. Harriet Stanton Blod, the President of the Union, with her daughter and little grand-daughter, the latter, a member of the Union, was at the polls in the afternoon. Mrs. John Winters Brannan was at the polls in the afternoon. Mrs. Anna Constable at 631 Park Avenue. Polling places on the lower side were thoroughly covered by the women.

At P. M. no report of any trouble in the counting of ballots was received at the office of the State Superintendent of Elections, John E. Voorhis, remained until late at the office with several assistants, but no demand was made for their services in any part of the city.

WHERE CANDIDATES VOTED.

Whitman and Sulzer Cast Ballots Here—Other Notables.

Two of the candidates for Governor, Mr. Whitman and Mr. Sulzer, voted here.

Mr. Whitman went to the polling place at 404 Fourth Avenue, accompanied by Arthur Howe, the ex-Yale football captain, who was a volunteer watcher for the Republican cause. According to one of the men in Howe's detachment money was being passed, but the watcher admitted that there was a dim light, and he could not be sure as to the nature of the transaction. The Honorable Ballot Association was notified, and he sent a policeman to the place to close it.

William Sulzer, in charge of one of the autos, found that in some of the downtown districts telegrams purporting to be from the Honorable Ballot Association had been circulated. They were addressed to Republican chiefs and read:

"Avoid trouble. Stay away from the polls. We have no objection to your presence. The original telegram was traced to a place at 384 Broadway. A subpoena has been issued for the manager's attendance at the District Attorney's office, and Assistant District Attorney Waller will try to find out where the telegrams came from."

Assistant District Attorney Groh found a saloon at 118 Fourth Street, where a group of men were gathered. They were charged with obstructing the free passage of voters. The police were called, and the men were taken to the police station. The police were called, and the men were taken to the police station.

Patrolman Gerald, on duty at the polls, reported to the District Attorney's office, and Assistant District Attorney Waller was notified. He sent a policeman to the place to close it.

Charles P. Murphy, when he appeared at the polling place at 297 First Avenue, he was greeted by a group of men. He was asked to leave, and he refused to do so. He was taken to the police station.

John D. Rockefeller, Jr., who registered from his town residence at 10 West Fifty-fourth Street, voted at a barber shop at 508 Sixth Avenue. As he was leaving the booth he saw he had been too keenly interested in the suffering of non-combatants in the European war zone to follow the course of the political campaign. He said he thought the European war was responsible for the unusually quiet election. He intimated, without actually saying so, that he voted for Mr. Whitman.

Henry C. Lewis, who voted from the same polling place a few minutes before Mr. Rockefeller, said he was voting for Mr. Whitman because he was a man "who would do a day's work for a day's pay, and do it with integrity." He said he was voting for Whitman on his record as District Attorney.

Col. Roosevelt voted at Oyster Bay. He arrived at the polling place in company with two gardeners from Sagamore Hill, who rode with him in the family carriage, which was driven by James Lee, the family coachman. Lee and the two gardeners prepared their ballots and voted ahead of Col. Roosevelt. The Colonel was greeted at the polls by Robert Duval, a Progressive leader.

ELECTION ORDERLY, FEW CASES IN COURT

Columbia Students Suffer Most from the Activities of the State Board.

MANY CALLED FROM BED

And Then Haled to Police Courts—Whitman Closes "Instruction" Booths.

All of the courts and the District Attorney's office were ready yesterday for prompt action in election cases, but there was not very much for them to do. The cases that did come up were unlike those of a few years ago, when assaults often preceded arrests, and many of those who came to court brought battered faces with them. One hundred and thirty-five men were haled to court yesterday in Manhattan. One hundred and seventeen were accused of illegal registration, sixteen of illegal voting, and two of disorderly conduct.

District Attorney Whitman's automobile squad, organized for duty at the polls, found little work to do. They found a few persons standing close to the polls, but they were not in violation of the law within 100 feet of a polling place. Such an instruction booth for the guidance of Tammany voters was uncovered next to the polling place at 402 Grand Street by Arthur Howe, the ex-Yale football captain, who was a volunteer watcher for the Republican cause. According to one of the men in Howe's detachment money was being passed, but the watcher admitted that there was a dim light, and he could not be sure as to the nature of the transaction. The Honorable Ballot Association was notified, and he sent a policeman to the place to close it.

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BENSEL LOSES VOTE, FEARING ARREST

Honest Ballot Association's Threat Keeps the State Engineer from the Polls.

CONGRESSMEN CHALLENGED

Carew and Loft Voted Anyhow, but Their Cases Will Be Taken to the Grand Jury.

State Engineer John A. Bensel, who had been a favorite target for Whitman's attacks through the campaign, lost his vote yesterday rather than risk arrest by voting from his "place of stay" at the Marie Antoinette Hotel. Mr. Bensel had voted from the Marie Antoinette for ten years, and had registered from there this year, although he said that his family lived in New Jersey.

A threat to arrest Mr. Bensel if he appeared at the polling place of the Second Election District of the Fifteenth Assembly District, where he was registered, had been made by officials of the Honorable Ballot Association, and the association had William J. Schieffelin, Jr., on duty to see that Mr. Bensel was taken into custody if he tried to cast a ballot.

At 9 o'clock an inquiry was received by Mr. Schieffelin from a member of the Tammany Hall Law Committee as to his intentions toward Mr. Bensel. Mr. Schieffelin replied that it was his intention to arrest the State Engineer if he attempted to vote there. Mr. Bensel's behalf Gordon Kleeborg of the Tammany Hall Law Committee appeared at the polls, and notified the representatives of the Honorable Ballot Association that he proposed to bring Mr. Bensel to the polls and would like to have their consent to a plan to let him swear in his vote and after making a statement of the case for forty-eight hours. The Ballot Association refused to consent, and Mr. Kleeborg went away and did not return again with Mr. Bensel. Late in the afternoon the watchers received word that Mr. Bensel had been called to Albany to attend a meeting of the Canal Board.

There were 243 registered voters in the district from which Mr. Bensel usually voted and 234 of them cast their ballots. In his own defense Mr. Bensel said recently that he had kept a room at the Hotel Marie Antoinette for years and that he was a resident of New York City. Vouchers from the hotel were produced showing that he had paid for a room there steadily since last January.

Congressman Carew was one of the first men to show up at the polling place in his district. Peter Cagney Bryce, one of the Directors of the Honorable Ballot Association, was, however, on hand before him, and challenged him when he attempted to vote. Carew stepped to one side after being challenged by Charles D. Hughes, Jr., son of Justice Hughes, who was acting as one of the attorneys for the Honorable Ballot Association; was sent to the polling place, and there took a long affidavit from Mr. Carew in regard to his place of residence and the facts concerning his alleged residence in Rockville Centre, Nassau County, L. I., where he lives with his wife and family. After signing this affidavit Mr. Carew was allowed to vote.

Congressman George W. Loft of the Thirteenth District, who was registered from his candy factory at Broom and Centre Streets, was challenged by Gordon Kleeborg, who was acting as a Honorable Ballot watcher at that polling place. Mr. Loft was charged by the association with being illegally registered from his candy factory, whereas he really has a domicile at Baldwin, L. I., where he lives with his family. Mr. Loft protested vigorously at that polling place, and Kleeborg thereupon ordered a policeman to carry out the association's order, and Mr. Loft then attempted to arrest the policeman. This started a riot in the polling place, and Mr. Loft was being roughly handled when Mr. Loft went to his assistance. Then Mr. Loft cast his ballot and departed. Farwell later signed an affidavit in preferred with Commissioner Woods against the policeman for failure to arrest Mr. Loft, and the case of Mr. Loft would be taken before the Grand Jury.

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SHERIFF SHOT IN RIOT.

Election Day in Terre Haute Marked by Much Disorder.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Nov. 3.—Deputy Sheriff Peter Feller was shot and seriously wounded this afternoon in a riot at a Seventh Ward polling place by William A. Mitchell, a special election deputy. Mitchell said he shot in self defense when he was set upon by a crowd of men, but others said the trouble arose when deputies attempted to take a pistol from Mitchell. Mitchell was arrested.

There were several other cases of disorder. George Klatt, Progressive candidate for Sheriff, was assaulted in a Taylorville precinct and badly beaten with a billy.

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IN NEW HAVEN CASE

Government Moves to Be Able
to Reach Directors' Con-
spiracy Trial Next Spring.

FOR PRISON SENTENCES

Wm. Rockefeller Likely to Enter
His Plea Through Counsel Tomor-
row—Outline of Prosecution.

Six or seven members of the twenty-one
past and present Directors of the New
Haven and Hartford Railroad Com-
pany, indicted on Monday on the
charge of having conspired to monopoli-
ze the transportation facilities of New
England, are expected to appear today
in the Federal District Court to make
their formal plea. Assistant
Attorney General P. Stephenson has been
in communication with the defendants or
their counsel to make the necessary ar-
rangements, but it was not known defi-
nitely last night which of the defendants
would be present today.

William Rockefeller is not likely to en-
ter his plea under his own name. Represen-
tations already have been made as to his
state of health, and although Judge Fos-
ter, in accepting from Hoffman Miller
the plea of his father, George MacCulloch
Miller, said that his action must
not be taken as a precedent, it was
thought likely yesterday that similar
indulgence would be extended to Mr.
Rockefeller and he would be pleaded by
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Arriving Buyers may register in this column by telephoning 1000 Bryant.

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FEDERAL SOLDIERS SENT TO ARKANSAS

President Orders Troops to Enforce Processes of United States Judge Youmans.

WILL CARRY MACHINE GUNS

Force to be Used Only to Protect Court Officers from Mobs of Mine Strikers.

Special to The New York Times.
WASHINGTON, Nov. 3.—President Wilson today ordered United States soldiers to Fort Smith, Ark., to assist United States Judge Frank A. Youmans in enforcing the orders of his court in connection with a mine strike in the Hartford Valley coal region.

Four troops of the Fifth Cavalry, about 250 men, were sent from Fort Sheridan, near Chicago, to act under the instructions of the court. They will carry machine guns among their equipment. Major Nathaniel F. McClure, of the Fifth Cavalry, who has been serving in the Colorado strike district, will command the detachment.

This is the first time that United States soldiers have been called upon to enforce a court's orders since 1894, when President Cleveland used the army in the Chicago strike to protect the mails and carry out orders of Federal courts. The regular army has been serving in the Colorado strike district, but not through disregard of the courts. The President has authority to use the army when in his judgment it is necessary to enforce the laws of the United States. After a conference last night between the President and Attorney General Gregory and Secretary Garrison, the troops now going to Fort Smith were ordered to be under the command of Secretary Garrison making the moving order effective.

It was explained today that Judge Youmans had appointed receivers for certain mining properties, that later the receivers had been arrested and that certain men who had been arrested had been taken from the United States Marshal by force.

The troops are to see that order is restored and that the warrants of the court are served. Secretary Garrison tonight said: "We have reached the conclusion that it is impracticable to enforce the law and the orders of the United States Court in Arkansas by the marshal. It is necessary to have a receiver for the coal mines; the mines had been blown up and the men who had been arrested had been taken from the United States Marshal by force. The troops are to see that order is restored and that the warrants of the court are served. Secretary Garrison tonight said: "We have reached the conclusion that it is impracticable to enforce the law and the orders of the United States Court in Arkansas by the marshal. It is necessary to have a receiver for the coal mines; the mines had been blown up and the men who had been arrested had been taken from the United States Marshal by force."

Major McClure was selected by Secretary Garrison to command the troops going to Arkansas because of the way he had discharged his duties in connection with the mine strike in Colorado. It was expected that the troops would leave Chicago for Fort Smith, before tomorrow night.

FORT SMITH, Ark., Nov. 3.—Judge Frank A. Youmans is awaiting the arrival of Federal troops to quell disturbances among the miners in the Hartford Valley that culminated last Thursday in shooting up the Bache-Dennan mine camp at Prairie Creek and burning six houses.

While hundreds of shots were fired at that time and Deputy Marshals and employees of the receiver in bankruptcy, who is in charge of the company's mines, were driven off, no one was killed, as is known, was injured. The mines have not been operated since, and Franklin Bache-Dennan, who owned the day it was not likely that another attempt would be made to operate them until the Government had taken some action.

United States Marshal Parker says he has done all he can, but his small force of deputies is not coping with a body of men numbering two or three thousand, armed with high-power rifles. The first trouble in the Hartford Valley occurred on April 4, when the Bache-Dennan Company tried to operate its mine on the "open" plan. A large crowd of miners and sympathizers marched to the mine, assaulted the guards, drove them from the mine, and put out the fires under the boilers.

The company then obtained a Federal injunction prohibiting union miners and sympathizers from interfering with the operation of the mine. The court appointed Franklin Bache-Dennan receiver. On July 17, while the receiver was in the mine, the company's guards and miners were driven away, the tips of five mines were turned, and employees were killed, and their bodies cremated.

The situation in the valley was quiet until the only mine in the Hartford Valley, the Bache-Dennan mine, was closed. The receiver was then ordered to close the mine. The receiver was then ordered to close the mine.

CLANCY TO TESTIFY.

Ex-Wardens Expected to Appear at Sullivan Inquiry Today.

A meeting of the Executive Committee of the United Bank Depositors' Association at Brooklyn has been called for Friday evening to consider the report made to Gov. Glynn by State Supt. of Prisons Riley in the David A. Sullivan case, and to decide whether a formal complaint shall be lodged against Riley with the Governor. Dr. J. Ellis Bohrer, the Chairman, and other members of the committee seem to think that Supt. Riley's report on his investigation of the convicted banker's reported auto ride was an attempt to "whitewash" of Sing Sing officials.

It is expected that James M. Clancy, former Warden of Sing Sing, who has volunteered to witness in the Sullivan case, will appear before the committee. Clancy's investigation of Sullivan's activities, will appear before the Grand Jury today. The Grand Jury is alleged to have visited Flatbush in the Summer of 1913. Mr. Clancy, who was in charge of the prison at the time, has told Mr. Clancy that he knows of no trip to Brooklyn made by Sullivan. Mr. Clancy, who is a prominent politician of Westchester County, according to this story, Sullivan drove the car to New York City and on the return the party stopped at a roadside house in Tarrytown and had dinner there.

District Attorney Crosey took a day of rest from the Sullivan-Sing Sing investigation yesterday. He spent the afternoon on the golf links at Dyker Meadow.

GIRLS SEIZED BY THUGS.

Two Beaten by Gang Near Park Before Help Arrived.

May Miller, a milliner, of 12 East 110th Street, and May Kline of 24 East 100th Street were going home last night from a moving picture show in Eighth Avenue. Near the edge of the Park at 110th Street and Lenox Avenue two men jumped out from the shrubbery and seized the girls.

A moment later about a dozen other men, according to the girls' story, came running up, and the two girls were surrounded by the mob, which began to beat them and try to drag them off the sidewalk into the shrubbery. Miss Kline managed to get her hand on a button of the coat of one of the men, and she managed to raise a small whistle to her mouth and blow it. And Miss Miller screamed so loudly that passers-by on 110th Street heard her cries and came to the rescue.

As the approach of help the thugs let the girls go and ran south through the woods and got away. Miss Miller has been taken to the hospital, and the body of the police summoned Dr. Haskins, who took her to Harlem Hospital.

JERSEY MILITIA WEAK.

71% of the Companies Under the Minimum Strength Required.

Special to The New York Times.
TRENTON, N. J., Nov. 3.—Decline in the military spirit of the average young man of today is responsible, according to Adj. Gen. Wilbur F. Sadtler, Jr., for the increasing absenteeism in the National Guard of New Jersey. In his annual report, submitted to Gov. Wood, Sadtler said that the decline of the record of the strength of the organization of the guard at the date of the report was 71 per cent. The decline of the record of the strength of the organization of the guard at the date of the report was 71 per cent. The decline of the record of the strength of the organization of the guard at the date of the report was 71 per cent.

He adds that there has been a steady decrease each year since 1904, due, he doubts, to the many causes which the commanding officers have no control. He recommends that men physically below par be dismissed. There are 385 officers and 5,219 men in the guard.

EDISON AT WORK AGAIN.

Inventor Says He Must Make Up Time Lost on Vacation.

Special to The New York Times.
WEST ORANGE, N. J., Nov. 3.—Thomas A. Edison, Mrs. Edison, and their son, Charles Edison, returned today from a two weeks' stay with Henry Ford, the automobile manufacturer, at his home in Detroit. They went to the West Orange city by automobile, by returned by rail. Looking fresh and happy the noted inventor went directly to his laboratory, where he said: "I've neglected my work for two weeks. I must make up for it now. On my trip I made countless notes of experiments I want to carry out. Now I must accomplish some thing."

IN NEW JERSEY.

JERSEY CITY.—The twilight sleep was used at a Jersey City sanitarium in the case of Mrs. Anna Stadfeldt, 19 years, who became a mother yesterday morning. PORT LEE.—Joseph G. Moorcraft, arrested on charges of repeatedly deserting his wife, was released from Hudson County Jail yesterday on the plea of his wife, to whom he had expressed remorse.

WEST ORANGE.—Several hundred men living in the Watchung Heights district, who volunteered their services, evacuated a 125 feet long, 35 feet wide, and 8 feet deep trench for the new Church of Our Lady of Lourdes.

MONTCLAIR.—Many Montclair housewives are going to look for presents an extra afternoon off each week this winter so that they may attend courses in domestic science at Montclair.

OPEN NEW BUILDING FOR CRIPPLES' CLINIC

Patrons of Hospital for Deformities Dedicate Six-Story Dispensary.

MODERN AID FOR SUFFERERS

Jacob M. Schiff, in Address, Contrasts Institution's Mission of Mercy with Horrors of the War.

The new dispensary for the Hospital for Deformities and Joint Diseases, 41-43 East 123rd Street, a fine six-story building of light brown brick, well appointed and equipped with modern devices for the treatment of the deformed and suffering, was dedicated yesterday afternoon in the presence of several hundred friends and patrons. In the last few years this clinic, which has grown to be the largest of its kind in the world, undertakes the treatment not only of children, but of adult cripples, many of whom find it difficult to obtain necessary long treatment in other hospitals of the city.

Judge Julius M. Mayer, Chairman of the meeting, announced the receipt of a letter, including a check for \$1,000, from the Young Ladies and Gentlemen's League. He then introduced Dr. Abraham Jacob, who said he thought it probable that the people of the United States were beginning to think of the killing of thousands of men in battle as a matter of fact which would have its beneficial result in future generations.

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CARRANZA BALKS,
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Resists Election of Gutierrez
and Asserts Convention
Didn't Meet Terms.

SAYS LEADERS UPHOLD HIM

And Declares That Report of
His Resignation Was a
Telegraphic Error.

WAS VIRTUALLY DEPOSED

Villa Reported to Have Given His
Allegiance to Gutierrez—Carranza
Will Ignore Convention.

EL PASO, Nov. 3.—Gen. Carranza, in a message received here this afternoon, asserted that he would not abide by the action of the Aguascalientes convention in naming a Provisional President.

Gen. Carranza's signed statement as received by officials of the Constitutional Consul General's office here was telegraphed from Puebla. It said:

"The convention having not complied with the conditions that I fixed regarding my retirement from the duties I am performing as first chief, I have not taken into consideration the resolution of the said convention in regard to its appointment of a President who should take my place, and therefore I still continue to be in charge of my office.

This resolution of mine has been supported by the Government of the States. Among the officials joining in this action are Gen. Coss, P. Sanchez, A. Gonzalez, Ernesto Santos Coy, Pablo Gonzalez, and all leaders of the Division of the Northeast.

I have no doubt that the balance of the leaders who are in agreement with my attitude and will ignore the convention.

V. CARRANZA.

Carranza Receives Support.
Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. MEXICO CITY, Nov. 3.—Gen. Alvaro Obregon and other Commissioners of the Aguascalientes Convention, who are coming to inform Gen. Carranza of the convention's action in naming Gutierrez as Provisional President, stopped off at Queretaro, Gen. Pablo Gonzalez, at Queretaro and both he and the Governor of the State are loyal to Carranza. The Governors of Jalisco and Vera Cruz also have reaffirmed their loyalty to the first chief. The Governor of Michoacan, Gen. Sanchez, who arrived at the capital tonight, also is counted on. He probably will go to Puebla to confer with Carranza.

The Acting Foreign Minister left for Puebla tonight on a special train to confer with Carranza. Gen. Carranza, it is learned, has received numerous telegrams promising him support. In addition to Gen. Coss, Governor of Puebla, who has declared Carranza now is Gen. Maximo Rojas, Governor of Tlaxcala, has also repudiated the action of the convention. Carranza, it is learned, has similar assurances from the Governors of Queretaro and Guanajuato. The date of Carranza's return from Puebla is yet undecided. José Cardenas, the Mexican Minister to Washington, today handed to the Mexican Minister of Foreign Affairs the latest Washington cable, which was a reply to Carranza's communication asking Washington to fix a definite date for the evacuation of Vera Cruz.

The note, while disavowing any intention on the part of the American Government to occupy the territory of Mexico, was firm in the attitude that the central Government of Mexico was definitely the one to be recognized. Carranza, it is learned, has similar assurances from the Governors of Queretaro and Guanajuato. The date of Carranza's return from Puebla is yet undecided. José Cardenas, the Mexican Minister to Washington, today handed to the Mexican Minister of Foreign Affairs the latest Washington cable, which was a reply to Carranza's communication asking Washington to fix a definite date for the evacuation of Vera Cruz.

DOUGLAS, Ariz., Nov. 3.—Gen. Carranza never sent his resignation to the Aguascalientes convention, and the message to that effect received at Aguascalientes was a telegraphic error, Gen. Carranza says in a telegram to Gen. Benjamin Hill, his commander in Sonora.

In his telegram Carranza asserts that he still is the head of the Constitutional Army, and notifies Hill that he expects him to execute orders. Gen. Carranza in the telegram asserts that what he did say to the convention was that he was "willing to become an exile from Mexico, providing the same treatment were accorded to Villa and Zapata."

A message to Gen. Hill from his delegate at the convention, Julio Madero, said that the retirement of both Carranza and Villa had been accepted by the Committee on Resolutions, that it was now almost certain that the retirement of Gen. Madero would be recommended by the military forces under the command of the newly elected Provisional President.

The elimination of Zapata, Madero said, would be discussed soon at a meeting to be attended by all delegates from the southern portion of Mexico.

Convention Was Jubilant.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 3.—Acting Secretary of State Lansing today received advice by telegram from Consul General Canova, at Aguascalientes, saying that the convention assembled to select a Provisional President of Mexico had declared Gen. Eulalio Gutierrez duly elected to that office. Gutierrez received 58 votes to 37 for Gen. Juan Cabral. The announcement of the vote was received with great enthusiasm by the convention. Mr. Canova said, however, that Gutierrez is for a period of twenty days at the end of which time the Zapata delegates will have an opportunity to participate in an election for a longer term.

Advices received by the State Department from its agents as to the effect that Villa has pledged his allegiance to Gutierrez.

SAYS AUSTRIA SEEKS
A SEPARATE PEACE

Petrograd Report Predicts Important Moves at Vienna—Paris and London Tested.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. LONDON, Wednesday, Nov. 4.—The Standard's Petrograd correspondent says:

"In spite of Germany's threats, promises, and furious disgust, Austria, the Russian Government is informed, would only too gladly retire from the war if she could make terms with Russia direct, with the approval of Great Britain and France.

"The Russian Government is in communication on this subject with London and Paris, and important developments may shortly be expected. Berlin is exerting the strongest influences at Vienna, but as a fighting force the Austro-Hungarian army has practically ceased to exist. Ravages of disease have contributed even more than the Russian armies to bring about a desperate state of affairs in Austria-Hungary.

"Any arrangement Vienna makes with Petrograd would of course include Serbia. It is a question whether Austria-Hungary will not be compelled to capitulate ignominiously, if terms of peace cannot promptly be arranged to save her face. Her only alternative would appear to be a direct submission to Berlin. In that event it is doubtful whether German aid could long defer the occupation of Vienna by the Russian Army."

SAY GUARDED PATIENT
IS THE CROWN PRINCE

Strassburg People Thus Solve
Mystery of Wounded Man
at the Palace.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. BASLE, Nov. 3. (Dispatch to The London Daily Chronicle).—There is now a man in Strassburg to whose identity as much mystery attaches as to that of the man in the iron mask. He arrived wounded some days ago, and was received reverentially by the military Governor and other high officials.

At present he is accommodated in the palace, which is closely guarded. No servants are allowed to leave its precincts, and even two doctors who have taken up their residence in the palace, are never seen outside. The general impression at Strassburg is that the patient is the German Crown Prince.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. GENEVA, Nov. 3.—There have been rumors for the last two days at Basle that the German Crown Prince has been seriously wounded and is under treatment at the palace at Strassburg. The reports were verified tonight by several travelers arriving from Strassburg.

"FIGHTING FOR LIFE,"
KAISER'S PHRASE

Quoted as Predicting Victory
and a New Empire to
Rule the World.

LONDON, Nov. 3.—The Copenhagen correspondent of The Evening News has sent in a dispatch in which he says that a German subject who heard Emperor William on a recent occasion when he addressed his troops quotes his Majesty as follows:

"We are now fighting for the life of Germany. They wish to kill Germany; but I say if we win—and we must win—a new empire shall arise more splendid than the world ever saw—a new Roman Empire which shall rule the world, and the world shall be happy."

IMPERIAL BANK ADDS
\$150,000,000 IN GOLD

Increase in Three Months Brings
the Total Reserve to
\$482,000,000.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. LONDON, Nov. 3.—The latest statement of the German Imperial Bank announces that its gold reserve during three months of war has increased \$150,000,000 (\$150,000,000). The total reserve is now \$482,000,000 (\$482,000,000).

The bank deposits of over \$500,000,000 more gold than there was in its vaults on Nov. 1, 1911, when the state of the German money market made war over Morocco impracticable.

BERLIN, Nov. 3. (Via Rome).—The Reichsbank's weekly return makes a relatively satisfactory impression. The aggregate depreciation in the standing was only 57,804,000 marks, (\$14,341,000), as compared with 236,850,000 marks, (\$59,212,500), in the corresponding week last year.

The reserve of metal and other currency against the note circulation rose to 66.18 per cent., as compared with 65.6 per cent. in the previous week. Although the second installment of the war loan was paid during the week, the payment had been anticipated to so great extent that the increase in the loan on bank notes reached only 224,700,000 marks.

About 80 per cent. of the war loan has already been paid, which is considerably above the amount called for. The gold stock continues growing from some supplies.

BRITISH-FRENCH
WARSHIPS SHELL
DARDANELLES

Attack by Combined Squadron
at Long Range—A Fort Apparently Blown Up.

ENGLISH BOMBARD AKABAH

Arabian Port Afterward Occupied by Men from the
Cruiser Minerva.

TURKISH WARSHIPS SUNK

Two Gunboats Which Were Trying
to Seize American Ships at Smyrna
Destroyed by British Vessels.

LONDON, Wednesday, Nov. 4.—Two important naval operations against Turkey are announced. A British and French squadron has bombarded the Dardanelles, and a British cruiser has bombarded the fortified town of Akabah, Arabia, afterward sending landing parties to occupy the town.

The Secretary of the Admiralty last night stated that a combined British and French squadron bombarded the Dardanelles at long range at daybreak yesterday. The forts replied, but no ships were hit, only one shot falling alongside them.

The statement adds that the damage to the forts cannot be estimated, but that a great explosion, accompanied by dense volumes of black smoke, occurred at the Holles Fort.

Another announcement made by the Admiralty yesterday was as follows: Upon arriving at Akabah the British cruiser Minerva, Capt. Percival Warleigh, found the place occupied by soldiers and armed natives. One of the soldiers had the appearance of a German officer.

The Minerva then shelled the port and the troops. The town was evacuated, and landing parties from the Minerva proceeded to destroy the forts, the barracks, the Post Office, and the stores.

There was some loss to the enemy, but no British casualties. Akabah is on an arm of the Red Sea at the head of the Gulf of Akabah, 150 miles east of Suez.

The Athens correspondent of The Daily Telegraph sends the following dispatch: "British destroyers on Tuesday were obliged to interfere outside the entrance to the Gulf of Smyrna to save two American steamers whose fires two Turkish gunboats were trying to put out with the intention of retaining the ships."

"In the ensuing conflict the Turkish vessels were sunk." A dispatch to The Daily Mail from Cairo says:

"The Turkish troops are reported near the border, which they have not crossed. The British are fully prepared to repulse an invasion, thanks to the measures taken by the Government."

"The public in Egypt are calm and not even aware of a Turco-Russian rupture. A press censorship will be established tomorrow, (Tuesday)." A dispatch reaching London from Constantinople says that several hundred more German officers have just arrived there. A majority of them, it is stated, are families with the Turkish army organization, having been employed in the Ottoman capital before.

RUSSIANS INVADE ARMENIA.

Turks Say They Were Repulsed—Orders by Caucasus Viceroy.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. PETROGRAD, Monday, Nov. 2. (Dispatch to The London Morning Post.)

Count Vorontsoff Daskhoff, Viceroy of the Caucasus, under date of Oct. 29, has issued the following orders to the army of the Caucasus:

"The Turk have treacherously attacked our coast towns and ships of the Black Sea Fleet."

"By his Majesty's command I am ordered to consider Russia at war with Turkey, and the troops of the Caucasus Army under my command are to cross the frontier and attack the Turks."

I have repeatedly, since the beginning of the war, noted that Russia had taken into account all possible eventualities. The Turkish ships bombarded Russian Black Sea undefended coast towns the night before, Oct. 28, and the Emperor's orders to his troops to cross the Turkish frontier were issued the following day.

Nothing whatever was allowed to leak out here until today.

Afternoon I hear murmurs of something of the highest importance having occurred in the Black Sea, but the rumor is too indistinct to make anything of, even if the censorship now in force had permitted one to do so.

BRITISH LOSE TWO SHIPS IN FIGHT OFF CHILE,
LOSE A SUBMARINE IN NORTH SEA BATTLE;
KAISER'S TROOPS FALL BACK FROM THE YSER

FLEETS CLASH IN PACIFIC

Five German Cruisers Win
Against Four British
Warships.

MONMOUTH AND CREW LOST

Good Hope, Admiral Cradock's
Flagship, Afire, and Probably
Destroyed.

GLASGOW FLEES TO HARBOR

Three German Cruisers Anchor
Off Valparaiso with Report
of Battle on Sunday.

VALPARAISO, Chile, Nov. 3.—The German warships Gneisenau, Scharnhorst, Nürnberg, Leipzig, and Bremen on Sunday attacked the British fleet off Corneil, Chile.

The British cruiser Monmouth was sunk.

The cruiser Good Hope was very badly damaged, and, as she was on fire, she is supposed to have been lost. The British cruiser Glasgow, also badly damaged, took refuge in the harbor of Corneil, and is now bottled up.

The German armored cruisers Scharnhorst and Gneisenau and the small cruiser Nürnberg anchored at midday today in Valparaiso Harbor, uninjured.

Battle Fought in Rain.

Admiral Graf Von Spee, commander of the German fleet in Pacific waters, arrived here this morning and made the following report of the engagement which took place off Corneil Sunday evening:

"On Sunday, Nov. 1, between 6 and 7 o'clock, in the evening, during a heavy rain and rough weather off Corneil, we sighted the British men-of-war Good Hope, Monmouth, and Glasgow and the transport Otranto."

"An engagement ensued immediately. All the ships opened a brisk cannonade with all their artillery."

"The action lasted nearly one hour and it was only discontinued at nightfall. The English were forced to give way. The Good Hope was so badly damaged that she was unable to resist and could only make her escape, protected by the darkness. Between her funnels the result of the big explosion could be detected."

"The Monmouth, under identical conditions, tried to escape, but was followed by a small cruiser and sunk with a few shots."

"Owing to the hurricane that was blowing no boats could be lowered, and consequently there was a terrible loss of life."

"It is supposed that the Glasgow and the Otranto, which were badly damaged, were able to make their escape owing to their speed and the darkness."

"The Germans suffered little or no damage. Only two men wounded were reported in the Gneisenau crew."

In naval circles it is said that the action took place twenty miles off St. Maria Island, whence the flashes of the guns could be seen, but no detonations heard.

The Germans opened fire at 9,000 metres, and the English when they came within 6,000 metres of the enemy. They already had been very badly damaged. The Monmouth received a terrible broadside, according to the naval officials, and this, combined with the hurricane, soon resulted in her sinking.

Good Hope Probably Lost.
The Good Hope escaped on fire, but shortly afterward a terrific explosion was heard, and her loss is considered certain. The Glasgow escaped to Talcahuano, badly damaged.

The Germans say the English fought heroically, but that their artillery was ineffective. It is believed here that the British were attacked by the complete German flying fleet.

Armed transports and the cruisers Leipzig and Bremen are keeping watch off Talcahuano to capture or sink the Glasgow should she attempt to escape. If the Glasgow does not come out of the harbor it is said that she will be dismantled and interned. The German fleet will leave here tomorrow. Its destination is not known.

It is reported that a powerful Anglo-Japanese fleet is on its way to South Pacific waters.

All British steamers in this vicinity are remaining at anchor temporarily as the result of the naval battle.

perforated in various parts by shells during the battle, but the injuries they sustained were of no consequence.

All Lost on the Monmouth.

SANTIAGO, Chile, Nov. 3.—All hands are reported to have perished when the British cruiser Monmouth took her plunge beneath the sea after thirty minutes of fighting with the Germans off Corneil, according to advices received here.

The battle was a terrific one while it lasted, and as darkness gathered the Good Hope seemed to be on fire, following a terrible burst of flame from her, which seemed to indicate that an explosion had occurred on board.

The Glasgow is reported to have arrived in Corneil Bay in a very bad condition. The Otranto escaped to Puerto Montt.

The German ships arrived in Valparaiso today to take on board coal and provisions. They will leave there tomorrow morning, having suffered no mishaps. Only a very few of the men of the German crews were wounded.

The battle has caused a tremendous sensation here.

Off to Catch British Steamer.

LONDON, Wednesday, Nov. 4.—A dispatch to Reuters' Telegram Company from Santiago, Chile, says:

"The German cruisers Scharnhorst, Gneisenau, and Nürnberg arrived at Valparaiso Monday, and after provisioning, left during the night, it is believed with the object of capturing a British steamer, which had left Coquimbo for Valparaiso."

BATTLE LONG EXPECTED.

Two German Warships Had Been Active Since the War Began.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 3.—Today's action between British and German cruisers in the South Pacific has been expected since the first days of the war, when for days the German cruisers Leipzig and Nürnberg maintained a patrol off this port.

For a time they showed themselves only elusively, hoping to convey the impression that the British were in the vicinity, but an inbound ship came upon the two together, and thereafter they were seen openly.

The Leipzig was coaled here before she started; the Nürnberg took on coal at the Good Hope's anchorage.

For several weeks nothing has been known here as to the exact whereabouts of these vessels. The Scharnhorst and Dresden are believed to have come from the Far East.

Several weeks ago it was announced that an English fleet had entered Pacific waters hunting for the Germans.

REPORT MADE TO BERNSTORFF

The Bristol Mentioned as One of the

British Craft Engaged.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 3.—Bernstorff, German Ambassador, announced at midnight the receipt of a message from the German Minister to Chile, in which he reported that three men, five German cruisers fought a battle Sunday off Corneil, Chile, with our British ships.

The Monmouth, the advices said, was sunk, and the Good Hope was so badly damaged that she was unable to resist and could only make her escape, protected by the darkness.

The British Embassy has received no report of the second battle.

BATTLE OF POWERFUL SHIPS.

Scharnhorst, Gneisenau, and Good

Hope Are Large Vessels.

The German armored cruisers Scharnhorst and Gneisenau are sister ships, and are the only two of their class. They are about a mean speed of 22 knots, although the Gneisenau has made 24.8 knots, but her sister ship has fallen far below that, being officially rated as having a speed of about 21 knots. Each cruiser has a displacement of 11,000 tons, is 450 feet on the waterline, and has a beam of 71 feet and carries 765 men. Their guns and armor are as follows: There are eight 8.2-inch guns in the main battery, with six 6-inch guns in the secondary battery, and twenty 24-pounders and four machine guns in the auxiliary battery.

The British squadron, of which Rear Admiral Sir Christopher Cradock was in command, was one of the older vessels of the British Navy, having been launched thirteen years ago. The Good Hope was the largest vessel engaged, having a displacement of 14,000 tons. She was 500 feet long, 65 feet beam, and carried 1,000 men. Her armament consisted of two 12-inch guns in turrets fore and aft, sixteen 6-inch, fourteen 3-inch, three 3-pounders, and two torpedoes.

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Summary of War News

Great Britain suffered heavily on the seas yesterday in naval engagements. In the battle off the Chilean coast five German warships attacked four British cruisers, resulting in the sinking of the British cruiser Monmouth, the damaging of the cruiser Good Hope, and the disabling of the cruiser Glasgow. Three of the German vessels are reported to have anchored undamaged outside Valparaiso, while the other two, the cruisers Leipzig and Bremen, have not been heard from.

In the North Sea the British submarine D-5 was sunk by a mine thrown out by a German cruiser, which was being chased by several British warships.

The German fleet has come out from its base, according to a dispatch from Dover, which also says that four battleships and four cruisers have put to sea from Kiel.

The French War Office announced that the Germans had abandoned the left bank of the Yser River below Dixmude, and that the Allies have taken possession of points on the river where crossings could be made. The Germans have gained ground east of Vailly, on the centre, while the Allies have checked further advances in the Argonne region.

The Germans admitted that their forces were being flooded out of the region along the Yser, but asserted that their attacks on Ypres were progressing, 2,300 British prisoners and many cannon having been taken. Severe fighting west of Rooye and east of Soissons was reported, and successes were claimed in both regions.

Fighting between the Turkish forces and the Russians is reported to have taken place near Trebizond, with a victory for the Turks. A British cruiser shelled and occupied the Turkish fortified town of Akabah, on the Red Sea. The Turkish Ambassador has left the Russian capital.

The Czar has left for the front, accompanied by his War Minister. He is reported to have told a Chamber of Commerce meeting that Russia will not end the war until she has pierced the heart of German soil.

A German official report states that fighting in Poland continues, but no details of recent engagements are available. The Austrians are said to be pressing forward in the region between Start-Sambor and Turka. Further successes for the Austrians against the Serbians are claimed.

GERMANS IN RAID
ON BRITISH COAST

Kaiser's Squadron, Including
Some Big Ships, Steals
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CRUISER DROPS MINES

One Falls in Path of the D-5—
Halcyon, British Patrol
Ship, in Lively Fight.

LONDON, Nov. 3.—The British submarine D-5 was sunk in the North Sea early this morning by a mine which was thrown out by a German cruiser which was retreating before British cruisers. Two officers and two men of the submarine were saved.

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The report says a German squadron fired on the British gunboat Halcyon, which was patrolling, wounding one man.

"Various naval movements were made," the report continues, "as a result of which the Germans retreated rapidly, and, although shadowed by the light cruisers, they could not be brought into a sea action."

"The rearmost German cruiser, in her retirement, threw out a number of mines, and the submarine was sunk by one of these."

The Exchange Telegraph Company's Lowestoft correspondent says:

"One of the survivors of the submarine has been landed here, and a number of other survivors were picked up by a trawler."

"At midday the action was still in progress."

"The British gunboat Halcyon was struck by a number of shells and clouds of smoke arose from her. Those on the trawler thought she was sinking, but she was not seriously damaged, and after she had discharged one or two shots at them the German vessels steamed away at full speed."

Big German Ships Took Part.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. YARMOUTH, England, Nov. 3. (Dispatch to The London Daily Chronicle.)

The shaking of windows and the heavy thud of guns awakened the people of Yarmouth this morning. They hurried to the sea front, which soon was crowded with inquisitive sightseers. Although there was very much to be heard there was very little to be seen. Over the sunlit waters there was a thick haze that shut out the mysterious beyond.

Gradually the sound of firing deepened, and by about 7:15 o'clock it was very heavy and constant. It died away some time about 8 o'clock.

No ships could be seen, but at one period the effect of the firing was visible on the water. Great fountains of water sprang up where shells dropped, some two miles from the beach. Occasionally three or four of these cascades were in view at one time.

The gradual increase of the detonations and their gradual diminution seemed to point to its being a running engagement. Proceeding along the coast about 7:15 o'clock we could distinctly see flashes of fire through the mist, which hung on the horizon, although no ships could be distinguished.

The territorial troops were called out, and a detachment of them marched down to the marine parade with fixed bayonets at about 5:30 this evening, when H. M. S. Halcyon, an old cruiser engaged in fishery protection duties, steamed out Lowestoft. Her wireless

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"The British gunboat Halcyon was struck by a number of shells and clouds of smoke arose from her. Those on the trawler thought she was sinking, but she was not seriously damaged, and after she had discharged one or two shots at them the German vessels steamed away at full speed."

Big German Ships Took Part.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. YARMOUTH, England, Nov. 3. (Dispatch to The London Daily Chronicle.)

CZAR SAYS GERMANY MUST BE CRUSHED

No Peace, He Tells Merchants, Till Russians Reach the Heart of the Fatherland.

AGAIN GOES TO THE FRONT

His Armies Continue to Advance in East Prussia and Poland—Kaiser's Estate Occupied.

PETROGRAD, Nov. 3.—Emperor Nicholas today left for the front, accompanied by Gen. Soukhomlinoff, the Minister of War.

An official communication from the Russian General Staff, made public to-night, says:

On the East Prussian front the German army has advanced in some districts, and in one place have taken two guns, a searchlight, and a number of prisoners.

Beyond the Vistula to the north-west of Pultava, our troops have advanced without any considerable fighting and have occupied Schack, Lank, and Rosprza. On the front from Radociszew and Kielce the enemy is retreating in the direction of Wloclawek.

At Andzjew, further to the south of Kielce, the Austrians made a more stubborn stand, but were repulsed along the greater part of the front. They lost three cannon, five machine guns, and 1,500 prisoners. They maintain their positions only on the lower part of Opatowska River.

On the lower San River our troops continue to cross to the other side. They have taken the village of Malce and a fortified position further to the north of Rasadow. They have captured two guns and some machine guns. In the region of Lisko fierce fighting continues. In that section we have taken 250 prisoners.

There is no important change on the rest of the front.

LONDON, Nov. 3.—A dispatch from Moscow to Reuter's Telegram Company says that Emperor Nicholas in telegraphing his greeting to the Merchants' Association, on the occasion of the opening of its session, said:

Peace only is possible when Russia reaches the heart of German soil. This is the unanimous opinion of all Muscovites. Any apprehension of peace being concluded before the enemy is completely crushed is the possession of his enemies.

The Star publishes a dispatch from its Petrograd correspondent in which he says that the Russians are now securely established inside the East Prussian frontier.

Emperor William's thirty miles of barbed wire fences around his big game preserve at Rominten, the correspondent goes on, are now in the possession of his enemies.

The correspondent of Reuter's Telegram Company in the borderland sends the following:

A telegram from Budapest states that in the engagement fought near Turka, Galicia, the Austrians took 2,700 prisoners, among whom were numerous officers and monks.

PARIS, Nov. 3.—In its official announcement this evening the General Staff says:

The Germans continue to retreat. The Russians occupy Lenczyca, Loda, Opatow, and Opatow.

In Galicia, the Russian success is reported near Lestera and Madworoca. Numbers of prisoners have been taken as well as war material.

"The Russians have advanced to the west of Wladyslaw (East Prussia)."

BERLIN, Nov. 3. (By Wireless Telegram to Sayville, N. Y.)—The fighting in Poland continues, but no details of recent engagements are as yet available, according to reports reaching here from Vienna. It is not even known as yet whether these engagements have assumed important proportions. The Austrians are still pressing forward in the region between Star-Sambor and Turka.

The Austrian advance in the Maova region in Serbia is today not meeting with strong resistance. The Austrians have crossed the Subotica-Genica Railroad and have stormed Subotica.

The information given out to the press from official quarters today includes the following:

"The correspondent of the London Times at Warsaw, after visiting the battlefields of Poland, declares that the Germans have not been revenge for the Russian atrocities in East Prussia."

PRZEMYSL'S FALL EXPECTED.

News in Athens That Russian Capture of Austrian Fortress Is Near.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. ATHENS, Nov. 3. (Dispatch to the London Daily Telegraph.)—The Russian Minister has communicated to me a telegram which he has just received announcing as imminent the fall of the Austrian fortress of Przemyśl.

This news comes also from Austrian sources.

ALLIES' WARSHIPS SHELL DARDANELLES

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eral points, but were compelled to retire. The Russians suffered losses through the energetic resistance of the Turkish troops."

LONDON, Nov. 3.—A Reuter dispatch from Tiflis, capital of the Russian Government of the same name in Transcaucasia, says:

"It is announced that the Emperor has ordered the Caucasian army to cross the frontier and attack the Turks."

SUEZ CANAL IS THREATENED.

German Officers with a Camel Corps—Agitators Sent to Egypt.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. ALEXANDRIA, Egypt, Monday, Nov. 2. (Dispatch to the London Morning Post.)—Lieut. Gen. Sir John Maxwell today announced that the British Government had charged him with the military control of Egypt, and declared the country to be under martial law.

Official advice from Turkey seem to show that a Turkish campaign against Egypt has been definitely decided upon. On the Turkish-Egyptian frontier a camel corps numbering nearly 1,000 is being concentrated.

The staff comprises ten German officers, and the point of attack appears to be on the west side of the Suez Canal, forty-six miles south of Port Said.

Nine German officers, with a force of non-commissioned officers and marines, are being employed in the transport of dynamite to the Syrian coast nearest to Egypt.

Various agitators are being sent to Egypt to stir up the Mussulmans. The natives' attitude is apparently one of indifference.

Admiral Sir John Jellicoe, who was summoned to Cairo yesterday, when they promised assistance in the defense of Egypt.

DIE NOT ABSOLUTELY CAST.

Still a Remote Chance of Peace Despite All the Fighting.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. LONDON, Nov. 3.—Strange as it may seem, the British Government is not yet absolutely certain that Turkey is in the war beyond recall.

There is still a slight hope that Turkey will repudiate the action of the warships, and remain out of the war.

It appears that there is a strong pacifist faction in the Turkish Cabinet, which is endeavoring to overthrow Enver Pasha and the belligerent clique that has caused the demonstrations of British power will strengthen the hands of the peace party at Constantinople by impressing the war-seeking faction with the fact that England is not a negligible quantity in the situation.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. PARIS, Nov. 3.—The majority of the French newspapers affect to believe that the Turkish attacks on Russia were due to an attempt by German officers to force the hand of the Constantinople Government, which had not authorized such action, but ex-Foreign Minister Pichon, in an editorial article in the Petit Journal, calls attention to the fact that the Turkish aggression follows exactly parallel lines to the German behavior at the commencement of hostilities. He says:

"In falsely asserting that Russia was guilty of the first offensive the Turks are following the example of their German masters, who alleged falsely that a French aeroplane had bombed Nuremberg and that Russians had crossed the Prussian frontier."

"Even Turkey is not likely to dare suggest that the threatened cavalry move against Egypt is due to a British invasion of the Sinai peninsula."

The Petit Journal, like the rest of the press, comments with gratification on the tranquility of Morocco, as indicated in a Teletype dispatch describing the favorable reception by a large gathering of natives of Gen. Lyautier's speech in the Rabat market place. The similar absence of trouble in India is also favorably mentioned.

TEXT OF TURKISH "APOLOGY."

Russia Accused of Starting Hostilities—Sazonoff's Reply.

LONDON, Nov. 3.—A Reuter dispatch from Petrograd says:

"The telegram from the Grand Vizier was read to Foreign Minister Sazonoff by the Turkish Chargé d'Affaires. It said:

"Convey to M. Sazonoff our deep regret at the rupture of the good relations between the two powers, which have been caused by the hostile acts of the Russian fleet. You can assure the Imperial Russian Government that the Sublime Porte will not fail to seek an opportune solution of this question, and will take all measures to prevent a repetition of such incidents."

"The Ottoman Government has decided to forbid the Turkish fleet to enter the Black Sea. We hope in turn near our littoral."

"In the interests of both countries, I firmly hope that the Imperial Russian Government will show in this affair the same spirit of conciliation."

"Foreign Minister Sazonoff, in his reply, formally denied that the Russian fleet had been the first to undertake hostilities, and expressed the belief that it was now too late to enter into negotiations of any kind. Turkey had immediately expelled all German military and naval officers in Turkey who it had been possible to enter into negotiations with a view to providing satisfaction for those who had suffered by the Russian acts of aggression on the Russian coast."

"As the declaration of the Turkish Chargé altered nothing in the existing situation, the Russian Foreign Minister informed him that he would receive his passports on Monday."

RUSSIAN MOSLEMS LOYAL.

Join with Others in Message to Czar—Turks Being Arrested.

PETROGRAD, Nov. 3.—Telegrams received here from Tiflis, the capital and administrative seat of the Caucasus, report great demonstrations of all ranks and nationalities before the palace of the Governor-General, all the manifestants shouting their allegiance to Russia.

A regiment of 5,000 Armenian cavalry, formed on the first evidence of Turkey's hostility toward Russia, is being augmented continually by large numbers of new recruits.

At a special session of the Tiflis City Council, Russian, Armenian, Georgian, and other leaders voted solidly in union with the Nationalists against the traitorous onslaught of the Turks against the common fatherland."

PARIS, Nov. 3.—The Havas Agency has received a dispatch from its correspondent at Baku saying that 10,000 Mohammedans assembled in the great mosque at Baku to express their adherence to Russia.

Among the crowd were a number of officers and other leaders. After prayers for the health of the Emperor and victory over all the enemies of the great Russian fatherland, the manifestants drew up an address to the local Governor requesting him to convey to the Emperor their assurances of their property and their lives in the hands of Russia against her old and new enemies.

HEARS EGYPT IS DISAFFECTED.

Rome Paper Quoted in Berlin—Turkish Invasion Reported.

BERLIN, Nov. 3. (By Wireless Telegram to Sayville, N. Y.)—The Matinee, published in Rome, says it has received reports from Egypt to the effect that the sentiment of the local population is strongly anti-British and that the Indian troops in Egypt sympathize with the Turks.

Reports reaching Berlin from Athens state that 15,000 Turkish troops are already in Egypt and that the Turkish soldiers marching against Russia are alleged to number 300,000.

The foregoing information was given to the press in Berlin today.

CZAR ISSUES A MANIFESTO.

Says Turkey's Ill-Advised Action Will Only Hasten Her End.

LONDON, Nov. 3.—An Imperial manifesto on the outbreak of the war with Turkey has been issued in Petrograd, according to the correspondent of Reuter's Telegram Company in the Russian capital. It reads as follows:

"In the sterile struggle against Russia, Germany and Austria have invited Turkey into taking arms against this Empire. Immediately after the treacherous attack of the Turkish fleet the Russian Ambassador received orders to leave the country."

"Russia will receive this fresh aggression on the part of the ancient persecutor of the Christian religion and the Slav peoples with tranquility and confidence in God. The valiant armies of Russia will triumph once again, not for the first time, over the Turkish hordes. Once again we will know how to punish the insolent foe of our Fatherland."

"Our confidence is unshakable that the ill-advised intervention of Turkey will only hasten the fatal end of that Empire, and will open the way for the Russian settlement of problems on the Black Sea coast which have been handed down by our ancestors."

BERLIN IS WATCHING.

Has a Report That British Cruisers Sunk a Greek Torpedo Boat.

BERLIN, Nov. 3. (By Wireless to Sayville, N. Y.)—The news from the Levant is being followed here with the greatest interest. Although war has not actually been declared, according to Constantinople advices fighting has begun on the Caucasian frontier. The Russians are described as the aggressors.

According to information given out to the press today British cruisers have sent a Greek torpedo boat to the bottom, mistaking her for a Turkish vessel. This incident occurred near Tonia.

Other information given out by the official bureau is as follows:

"Greece has resolved to maintain her neutrality, and Bulgaria is not taking a hostile attitude."

"The Belgian Minister of War said to the correspondent of The Tribuna of Rome that the Belgian Army was in a wretched condition, and that the men were exhausted and disorganized."

"The German Emperor returned yesterday to Berlin from a visit to a hospital in the East. She spent some time in the Socialist Lazaretto at Koenigsberg."

PERSIANS ATTACK GERMANS.

Consul Assaulted and Archives of Turkish Consulate Sent to Russia.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 3.—The German Consul at Tabriz, Persia, was assaulted and took refuge in the American Consulate with other panic-stricken German subjects, according to a message to the American Government late today from Minister Caldwell at Teheran.

American Consul Paddock at Tabriz is extending temporary refuge and protection to the German subjects, but the Russians in Persia are threatening to arrest and expel all Germans.

The Persian authorities have gathered up the archives of the Turkish Consulate at Tabriz and sent them to Petrograd.

SERBIA BREAKS WITH PORTE.

Minister at Constantinople Asks for His Passports.

LONDON, Nov. 3.—"A Constantinople dispatch states that Serbia today severed diplomatic relations with Turkey, and the Serbian Minister asked for his passports," says the Rome correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph Company.

TURKEY BARS FLIGHT OF HOSTILE ALIENS

Special Train for French and British Canceled by the Minister of War.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 3.—Until definite guarantees are given by Russia, England, and France for the protection of Turkish subjects, the Ottoman Empire will hold practically as hostages all subjects of the Triple Entente powers within its territory. This was revealed in a cablegram from American Ambassador Morgenthau to the State Department here, dated Constantinople last Sunday.

Assurances already had been given by the British Ambassador that Turks in Egypt, as well as the British Empire generally, would be permitted to leave if they desired. The dispatch indicated, however, that the American Ambassador, who is co-operating with the Italian Ambassador in the charge of Russian interests, was confronted with a delicate task. A special train which was to have left Sunday night with panic-stricken British and French subjects was detained by order of the Turkish Minister of War, Mr. Morgenthau said he hoped to persuade the War Office to release the train on Monday.

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THE WAR SITUATION.

BY THE MILITARY EXPERT OF THE NEW YORK TIMES.
(An Associate Editor of The Army and Navy Journal.)

Last night's news that the French were fighting on the Sella River, on the Lorraine border, means more than a local advantage. It means that the Allies have been able to hold back the Germans all along the line, and still have troops left over to push back the German southern flank. In view of the deadlock along the line in the north it seems very probable that the French will resort to an advance through Lorraine in an effort to bring such pressure on the German flank that they will have to fall back and evacuate French territory.

The French military authorities in their essays on a possible war with Germany have nearly always provided for a counterstroke by way of the Saar River. Consequently it is but natural that the present commanders should give importance to an effort to accomplish this strategic move. The entry of Great Britain into the war has changed the conditions, in that the navy and her troops make for a strong force on the Allies' northern flank. Also the fire of the shadow-draught gunboats enables the Allies to keep the Germans back from the coast, so that they always have a zone open for an advance in this field. It is not improbable that when the Allies decide to assume the aggressive they will make demonstrations both along the North Sea coast and against the German forces on the southern flank. The development of weakness on either flank would then lead to pressing the campaign in that field.

Yesterday's fighting consisted in the completion of the discomfiture of the German forces that had crossed the Yser. The Germans are delivering attacks near Dixmude, Ypres, Arras, Albert, Ailly, Rheims, and in the Argonne district. In short, they are attacking all along the line. They have invariably been their policy when attempting some important strategic move. By spreading out the enemy's attention all along the line they hope to divert it from the critical point.

The plan has not developed sufficiently as yet to show its real object, but it is undoubtedly based on the arrival at the western front of the reinforcements furnished by the new class of reservists that is now being sent to the front.

When Germany called into training at the beginning of the war the boys of 19 and 19 gained from these services a force of over 1,000,000 trained men. These recruits have been put through a strenuous course of drills, marches, and target practice, and are now, after three months, sufficiently trained to serve at the front, provided they can be under the oversight of older, experienced men. Germany's large body of trained soldiers enables her to absorb in her army without damage an influx of raw troops that would destroy the fighting spirit of the veterans.

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MANUAL SCORES ON FLUKE.

Gets One Touchdown, but Loses to Erasmus, 13 to 7.

Erasmus Hall had a comparatively

at Ebbets Field yesterday, and the dark blue team would not have scored had it not been for a "fluke," in which the Erasmus players showed themselves woefully ignorant of the rules of the game. The score was 12 to 7.

line at the start of the second half and Carmine fell on the ball back of the line. Several Erasmus players had an opportunity to fall on the ball, but failed to do so, apparently thinking that when the ball went over the goal line it became dead and was automatically made a touchback. As all the Manualu players were on side when the ball was kicked, any of them had the right to take the ball and the referee decided to let Erasmus have it.

After getting this very score, Manualu showed a flash of brilliant play, and after the kick-off, carried the ball down to the Erasmus goal line, but were held there for downs. The biggest part of the distance to

On straight football, the Erasmus team far outclassed their opponents. They made their first touchdown within the first three minutes of play on a series of straight line plunges and sweeps. The first was by Tom Thompson. Olson made one run of 35 yards to the goal line, but the referee declared that he stepped off side and the ball was sent back to the 22-yard

line. From there, Olson brought the ball to the end zone and brought it back to the line. Manual's three-yard line. After three unsuccessful attempts, Olson finally carried the ball to the goal on a run through the line.

Manual's lucky touchdown at the score of the second half evened up the score. Olson's second goal was good and a touchdown in the last quarter. Using straight football all the way they carried the ball almost the entire length of the field. The score:

	Dracmus.	Position.	Manual.
Sonville (1).....	L. E.	Goalpost (8)	
Mesley (2).....	L. C.	Center (1)	
Wright (3).....	R. T.	Right Tackle (1)	
Glenn (3).....	R. C.	Right Guard (1)	
Peters (3).....	R. T.	Right Tackle (1)	
Flint (3).....	R. T.	Right Tackle (1)	
Hirschman (3).....	L. B.	Left Tackle (1)	
Thompson (3).....	L. B.	Left Tackle (1)	
Thompson (3).....	L. B.	Left Tackle (1)	
Olson (1).....	R. H. B.	Running Back (1)	
Substitutions:	Dracmus-Bard for Peters		

Barnard for Feuerstein. Manilla—Egan to
Hinch, Eckhoff for Egan. Touchdown—
Olson, Canizales, Thomkins. Goal from
touchdown—Olson. Weller. Referee—Capt.
George Beavers, West Point. Umpire—Al-
bert Farrier, Dartmouth. Field judge and
head linesman—J. C. A. Hennessey. Brown
Time—Four 15-minute periods.

Goal—Scores of League Matches.

In spite of the fact that they held their opponents in good shape during the first half and actually established a lead of 1 to 0, Columbia's soccer players were defeated in the match played against the eleven of the Bensonhurst Field Club at South Field yesterday morning. The visitors won out by the score of 2 goals to 1. The line-up:

Columbia.	Positions.	Bensonhurst.
Buermyer.	Goal.	Rangbe.
Wright.	Right back.	Reid.
Schwartz.		Miller.
Shanolt.	Left back.	De Gruch.
Wright.	Right half.	Baykitt.
Land.	Center half.	Taylor.
Nadler.	Left half.	Macfie.

Riggs.....	Outside right	Grado
Peck.....	Inside right	Per
Leung.....	Centre	Ha
Welling.....	Inside left	Lawlor
Fernandez.....	Outside left	Spect
Referee—William Heil.	Linesmen—Dr. Mo	
Ausland and Schwartz.	Goals—Columb	
Leguardia; Bensonhurst, Hall, Lawlor. Sub		
stitute—H. Shanholt for Schwartz. Time o		

halves—Forty-five minutes each.
On Nov. 10 Columbia will play Princeton at Princeton.

Chief rivals for first honors in the Field Club League, the soccer eleven of the Crescent Athletic Club and the Staten Island Cricket and Tennis Club, had it out at the latter institution yesterday afternoon without a score. Line-up:

Staten Isl'd. (0.) Position. Crescent. (0.)
Coyington.....Goal.....Coyington
Sindall.....Right half.....Doddrell
.....Right back.....Charlowe
Smith.....Right half.....McClellan
Bannull.....Centre half.....MacNenna
Kistler.....Left half.....Humphrey

Zoner.....	Outside right.....	Taylor.....
Evans.....	Inside right.....	Jackman.....
Macpherson.....	Centre.....	Jefferson.....
Menzies.....	Inside left.....	Phillips.....
Kaufmann.....	Outside left.....	Referee—Mr. Chalmers.
Linesmen—Messrs. Ralfo and Blannphin.		
Time of game—Forty-five-minute halves.		

[illegible]

The Clan MacDonalds defeated the Brooklyn Celtics at Marquette Oval in Brooklyn by the score of 2 goals to 1. Lever of the MacDonalds shot the only goal obtained by the first half.—After ends had been changed, D. Ross made the clansmen 2 up. Two minutes from the finish last year's cup tie finalists, who are still in the A. F. A. cup tie this year, saved themselves from a white wash through a timely shot on the part of

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Fourth Avenue Methodist.....	12 10 17 19-24

R. L. SPOTTS HIGH GUN.

scratch. He negotiated the four miles in 20 minutes 27 seconds, 12 seconds better than the time that the former was credited to Oscar Janson, of Swedish congregation, who had an allowance of 100 dollars for the prize. The runner came home eighth in a field of forty-one, of which thirty-eight completed the journey. Oscar Janson, who had a cold race, broke the pace in fifteen positions.

Paul Schwefel, Wyckoff Heights, who annexed the event last year, with a five-minute margin, was not in the race, but better than finish fourteen, just before Beardsley. This time he was off on the first lap.

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Port Washington Club Shout

E. M. Frankard of the Port Washington Club carried off the honors yesterday in the first of the Port Washington Handicaps. It was a 100 "bird" handicap match, and of the five men who faced the traps, Frankard, with a handicap of 16, broke the 100 yards, giving him a 94 out of the possible 100. I. V. Small was next, with a 92, and then came the runner-up of 10. D. E. Smith broke 81, which, with his handicap of 6, gave him a total of 87, and then came the runner-up of 10. H. H. Shannon's score was 84, with a handicap of 14.

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Crescent's Next Boxing Show.
Entry blanks are out for the amateur boxing tournament of the Crescent Athletic Club of Brooklyn, which takes place on Nov. 11 and 14. The classes include the 106, 116,

Featherweight Tournament Off.
The McIsaac brothers, managers of the Manhattan Sporting Club, 115th Street and Eighth Avenue, last night decided to postpone their featherweight elimination tournament, scheduled for tomorrow night. McIsaac's manager, Watson Place, brother of

Presbyterian; (2:30); 2:45; 6:00—H. B. Pothoff,
Fourth Avenue Methodist; 2:45; 6:00—H. B. Pothoff,
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Fourth Avenue Methodist; 2:45; 6:00—H. B. Pothoff,
Episcopal; (2:30) 2:45; 104-A. Wardrobe,
Redeemer Protestant Episcopal; (2:30),
2:45; 6:00—H. A. Rikoulet, Marcy Avenue
Baptist; (2:45.) 2:58; 174-C. B. Mount.
Fourth Avenue Methodist Episcopal; (1:15)
2:14-174-J. W. Atherton, Central Congre-

President of the Chicago Federals, discussed
here today terms under which the former
expects to play with the local organization
next season. It was admitted that they
practically had agreed on a contract, but
Maege had not signed early this afternoon.
It was said.

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A black and white illustration of a bedroom interior. A bed with a large, round, patterned headboard is on the left. A wooden chair with a cane seat is on the right. A small wooden table is in the foreground. The floor is covered with a patterned rug.



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DEMOCRATS HOLD CONGRESS; THEIR MAJORITY IS 19

No Change in the Senate and
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VARIED FATES OF BOSSISM

Penrose Wins in Pennsylvania,
but Sullivan Is Defeated
in Illinois.

OHIO AGAIN REPUBLICAN

Four States Adopt Prohibition,
While Two Stay Wet—Kansas
Back to Standpatism.

Late returns from Tuesday's election
show that there will be twenty-seven
more Democrats than Republicans in the
next House of Representatives, but the
Democratic majority over all will be
nineteen, as late editions of yesterday's
Times said it would.

There will be 227 Democrats, 200 Rep-
ublicans, 7 Progressives, and 1 Social-
ist. Small as the majority is, it insures
continued Democratic control, and the
President will continue to have the sup-
port of the legislative branch in what-
ever policies he may suggest. Champ
Clark will retain the Speakership.

The election made no change whatever
in the Senate majority. The Democrats
still have a majority of 10, there being
52 Democrats, 42 Republicans, and 1
Progressive.

Next to New York, the chief interest
of the election centered in Pennsylvania.
The returns there show that the voters
made a distinction between Boies Pen-
rose and the rest of the Republican
ticket. Penrose's two opponents, Fin-
ch and Palmer, had a majority over
him of 14,940. Had they united they
would have beaten him. Yet the Rep-
ublican candidate for Governor, Brum-
baugh, has a majority of 139,041 over
Vance McCormick. Though Penrose is
elected, the voters of Pennsylvania
showed that he is not their choice.

Col. Roosevelt sought to make a
distinction between the Democrats and
Progressives. He induced the Progressive
candidate for Governor, Dean Lewis,
to withdraw, and the Progressives sup-
ported McCormick. He wanted the
Democrats, in return, to withdraw Pal-
mer and support Pinchot for Senator.
Had they done so Penrose would have
been beaten.

Penrose's plurality over Pinchot was
208,492. He got 480,346 votes; Pinchot,
322,853; Palmer, the third in the race,
got 251,432. Brumbaugh got 562,562
votes and McCormick 432,521.

The Pennsylvania and Illinois contests
were bracketed together in the public
mind because of the fact that in both
States a machine boss was running for
the Senate—a Republican in Pennsylv-
ania and a Democrat in Illinois. In
both States independent voters were
urged to vote against the boss.

Four United States Senators, two Rep-
ublicans and two Democrats, issued an
appeal to voters of their parties in the
two States to vote against Penrose and
Sullivan.

The anti-boss argument failed in
Pennsylvania, but it was successful in
Illinois. Roger C. Sullivan, the Chi-
cago boss, nominated for Senator on
the Democratic ticket, was expected to
win easily, because the opposition was
divided between two candidates, Sen-
ator Sherman, Republican, and Ray-
mond Robins, Progressive. Neverthe-
less, Sullivan has been defeated by about
6,000 votes, and Sherman returns to the
Senate. Sullivan's defeat is directly
attributable to the fight made against
him as a boss and the ruler of a machine.

Ohio went Republican by majorities
that were not very impressive. Repre-
sentative Willis defeated Gov. Cox for
the Governorship by from 8,000 to 12-
000, and Warren G. Harding, Repub-
lican, was elected to the Senate by a
larger majority, not yet fixed.

A surprising feature of the election is
that Oklahoma is in doubt. This south-
western State had been counted on as
being as surely Democratic as any other
State in that cluster. The Governorship,
however, is still in question, though
Senator Gore, Democrat, ran ahead of
his ticket and is undoubtedly elected.

Another close State that has seldom
been doubtful before is Utah, where
Senator Reed Smoot, one of the leaders
of the elder statesmen in the United
States Senate, was expected to be re-
elected. The election was the closest
in the history of the State. There was
a fusion between the Democrats and
the Progressives, who nominated a Mor-
mon named Moyle. Smoot has always
had the Church behind him heretofore,
but Moyle's orthodoxy apparently de-
feated the Senator of that support as a
whole.

Two other Senators of the Old Guard,
Gallinger of New Hampshire and Dil-
lingham of Vermont, encountered dis-
turbance because of their position
as such. In Dillingham's case,
particularly, the only ground for oppo-
sition to him was that he had been a
slave for Lorimer and had otherwise
conducted himself as a member of the
"Old Guard" should. The same line of
attack was adopted against Gallinger,
with more specifications.

Against Dillingham there was a com-
bination of Democrats, Progressives,
Prohibitionists, their candidate be-
ing Charles A. Fennell, formerly Inter-
state Commerce Commissioner. Dilling-
ham did dig pretty industriously, and
was pulled through by about 7,000 votes.
He was also elected.

Utah was a stronghold of Progressive
sentiment, and the Progressives were
going to take vengeance. She has elected to
Senator Charles Curtis, an ex-Senator
who lost his seat in that body
because of his unbecoming conduct in
the Old Guard.

White House Blames Tariff for Loss in House; Says Result Is Really an "Off-Year" Victory.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 4.—In the face of the heavy reduction of the Demo-
cratic majority in the House, the Administration has decided that yesterday's
elections resulted in what was, under the circumstances, a great victory. This
was the position announced by Postmaster General Burleson after a conference
at the White House this morning. He said:

The victory was an overwhelming one for the Democrats. It was the
first time in the history of the country that the party in power won the
House after revising the tariff, except at the time of the Dingley tariff,
when the Spanish war was on and the party in power had the advantage
of patriotism.

The same view was taken tonight in the statement issued by Thomas J.
Pence, Assistant to the Chairman of the Democratic National Committee:

A careful canvass of the election returns shows that the Democracy has
strengthened its position in the Senate and has splendidly maintained itself
with the election of the greatest majority ever returned by any party in
an off-year following a revision of our tariff system.

Were complete returns made from all save sixteen districts, the Democrats
have carried 225 Congressional elections as against 138 by the Republicans,
3 by the Socialists, and 3 by the Progressives, a majority of 37 over the
Republicans.

It is gratifying to know that the party has strengthened its hold in the
great Middle West and on the Pacific Coast.

It was suggested today that the secret of the Administration's willingness
to let the blame for Democratic losses rest on the Democratic tariff is the
assured confidence that before the next elections the conditions that caused
dissatisfaction with the lower customs duties would have vanished. The
President publicly declared before the outbreak of the war that the return
admit, would end the hostility to the Democratic tariff.

A second explanation advanced by the Democrats for their loss of seats
in the House is the disappearance of the Progressive vote. The inference is
that the rank and file of the Progressive Party has returned to the Republi-
can fold. Democrats here take great pleasure from the thought that, with
the Progressives practically eliminated, Democracy has measured swords with
Republicanism on almost equal terms and proved more than a match for it.
"The time we had a stand-up fight with the Republicans and we have
defeated them," said Mr. Pence. "Generally speaking, the Progressives were
not a factor in this election. The outcome this year, therefore, cannot be
compared to that of two years ago."

"We have elected Democratic Governors in Minnesota, Nebraska, Massa-
chusetts, Tennessee, Michigan, and Wyoming, as well as in Southern States.
There was danger of our losing Senators in Colorado and Oregon, but both
Senators, Thomas and Chamberlain, have been elected, and we have good
chances of electing Senator Newlands in Nevada, Roger Sullivan in Illinois,
and Neely as Senator in Kansas. Unexpectedly we have elected Phelan as
Senator in California and Johnson as Senator in South Dakota."

ROME HEARS LONDON BY POCKET WIRELESS

Italian Priest Makes Amazing
Tests of Invention Before
Scientists and Diplomats.

SPECIAL CABLE TO THE NEW YORK TIMES.
MILAN, Nov. 4.—Prof. Domenico Ar-
gentieri, the Abruzzi priest whose recent
claim of having invented a small port-
able wireless telegraph apparatus cap-
able of receiving messages from high-
power stations at even a distance of
1,250 miles raised a storm of contro-
versy in Italy, today triumphantly
demonstrated the genuineness of his in-
vention.

At the British Embassy in Rome, in
the presence of a large gathering of
public men and scientific experts, in-
cluding Sir Rennell Rodd, he gave a
series of astonishing experiments with-
out bobbing, receiving poles, or the other
trappings of the wireless, with a sim-
ple stick in his hand, and a small
apparatus in his pocket which he used
for interrupting wireless communications
transmitted by the London Foreign Of-
fice. He also picked up others from
Paris and London. The success of the
tests of the messages were in cypher
and their accuracy has been rigidly
verified.

French, Russian, and Japanese military
and naval attaches also witnessed the
experiments.

PRIZE AMERICAN SURGEONS

Kaiser's Government Wants Three
More Sent to Germany.

BERLIN, (via London), Nov. 4.—The
Austrian hospital at Gliwicz and the
Austrian hospital at Gliwicz and the
Austrian hospital at Gliwicz are doing
such satisfactory work that the Ger-
man Government is about to request
that three more American surgeons be
sent to Germany. In case the Ger-
man Government will turn over another
large hospital in Gliwicz to American
surgeons.

FEAR OF ZEPPELINS HURTS LONDON HOTELS

Many Guests Object to Upper
Floor Rooms from Fear
of Bombs.

SPECIAL CABLE TO THE NEW YORK TIMES.
LONDON, Nov. 4.—The upper floor
rooms in some well patronized hotels
are in little demand as the result of
timidity felt about Zeppelins. The tim-
orous are English as well as French
and Belgians. Lately many English
women have taken apartments in hotels,
closing their houses because the men of
the family are at the front.

ASK SWISS PRESIDENT TO SEEK AN ARMISTICE

Socialists Appeal to Him to Join
Other Neutral Countries.

AMSTERDAM, (via London), Nov. 4.—
A dispatch from Berlin to The Han-
delsblatt says:

"According to Vorwärts, a council of
the members of the Social Democratic
Party in the Swiss Parliament has
asked the President of Switzerland to
take the initiative in making diplomatic
representations jointly with the govern-
ments of other neutral States to secure
an armistice."

JAPANESE CAPTURE 800 MEN AT TSING-TAU

Destroy 26 German Guns—De-
fenders Sink Austrian Cruiser
to Prevent Seizure.

TOKIO, Nov. 4.—A dispatch received
here from Tsing-tau, in Shantung Pro-
vince, China, says the Japanese forces
before Tsing-tau have destroyed twenty-
six German guns and captured 800
prisoners.

The Japanese artillery is now attack-
ing the German trenches and the wire
entanglements before them.

In a statement issued here to-day the
Navy Department says it believes the
Germans at Tsing-tau have sunk the
Austrian cruiser Kaiserin Elisabeth,
which took refuge in that harbor soon
after Japan declared war. It is also
thought the Germans have destroyed
the floating docks.

PEKING, Nov. 4.—Since Tuesday
morning no word has been received by
wireless from the defenders of Tsing-
tau. The Japanese began a general
bombardment of the fortress with heavy
guns several days ago.

The Austrian cruiser Kaiserin Eliza-
beth reported sunk by the Germans in
Tsing-tau Harbor, evidently to prevent
her from falling into the hands of the
Allies, was a small vessel of about 4,000
tons. She was rated at nineteen knots
and had eight 5.9-inch guns in her main
battery.

The Kaiserin Elisabeth, according to
German reports, had been in the har-
bor since the Japanese began their at-
tack on the fortress in replying to the at-
tacks of the Japanese and British war-
ships which are gathered before Tsing-
tau.

NEBRASKA SUFFRAGE IN DOUBT

Antis Led on Late Incomplete Re-
turns—Other Figures Unobtainable.

SPECIAL TO THE NEW YORK TIMES.
OMAHA, Neb., Nov. 4.—Returns on
the suffrage vote are coming in very
slowly, and the figures will not be
available for probably forty-eight
hours.

Six counties complete and 218 scat-
tering precincts give for suffrage 20,644
against 25,068, a majority of 4,424 for
the antis, overcoming a previous slight
lead for votes for women. In addition
to securing a majority vote, the affirma-
tives must have 25 per cent of the
total vote for Governor.

SPECIAL TO THE NEW YORK TIMES.
PIERRE, S. D., Nov. 4.—It is im-
possible to get figures on suffrage until
the count is made, as many precincts
failed to make returns on this issue.
There is no question, however, as to
the defeat of the movement. Equal
suffrage leaders of the State say they
will at once start another campaign
and that it will not end until they are
successful.

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Montana and Nevada, according to the
latest returns, granted votes to women,
while Nebraska showed such a small
vote against the proposal that the women
claimed the State. Missouri, Ohio,
and North and South Dakota refused to
grant equal suffrage, the majority
against granting the franchise to women
increasing with the size of the popula-
tion concerned.

In Montana, where workers of the
American Woman Suffrage Association
made heroic efforts to win the ballot,
the vote was so close that the official
count may be necessary to decide the
outcome. The women have a slight lead
on incomplete returns.

In Nevada, which seems won to the
cause of equal suffrage, 105 precincts
out of 240 gave 3,019 votes for woman
suffrage and 2,508 against.

In Illinois the proportion of female to
male voters in the Democratic, Republi-
can and Progressive Parties was about
the same. The woman political leaders
were mostly identified with the Pro-
gressive Party. Figures in many pre-
cincts showed, however, that the per-
centage of women to men was larger in
the Democratic Party than in the Pro-
gressive.

"We are greatly pleased that no
more of the States went for suffrage,"
said Miss Alice Hill Chittenden, Presi-
dent of the New York State Association
Opposed to Woman Suffrage, yesterday.
"We have more confidence now for
the anti-suffrage campaign in New
York State. We will commence our
campaign at once, and our slogan will
be, 'We Win, 1915.'"

"The anti-suffragists can't win for
they are not fighting for anything—they
are opposing," said Dr. Anna Howard
Shaw, President of the National Ameri-
can Woman Suffrage Association. "And
we can't lose anything that we have
never had."

Dr. Shaw had just come back from
two months campaigning in the Western
States.

"We have made a splendid fight,"
she said, "and we have done great
propaganda work that will help us in
the future. We will have the whole
United States in ten years. We had the
liquor interests and the trusts against
us in the West, with plenty of money to
fight us. Mr. and Mrs. Bryan helped
us a great deal in Nebraska."

"Two years ago a representative of
the Liquor Dealers' Association in South
Dakota came to me here in New York
and asked me to make an agreement
with him not to work against the liquor
interests and he would keep his hands
off suffrage. I told him that we could
not make any such agreement."

Dr. Shaw said that the work of the
Congressional Union had done the suf-
frage cause much harm in the West by
fighting Democratic candidates whether
they were or were not in favor of votes
for women.

"I am glad to say that I think most
of the men they opposed were elected,"
said Dr. Shaw.

"I am not dissatisfied with the results
in the West," said Mrs. Carrie Chap-
man Catt, President of the International
Woman Suffrage Association and of the
Empire State Women's Campaign Com-
mittee, who has also been campaigning
in the West. "We have ten States, not
counting Nevada and Montana."

"According to an official of one of the
largest hotels London as a result of the
war will be a winter resort this year,
since many persons who usually go to
Southern Europe will remain here. The
dining rooms of the hotels are filled
with French and Belgians, as are the
well-known restaurants. Owing to the
dearth of amusement in Paris the audi-
ence in the theatres here include a
large number of Parisians."

NEBRASKA SUFFRAGE IN DOUBT

Antis Led on Late Incomplete Re-
turns—Other Figures Unobtainable.

SPECIAL TO THE NEW YORK TIMES.
OMAHA, Neb., Nov. 4.—Returns on
the suffrage vote are coming in very
slowly, and the figures will not be
available for probably forty-eight
hours.

Six counties complete and 218 scat-
tering precincts give for suffrage 20,644
against 25,068, a majority of 4,424 for
the antis, overcoming a previous slight
lead for votes for women. In addition
to securing a majority vote, the affirma-
tives must have 25 per cent of the
total vote for Governor.

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TURKEY BREAKS WITH ALL ALLIES; BRITISH BOMBARD RED SEA PORT; GERMANS SHIFT LINE FOR NEW ATTACK

AGAIN SHELL DARDANELLES

British and French War-
ships Renew Attack
on the Forts.

REPORTS RUSSIAN DISASTER

Vienna Paper Says Turks Sank
Five Warships and Nine-
teen Transports.

A BATTLESHIP ALSO LOST

Turkish Vessels Reported to
Have Destroyed the Sinope.
—British Bombard Jeddah.

LONDON, Nov. 4.—Turkey has
now definitely broken off diplo-
matic relations with Great Brit-
tain, France, Russia, and Serbia.
Her diplomatic representatives in the
capitals of these countries, acting on
orders from the Porte, today demand-
ed and received their passports. Some
of them have already left their posts,
while the others will depart tomorrow.

Although no statement to this effect
has been given out, it is understood
that Turkey's apology for the actions
of her warships in bombarding Rus-
sian Black Sea ports and attacking
Russian ships proved unacceptable to
the Powers of the Triple Entente,
since Turkey was not prepared to ac-
cede to the demand that the German
officers in her service be dismissed
and that the ships purchased from
Germany be dismantled.

Now that Turkey has aligned her-
self among the nations at war, there
is much speculation as to what the
other Balkan States will do. Greece
is said to be preparing to side with
the Allies, while Bulgaria, as given as-
surances of her neutrality, Bulgaria,
however, is mobilizing, for, with Turkey
in the area of the war Bulgaria must
be prepared for any eventualities.

The following semi-official state-
ment, given out in Berlin, has been
received by the Marconi Wireless
Telegraph Company:

"A report from Constantinople
states that the British fleet bombarded
Akabab, Arabia, on Nov. 3, and at-
tempted to land troops near the Egyp-
tian frontier. The report adds:

"After four Englishmen had fallen
the remainder of the party returned
to the boats. Although the British
fired 1,000 rounds, we lost only one
gendarme."

"The Vienna Neue Freie Presse
says that, according to information
received in Vienna from the Turkish
Ministry of Marine, the naval engage-
ment in the Black Sea was much more
serious than the first report indicated.

"A few Turkish vessels practicing
in the Black Sea were observed and
attacked by Russian warships. The
engagement resulted in the sinking of
five Russian warships and nineteen
transports. According to statements
made by Russian sailors, the trans-
ports had on board 1,700 mines which
the Russians intended to lay in the
Black Sea. This is proof of the hos-
tile intentions of the Russian fleet."

"In the bombardment of Sevastopol
and Novorossiysk twenty-five war-
houses filled with petroleum and corn
were destroyed."

BRITISH BOMBARD JEDDAH

The British cruiser Minerva has
bombarded the Arabian town of
Jeddah (Jeddah, the chief seaport of
Arabia) on the Red Sea.

The Turkish authorities, according to
a Reuter dispatch from Constantinople
via Sofia, have begun to seize
the shipping lying off Constantinople.
The Porte has also ordered the ex-
tinction of the lighthouses on the Med-
iterranean littoral.

VALPARAISO, CHILE, NOV. 4.—

The German fleet under Ad-
miral von Spee, consisting of the bar-
ramoured cruisers Scharnhorst and Goe-
ben, and the light cruisers Nürnberg,
opened a vigorous fire on the Sedi-
l and Komakales forts, which con-
tinued, with but a few interruptions,
until 10 o'clock.

It is believed here that this bomb-
ardment was a preliminary to a new
attack on the Dardanelles.

Summary of War News.

A British warship has bombarded Jeddah, one of the principal Arabian
seaports. Other British men-of-war continue the bombardment of the
Dardanelles forts. A force of Russians has invaded Asia Minor, but has
been driven back by the Turks, according to dispatches from Constan-
tinople.

Turkey has broken off diplomatic relations with Great Britain, France,
Russia, and Serbia, recalling her envoys from these countries.

The French War Office announces that there have been no important
changes on the battle lines in Belgium and France. The Germans are said
to have retired on the right bank of the Yser, but seem to be preparing
for a new movement in the vicinity of Ypres. The Allies made slight
progress yesterday between Dixmude and the Lys.

The Germans report that their attack on Ypres is progressing success-
fully. Attacks by the Allies to the south of Verdun and in the Vosges
have been repulsed, it is said.

The Russians report that the Austro-German Army is in retreat along
the whole battle front. In East Prussia the Russians have captured
Barkalajewo and driven the left wing of the German Army back toward
Biala and Lyck. The rear guard of the German army is said to be retreat-
ing toward the frontier, while the Austrians, after being severely defeated,
are also retreating.

The German reports state that the Austrians have retreated to take
up previously selected positions.

Few further details have been received as to the naval engagement
between the German and British cruisers off the Coast of Chile. The
British cruiser Good Hope, last reported on fire, has not yet been heard
from. A merchant vessel, Captain who arrived in Valparaiso yesterday,
reported that a strong Japanese fleet was cruising in the Pacific.

A fleet of German warships is said to have been gathered off the Aland
Island, in the Baltic, opposite the Gulf of Finland.

The Japanese report that their forces before Tsing-tau have destroyed
twenty-six German guns and captured 800 men. The Japanese are now
said to be attacking the German trenches, and the fall of the fort is ex-
pected soon.

SAY GERMANS SOUGHT TO DECOY BIG SHIPS

Coast Raid Interpreted as Mine
Lure for British—Fate of the
Good Hope a Mystery.

LONDON, Nov. 4.—Next to the Tur-
kish situation, the appearance of Ger-
man warships off the coast of England
is causing most of the discussion in
this country today. There is a dispo-
sition among naval men to believe that
no serious raid was intended, but that
the Germans hoped to induce British
warships to follow them and, by laying
mines as they retired, to catch some of
the bigger ships, as they did the sub-
marine D-5.

The fact that the Germans did lay
mines seems to indicate to the naval
experts here that the ships engaged in
this work were old ones. These ex-
perts argue that Germany would not
take such risks with new vessels. As if
to prove their contention, the experts
say that the firing at the British cruiser
Halcyon, which resulted in slight dam-
age to that vessel, showed the Germans
were not armed with modern guns.

The Admiralty has issued a statement
in which it says it has received from
German sources details of a naval en-
gagement off the Chilean coast in
which the British cruiser Monmouth
was sunk and the cruiser Good Hope
severely damaged. The statement says
the Admiralty has no confirmation of
the report.

GERMAN CRUISER SUNK BY A MINE

The York Wrecked in Jade Bay,
London Hears—Had Crew
of 557 Men.

LONDON, Thursday, Nov. 5.—4.00 A.
M.—The German cruiser York has
struck a mine in Jade Bay and sunk.

The information regarding the loss of
the York reached London in an Am-
sterdam dispatch to the Reuter's Tele-
gram Company. It said that an official
dispatch from Berlin announced that
the York on the forenoon of Nov. 4, struck
a mine chain blocking the entrance to
Jade Bay and sank. Late reports assert
that 882 men, more than half of the
crew, had already been saved, but that
the rescue work was hampered by a
thick fog.

Jade Bay is an inlet of the North Sea,
about seventy-five miles square, just
west of the mouth of the River Weser.
The great naval station of Wilhelmshaven
guards its entrance.

The York was placed in commission
in May, 1908, and had a displacement
of 8,500 tons, with a length of 404 feet,
a beam of 60 feet and an indicated
speed of 21 knots. She carried 557 men
and her main battery consisted of four
8.2 inch guns, with a secondary battery
of ten 4.1 inch, fourteen 2.9-pounder, and
four machine guns. The York had
four torpedo tubes. She was a sister
ship of the Roon.

The Admiralty cannot accept these
facts as accurate at present, for the
battle ship Canopus, which was sent
to strengthen Rear Admiral Craddock's
squadron and which would have
given him a decided superiority, is not
mentioned in the report. Further, al-
though five German ships concentrated
in Chilean waters only three entered
Valparaiso harbor. It is possible,
therefore, that what the full account
of the action is received it may con-
siderably modify the German version. Ef-
fective measures have been taken to
deal with the situation in any event."

300,000 PRISONERS HELD BY GERMANY

These Are Fighting Men Alone,
Russia Contributing Nearly
Half of the Number.

SPECIAL CABLE TO THE NEW YORK TIMES.
LONDON, Nov. 4.—The magnitude of
this war is illustrated by the number
of prisoners taken.

Just how many Germans and Aus-
trians are captured is unknown, but
there are trustworthy figures from Ber-
lin, which show that the Germans have
taken what in other wars would con-
sidered great numbers.

PRESIDENT ORDERS MOBS TO DISPERSE

Proclamation Says Troops Are
Sent to Arkansas to En-
force Federal Laws.

WARNS PEACEFUL CITIZENS

Declares Troops Will Act with For-
bearance and Moderation, but
Cannot Discriminate.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 4.—Major N. F. McClure, commanding the squadron of the Fifth Cavalry now on its way from Chicago to Fort Smith, Ark., to keep order in the Hartford Valley strike zone, will soon after his arrival issue a proclamation by the President reciting the purpose in placing troops there.

The proclamation differs from that issued by the President for the Colorado strike. In that case the troops were called into service at the request of the Governor of the State to preserve order. In the Arkansas case the troops are to be used solely to carry out the mandates of the United States Court. The text of the proclamation, signed by President Wilson, is:

Whereas, by reason of unlawful obstruction, combinations, and assemblages of persons, it has become impracticable in the judgment of the President to enforce, by the ordinary course of judicial proceedings, the laws of the United States, and especially within the Western Federal District and in the neighborhood of the town of Hartford, Midland, and Fort Smith, Ark., in said district;

And whereas, for the purpose of enforcing the faithful execution of the laws of the United States and protecting property, the President has deemed it necessary to employ the military forces of the United States, in pursuance of the statute in that case made and provided;

Now, therefore, I, Woodrow Wilson, President of the United States, do hereby admonish all persons who may be or come within the State, District, or Territory, to abstain from doing, countenancing, encouraging, or taking any part in such unlawful obstructions, combinations, and assemblages, and I hereby warn all persons in any manner connected therewith to abstain from doing so peacefully or by their respective abodes on or before 12 o'clock noon of the sixth day of November in this year.

Those who disregard this warning and persist in taking part with a riotous mob in forcibly resisting and obstructing the execution of the laws of the United States or interfering with the functions of the Government or destroying or attempting to destroy property in the custody of the courts of the United States or under its direction cannot be regarded otherwise than as public enemies.

Troops employed against such combinations and assemblages of persons will act with all the moderation and forbearance consistent with the accomplishment of their duty in the premises; but all citizens must realize that, if they combine with or become a part of such riotous assemblages, there will be no opportunity for discriminating in their treatment.

The only safe course, therefore, for those not intentionally participating in such unlawful proceedings is to abide at their homes, or at least, not to go or remain in the neighborhood of such riotous assemblages.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be hereunto affixed.

Done at the City of Washington this 3d day of November in the year of Our Lord 1914 and of the Independence of the United States the one hundred and thirty-ninth.

WOODROW WILSON,
By the President, Robert Lansing,
Acting Secretary of State.

CHICAGO, Nov. 4.—The four troops of the Fifth United States Cavalry ordered to the Arkansas coal fields to preserve order left here this afternoon.

FORT SMITH, Ark., Nov. 4.—Conditions were quiet today in the Hartford Valley coal mining regions, where the inhabitants are awaiting the arrival of the Federal troops, sent to carry out the Federal Court's orders in administering the receivership of the Sack-Dempsey Coal Company.

Major N. F. McClure, in advance of his troops, reached Fort Smith this afternoon. He will decide tomorrow whether to hold the soldiers in Fort Smith or send them to the coal camp in the Hartford Valley.

"I am unable to say in advance whether martial law will be declared or not," said Major McClure. "It will depend largely on conditions. The soldiers are due here tomorrow night."

The Federal Grand Jury summoned to investigate conditions in the mining region was impaneled today and adjourned until Friday, J. V. Bourland, United States Attorney for the Western District of Arkansas, and his assistants have been relieved of duties in connection with the investigation. R. B. Hall, special assistant United States Attorney General, and Billups Harris, special agent of the Bureau of Investigation, will be in charge of the Grand Jury.

Mr. Hall and Mr. Harris have been in the district several weeks gathering evidence.

GUNDA A MOVIE STAR.

Rogue Elephant Lives Up to His
Recco at Bronx Zoo Rehearsal.

Gunda has posed for the movies and will be the star performer in Curator Dittmar's series of animal films. The rehearsing of Gunda was a strenuous matter, and the camera man expressed a preference for work on the firing line in Europe. The majestic Gunda is the largest elephant in captivity. Moreover, he is a bad elephant, has made murderous attacks upon his keepers and shattered his great tusks upon the cages of the other elephants.

Owing to Gunda's erratic disposition he has occupied an inside stall for some days. He was "rehearsed" by being fed various dainties, when Keeper Thuman attached a leg chain to a long cable that ran across the outside yard. Thuman was gored by the elephant's tusk and rushed to the hospital for four months.

Gunda entered the yard with wicked eyes roving round for a long cable to grab with his trunk at one of the attendants, who cast aside all dignity and rolled under the fence. Then Gunda consented to have his picture taken.

The Executive Committee of the New York Zoological Society, which has Gunda, will behave reasonably he will have all possible liberty within the massive stone walls of his yard.

The first exhibition of this picture will be made at the Brooklyn Academy of Music on Nov. 5, 6, and 7. In connection with Dr. Dittmar's lectures and exhibition of motion pictures, under the auspices of the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences.

WANTS CAT SKINS FOR WAR.

Benevolent Sheriff Wishes to Guard
Troops from Rheumatism.

SPECIAL Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. NOTTERDAM, Nov. 4. (Dispatch to The London Daily News).—According to the Berliner Tageblatt, the Sheriff of Bransberg, in East Prussia, has appealed for catkins to be sent to his troops. He promises to be responsible for their care, and will make them into body-heats and mittens for the troops. Catkins, he adds, are a well-known safeguard against rheumatism.

SAW MONEY IN THE AIR.

Youth, Angry with Mother, Threw
\$450 from Window in Plaza Hotel.

In the lobby of the Plaza Hotel in Fifty-eighth Street, on the roofs of adjacent houses, and in its influence extending nobody knows exactly how far, occurred early yesterday morning what might be described as a money panic. Those persons who chanced to be in Fifty-eighth Street at 7:30 o'clock actually saw a lot of money flying in the air, and everybody who saw it started on a wild prospecting tour for it.

There was exactly \$450 in the lot that fell from the window of the Plaza Hotel, and which made the crowd below almost as frantic as if bombs were dropping. If anybody should find any of it—well, it is not a very large sum.

On Monday the woman drew \$500 from the bank on her letter of credit, and had spent \$50 of it by yesterday morning. The remainder, in ten and twenty dollar bills, lay on the table in her sitting room. The son was in a bad humor and he suddenly caught up the stack of bills and threw them out of the open window.

The bills had got a good start before anybody else got a look at them. Immediately the woman telephoned the office, and everybody on the ground floor became very busy at once, but so happened that none of the few persons who were passing along Fifty-eighth Street that hour of the morning happened to be gazing skyward.

But a guest who was staying in a room on an upper floor with the mirror against the window, saw the bills flying above, and he cut his chin in his hurry to get the window open and see what they were doing.

The street below awakened into life when out of the revolving door of the hotel shot a uniformed helmy, who looked up and yelled. Behind him poured a stream of other helmys, clerks, porters, waiters, and even maids, and a strong reinforcement came from around the corner of the hotel.

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BRYN MAWR GIRLS REBEL AT 'CUT' RULE

Plead for Support of New York
Alumnae Against President
M. Carey Thomas.

STORMY SESSIONS HELD

Students Say Penalties Are More
Drastic Than Those of Any
Other College.

The 500 students of Bryn Mawr College, at Bryn Mawr, Penn., who since the opening of school last month have been in revolt against a new "no cut" rule designed to prevent absence from lectures, carried their grievances to the graduates of this city yesterday when the New York Alumnae of Bryn Mawr gathered for their annual meeting at the Bryn Mawr Club, 127 East Fortieth Street.

The meeting was presided over by Mrs. Leonard Hand, wife of Federal Judge Hand, and only a few of the fifty women present had an inkling of the troubles—the first of the kind in Bryn Mawr's history.

When the meeting was over Mrs. Hand and other officers of the organization refused to discuss what had been said, but it was learned that the students' side of the controversy was forcefully presented by some of their champions.

On the other hand, several women spoke with warmth in defense of President M. Carey Thomas, who is sponsor for the new rule, and if the students were counting upon the solid backing of the alumnae they will be disappointed.

No formal action was taken, but it was decided that the situation should be discussed at a serious stage and that the grievance of the students should be looked into by a committee of the alumnae.

Some of the students' grievances were known to the alumnae committee, composed of representatives of the alumnae throughout the country. The alumnae committee meets regularly with the Faculty at the college to discuss student affairs and it is expected to go through into the controversy.

On behalf of President Thomas, the chief lawyer of the students' attack was said that recent years had seen a large increase of absenteeism and that it had become necessary to take radical steps. Under the old system, which put each student on her honor and allowed her to cut lectures as she pleased, the privilege had been greatly abused, according to President Thomas's friends.

Statistics were cited to show that last year five girls cut sixty lectures and one girl was absent 120 times. It was also pointed out that the new rule was devised by the entire Faculty.

The students say the new rule is the most rigid ever enforced in any college. It imposes a penalty for every cut, ranging on a grand scale of "points" deducted from the student's standing. The penalties, according to the students, also work a hardship upon girls who are scholars and who stand high in the college.

The college had hardly opened before murmurs were heard, and the students have already had several stormy sessions with the Faculty. At one of these it was reported that Miss Thomas administered a snub to Miss Helen Taft, daughter of the late President, who was an active part in the students' cause.

This story was also denied, and the denial was repeated yesterday by Miss Thomas's friends here. The students say they were ready to accept a "cut" rule similar to those in vogue at Harvard, Princeton, and Yale, but President Thomas would not consider the proposal, saying that Bryn Mawr was on a higher plane than the men's universities.

Almost at the moment the alumnae here were considering the students' case yesterday the Faculty at Bryn Mawr gave its ultimatum to the undergraduates in a reply to the request for a repeal of the new rule and a year of probation. The Faculty reply reads:

To the Undergraduate Association of Bryn Mawr College:

The Faculty after carefully considering the petition of the Undergraduate Association continues of the opinion that it is essential to leave the regulation of attendance at classes to the student body. The Faculty, therefore, for the year 1914-1915 modifies its rules to read as below, but in the hope that no large percentage of the undergraduate body will avail itself of the number of cuts mentioned:

The Faculty rule relating to attendance shall be in operation during the year 1914-1915 and shall apply to the class work of all students. There will be no stated penalty for the first eight unexcused cuts in a semester, provided that more than two are taken in each one-hour course, two in each two-hour course or three-hour course, and three in each five-hour course.

"Cuts" which exceed these limits, either in number or distribution, shall reduce the grade for the course in which they are taken by two points for each such cut, with the proviso that when in any course the unexcused cuts exceed 20 per cent. of the semester's scheduled lectures of that course, the penalty shall be four points for each additional cut in computing the percentage of cuts, the fraction one-half or over shall be counted as one. The computation of the penalties to be inflicted under this rule, and the consequent reduction in grade, shall be made by the college office.

The undergraduates say the ultimatum will never be accepted and that the student body with the help of the support of the alumnae, will stand for a return to the old self-government of the college.

The students will meet at the college next Monday to frame their reply to the Faculty.

New Foreman of a Sheriff's Jury.

Charles J. Warner was yesterday elected foreman of the Third Panel Sheriff's Jury in place of William E. Burke, who resigned to be Postmaster of the Senate at Washington. Mr. Warner has been Secretary of the Third Panel Jury for two years. He lives at 28 West Eighty-second Street.

JOINS HUSBAND IN WAR.

Mrs. Bresse Sails to Be Near Foreign Legion in France.

Mrs. W. L. Bresse, daughter of Hamilton Fish, sailed yesterday on the Lusitania to be near her husband, who has joined the Foreign Legion in France. She was accompanied by her sons, W. L. Bresse, Jr., and Hamilton Fish Bresse. Mr. Fish went to the Cunard pier to see his daughter depart.

Mrs. Whitelaw Reid, widow of the late United States Ambassador to Great Britain, sailed on the Lusitania to visit her daughter, the Hon. Mrs. John Ward, whose husband has charge of the English Belgian Relief Fund.

The Lusitania carried 230 first, 130 second, and 240 third class passengers for Liverpool, and nearly 8,000 sacks of mail.

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DENIES FAVORING SULLIVAN.

Ex-Warden Clancy Says He Didn't
Allow Banker to Quit Prison.

When he testified yesterday in the Kings County Grand Jury's investigation of the doings of David A. Sullivan, the Union Bank wrecker, since he was sentenced to Sing Sing, ex-Warden James M. Clancy, said he was positive that the convicted banker had never visited Brooklyn while he was in charge of the prison. On Monday Henry Meyerson of 135 Ocean Parkway, who was formerly cashier of a branch of the Sullivan bank, testified to having seen a man in Flatbush in July, 1913, whom he recognized as Sullivan.

Mr. Clancy said yesterday that because of the guard system he maintained, it would have been impossible for Sullivan to have been outside the prison for more than three hours at any time, without the Warden's knowledge. Sullivan worked in the prison office, but enjoyed no unusual privileges under Clancy. He slept in the hospital instead of in a cell frequently because of poor health.

It was said yesterday that William J. Cummings, the banker, who was convicted in connection with the failure of the Carnegie Trust Company, had a bed in the hospital also and seldom, if ever, slept in a cell.

It has been testified that just before Assistant District Attorney Louis Goldstein made his first visit of investigation to Sing Sing, on Oct. 24, Sullivan held a conference with certain of the prison officials, who had learned of Goldstein's coming. Sullivan, who was a lawyer as well as a banker, is said to have advised the others to refuse to answer questions on the ground that the Kings County Grand Jury was without jurisdiction in the matter.

Assemblyman McGue Fined \$3.

Assemblyman Martin McGue was fined \$3 by Magistrate McGuire in the York County Court yesterday afternoon for using abusive language to Policeman John J. Duffy of the East Fifty-first Street Station. Duffy testified that McGue abused him as he was leaving the Men's Night Court Monday evening with his son, who was arrested for building a bonfire in the street and had been discharged.

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New York A. C. coach, who has been in Vienna for the past six months teaching Austrian athletes the first principles of track and field athletics. The letter follows:

"The Olympic Committee of Austria received with deepest regret the death of Mr. James E. Sullivan, who was the greatest athlete ever who lived in the United States and who suffered irreparable loss to the world of athletics."

Our representatives to the Olympic Committee are full of praise and admiration of the part which Sullivan played in the promotion of his promotive interest, and especially under an obligation to him for his giving for our light athletics. Mr. Copland, who has already accomplished

"May this letter of condolence be proof of the high regard in which Mr. Sullivan is held by all who had the pleasure to witness his achievements. We are, expressing our highest regard.

"OLYMPIC COMMITTEE OF AUSTRALIA
"CARL SUTTER, First Vice President
"H. Pflieffer, General Secretary."

Everett C. Brown Honored.
Everett C. Brown, who served during the past three Olympia athletic carnivals as Chicago representative on the American committee, and who is well known among our athletes as the Past President of the National Amateur Athletic Union and two years President of the Chicago A.

Association, has been honored by his associates with an election to the Presidency of the South Shore Country Club. This one of Chicago's most exclusive and influential social organizations and, as its name implies, devoted to sports which may be indulged in on their beautiful grounds outside the city on the lake. Mr. H. had served for a year as Vice President of the club with such satisfaction and executive ability that he has been placed

Williams Cross-Country Team
Special to The New York Times
WILLIAMSTOWN, Mass., Nov. 4.—
for the cross-country team which will
sent Williams at the New England
collegiate run at Boston on Nov. 14
held this afternoon over the regular five
course. Capt. Shiver was prevented
running by a slight indisposition, an
man who won the race today, Kelton

time than the hill-and-dale Captain made last week ago. The men who earned places on the team trailed Kelton in the following order: Safford, '47; Pratt, '15; Camp, '16; Nelson, '15, and Gilchrist, '15.

The first handicap cross-country run of the A. A. U. course at Van Cortlandt will be conducted on Saturday by the C. Athletic League. The distance of the race is about three miles, or once over the course. In previous years this event was over a six-mile route, but the shorter distance was chosen to suit the needs of the younger lads. Prizes will be awarded the first three to finish, to the fastest athlete, first novice home, and a place in the winning squad, five men to compete each team. This event will serve as a trial for the junior section and will be held for the first time from Saturday.



Several bills have been introduced in Congress aiming at the prevention of deception by requiring all merchandise to be labeled with its true character. A well meant purpose, but quite impracticable, as any one

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PENNSYLVANIA BANKS.	
The Philadelphia National Bank	
Philadelphia, Oct. 31, 1914.	
RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts	\$38,567,005.78
Clearing House Loan Certificates on Hand	1,700,000.00
Due from Banks	1,408,561.55
Exchanges for Clearing House	1,488,627.01
Cash and Reserve	17,194,484.64
Customers' Liability Under Letters of Credit	3,007,462.23
\$70,064,051.17	
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$1,500,000.00
Surplus and Net Profits (Earned)	5,167,384.79
Circulation	1,648,997.50
Letters of Credit	3,035,102.00
Deposits	
Individual	\$36,394,614.19
Bank	22,319,762.69
\$70,064,051.17	

REPORTS OF NATIONAL BANKS.	
REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE	
IRVING NATIONAL BANK	
at New York City, in the State of New York, at the close of business October 31, 1914.	
RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts	\$57,586,039.11
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	601.28
Due from banks	1,640,000.00
Commercial paper deposited to secure circulation	8,652,900.00
Other securities to secure circulation	5,690,360.11
U. S. bonds to secure circulation (other than stocks)	1,000.00
All other stocks	1,987,514.28
Due from State and National banks	36,394.61
Due from clearing houses	776,168.00
Due from Federal Reserve Bank	\$1,236,640.71
Due from private banks and bankers	1,765,166.24
Due from savings banks	100,232.85
Due from clearing houses	2,061,467.76
Notes of other national banks	1,296,150.00
Notes of Irving National Bank	181,900.00
Fractional paper currency, nickel and cents	3,407.71
Legal-tender notes	6,972,294.00
Legal-tender notes	4,002,450.00
Clearing House loan certificates (net balance)	17,614,735.10
Amount paid on account of subscription to \$100,000,000 gold fund (unsubscribed less amount, if any, returned to subscriber)	530,000.00
Amount paid on account of subscription to \$100,000,000 gold fund (unsubscribed less amount, if any, returned to subscriber)	247,864.76
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5% of circulation)	389,750.00
Due from U. S. Treasurer	116,600.00
Total	
\$70,189,774.84	
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	\$4,000,000.00
Surplus fund	3,000,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses	67,495.86
Reserves for taxes	70,210.56
Other national banks outstanding	7,784,200.00
Due to State and National banks	\$13,439,981.64
Due to State and National banks	8,172,938.85
Due from clearing houses	4,181,578.81
Dividends unpaid	1,010.00
Individual deposits	27,696,248.76
Time deposits payable after 30 days or after notice of 30 days or longer	1,450,000.00
Cashier's checks	446,413.77
Checkers' checks	430,898.85
United States deposits	1,000.00
Other bonds borrowed without collateral	2,622,000.00
Letters of credit	196,245.37
Acceptances	32,615.14
Total	
\$70,189,774.84	

REPORTS OF NATIONAL BANKS.	
REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE	
NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE IN NEW YORK	
at New York, in the State of New York, at the close of business October 31, 1914.	
RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts	\$103,828,458.32
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	18.50
Due from banks	8,825,000.00
Commercial paper deposited to secure circulation	17,500,000.00
Other securities to secure circulation	15,487,382.51
U. S. bonds to secure circulation (other than stocks)	2,500,000.00
Stocks	4,029,868.61
Banking house	\$50,000.00
Customers' liability under letters of credit	785,964.24
Due from State and National banks	4,452,984.95
Due from clearing houses	38,720.60
Due from Federal Reserve Bank	410,320.78
Exchanges for Clearing House	9,780,850.96
Fractional paper currency, nickel and cents	331,167.00
Legal-tender notes	1,938.90
Legal-tender notes	\$22,158,770.00
Legal-tender notes	8,530,820.00
Clearing House loan certificates (net balance)	30,724,508.00
Amount paid on account of subscription to \$100,000,000 gold fund (unsubscribed less amount, if any, returned to subscriber)	5,290,000.00
Amount paid on account of subscription to \$100,000,000 gold fund (unsubscribed less amount, if any, returned to subscriber)	588,424.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5% of circulation)	1,681,260.00
Due from U. S. Treasurer	234,002.00
Due from U. S. Treasurer	\$22,158,770.00
Due from U. S. Treasurer	8,530,820.00
Total	
\$229,717,390.88	
LIABILITIES	
Capital	\$225,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	1,390,553.95
Circulation	2,670,897.50
Deposits	23,465,939.43
Total	
\$229,717,390.88	

REPORTS OF NATIONAL BANKS.	
REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE	
THE CHATHAM AND PHENIX NATIONAL BANK	
at New York, in the State of New York, at the close of business October 31, 1914.	
RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts	\$103,828,458.32
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	18.50
Due from banks	8,825,000.00
Commercial paper deposited to secure circulation	17,500,000.00
Other securities to secure circulation	15,487,382.51
U. S. bonds to secure circulation (other than stocks)	2,500,000.00
Stocks	4,029,868.61
Banking house	\$50,000.00
Customers' liability under letters of credit	785,964.24
Due from State and National banks	4,452,984.95
Due from clearing houses	38,720.60
Due from Federal Reserve Bank	410,320.78
Exchanges for Clearing House	9,780,850.96
Fractional paper currency, nickel and cents	331,167.00
Legal-tender notes	1,938.90
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Legal-tender notes	8,530,820.00
Clearing House loan certificates (net balance)	30,724,508.00
Amount paid on account of subscription to \$100,000,000 gold fund (unsubscribed less amount, if any, returned to subscriber)	5,290,000.00
Amount paid on account of subscription to \$100,000,000 gold fund (unsubscribed less amount, if any, returned to subscriber)	588,424.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5% of circulation)	1,681,260.00
Due from U. S. Treasurer	234,002.00
Due from U. S. Treasurer	\$22,158,770.00
Due from U. S. Treasurer	8,530,820.00
Total	
\$229,717,390.88	
LIABILITIES	
Capital	\$225,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	1,390,553.95
Circulation	2,670,897.50
Deposits	23,465,939.43
Total	
\$229,717,390.88	

REPORTS OF NATIONAL BANKS.	
REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE	
THE HARRIMAN NATIONAL BANK	
at New York, in the State of New York, at the close of business October 31, 1914.	
RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts	\$9,427,884.63
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	5,985.31
Due from banks	100,000.00
Commercial paper deposited to secure circulation	400,000.00
Other securities to secure circulation	71,000.00
U. S. bonds to secure circulation (other than stocks)	50,000.00
Stocks	33,201.25
Banking house	2,000,000.00
Customers' liability under letters of credit	50,000.00
Due from State and National banks	1,521,178.35
Due from clearing houses	510,778.39
Due from Federal Reserve Bank	25,307.78
Exchanges for Clearing House	115,000.00
Fractional paper currency, nickel and cents	84.01
Legal-tender notes	\$2,004,000.00
Legal-tender notes	2,004,000.00
Clearing House loan certificates (net balance)	51,004.75
Amount paid on account of subscription to \$100,000,000 gold fund (unsubscribed less amount, if any, returned to subscriber)	35,000.00
Amount paid on account of subscription to \$100,000,000 gold fund (unsubscribed less amount, if any, returned to subscriber)	42,000.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5% of circulation)	1,681,260.00
Due from U. S. Treasurer	234,002.00
Due from U. S. Treasurer	\$22,158,770.00
Due from U. S. Treasurer	8,530,820.00
Total	
\$16,651,202.71	
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	\$500,000.00
Surplus fund	500,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses	422,827.47
Reserves for taxes	6,000.00
Other national banks outstanding	684,920.00
Due to State and National banks	\$3,051,120.94
Due to State and National banks	289,844.20
Due from clearing houses	1,108,688.81
Dividends unpaid	8,292,294.01
Individual deposits	28,813.33
Time deposits payable after 30 days or after notice of 30 days or longer	50,000.00
Cashier's checks	761,287.50
Checkers' checks	230,282.72
United States deposits	4,746.33
Other bonds borrowed without collateral	8,670.93
Letters of credit	1,104,797.27
Acceptances	119,153.00
Total	
\$16,651,202.71	

REPORTS OF NATIONAL BANKS.	
REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE	
THE LINCOLN NATIONAL BANK	
at New York, in the State of New York, at the close of business October 31, 1914.	
RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts	\$10,380,334.00
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	3,172.38
Due from banks	890,000.00
Commercial paper deposited to secure circulation	1,000.00
Other securities to secure circulation	1,000.00
U. S. bonds to secure circulation (other than stocks)	964,710.23
Stocks	1,104,797.27
Banking house	119,153.00
Customers' liability under letters of credit	215,492.58
Due from State and National banks	308,084.00
Due from clearing houses	1,350,650.00
Due from Federal Reserve Bank	1,000.00
Exchanges for Clearing House	1,000.00
Fractional paper currency, nickel and cents	8,670.93
Legal-tender notes	\$2,004,000.00
Legal-tender notes	2,004,000.00
Clearing House loan certificates (net balance)	1,350,650.00
Amount paid on account of subscription to \$100,000,000 gold fund (unsubscribed less amount, if any, returned to subscriber)	5,290,000.00
Amount paid on account of subscription to \$100,000,000 gold fund (unsubscribed less amount, if any, returned to subscriber)	588,424.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5% of circulation)	1,681,260.00
Due from U. S. Treasurer	234,002.00
Due from U. S. Treasurer	\$22,158,770.00
Due from U. S. Treasurer	8,530,820.00
Total	
\$229,717,390.88	
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	\$1,000,000.00
Surplus fund	1,000,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses	894,732.25
Reserves for taxes	23,789.00
Other national banks outstanding	587,000.00
Due to State and National banks	\$1,350,650.00
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Due from clearing houses	1,000.00
Dividends unpaid	8,292,294.01
Individual deposits	28,813.33
Time deposits payable after 30 days or after notice of 30 days or longer	50,000.00
Cashier's checks	761,287.50
Checkers' checks	230,282.72
United States deposits	4,746.33
Other bonds borrowed without collateral	8,670.93
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REPORTS OF NATIONAL BANKS.	
REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE	
THE NATIONAL BANK OF NEW YORK	
at New York, in the State of New York, at the close of business October 31, 1914.	
RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts	\$26,785,785.66
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	520.67
Due from banks	50,000.00
Commercial paper deposited to secure circulation	3,000,000.00
Other securities to secure circulation	1,000.00
U. S. bonds to secure circulation (other than stocks)	964,710.23
Stocks	1,104,797.27
Banking house	119,153.00
Customers' liability under letters of credit	215,492.58
Due from State and National banks	308,084.00
Due from clearing houses	1,350,650.00
Due from Federal Reserve Bank	1,000.00
Exchanges for Clearing House	1,000.00
Fractional paper currency, nickel and cents	8,670.93
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serve agents).....	\$1,235,640.77	1,939.00
Due from State and private banks and bankers, trust companies, and commercial banks.....	4,785,166.04	
Loans and discounts.....		
Legal money reserve in bank, viz.:.....		
Specie.....	\$22,188,776.00	
Legal-tender.....		

THE REAL ESTATE FIELD

West Harlem Apartment In Trade for Atlantic City Property—105th Street Dwelling Near Riverside Drive Sold—Broadway Firm Leases Sixth Avenue Space

A trade in the West Harlem section, opposite Morningside Park, involving a six-story apartment house was the chief feature of a light realty market yesterday. The Benmore Apartment at 449 to 458 West 123d Street was sold by the Nason Realty Company, which acquired the property a short time ago, to the American Realty Corporation.

(mtg \$6,000.) Jan. 12; attorney, J. H. [redacted] 132 Nassau St. 132
SULLIVAN ST. 377 E. 18th St. ... 188
of Prince St. 37x100. Maria G. V. M. and another to Frank Vingione, 2,300 W. 1st St., New York City. ... 188
SZD ST. 132 East St. a 55 ft. w of L E Av. [redacted] Kaufmann Mandell to Frank Brichy, 214 Ave S. Brooklyn, Nov. 1934. ... 188
torney, E. Bittler, 277 Broadway.
M.M. REALETY, Frank P. Brichy, Kaufmann and Brichy.

phia, and in exchange the latter gave
four parcels of vacant property at At-

[illegible]

At public auction in the Vesey Street

[illegible]

ing Company a plot of lots located on the easterly side of Arthur Avenue, beginning 195 East 190th St. and ending at 190th St. (mtg \$15,000.) July 15; attorney, Titkante and Trust Co., 178 Broadway.

gutting 110 ft. long, on E. 19th St., 100th St.,
having a depth of 150 feet, 6 inches
by a depth of 119 feet.

Buys Bronxville Plot.

Dr. J. Roswell Hasbrouck has purchased a plot at Cedar Knolls, Bronxville, on Dellwood Road, on which he is erecting a residence, for \$15,000. Henry G. Lohmeyer was the broker.

SALE PROPERTY. Frank P. Bridge
has Estate Co., 16 Broadway, in
1000; Nov. 2 same afternoon.

Bronx.

ANDREWS AVE. In the corner of 183d
100; Sophia E. Doyle to West 183d
Building Co., 2,250 Andrews Ave., W.
100; Nov. 2 same afternoon.

2nd AVENUE. Title Guaranty
Co., 16 Broadway, in 1000; Nov. 2
same afternoon.

LOTS 332-1. 1st Broadway, Title Guaranty
Co., 16 Broadway, in 1000; Nov. 2
same afternoon.

Another Sixth Avenue Lease.

M. & L. Hess have leased the first second, and third lots containing 13,000 square feet at 517 and 519 Sixth Avenue, including 100 and 104 West Thirty-first Street, being the southwest corner of the first block of Sixth Avenue, between Third and Fourth Avenues, and Manhattan, Solomon & Co. Inc., of 511 Broadway, dealers in novelties, notions, &c. The lease is for a term of years, at an

Rafalsky & Co., represented the land-
lord.

Leases.
The M. Morgenthau, Jr. Company has leased for the Property Operating Company two of the stores in the Art Theatre Building on the westerly side of Southern Boulevard, just north of

\$60,000 Queens Loan Placed.
James D. Thomas has arranged

James B. Thomas has procured a building and permanent loan of \$30,000 for the J. W. Construction Company on the three four-story brick apartments to be erected on the west side of Thirteenth Avenue, 300 feet south of Wilson Avenue, Long Island City.

forty-one feet and will be built ninety feet deep, and contain apartments for

New Heights Apartments.
Plans are being prepared by Neville & Barge for a new apartment to be erected on the northeast corner of St. Nicholas Avenue and 180th Street by the Westmoreland Construction Company, of which Stephen J. Egan, President, and Arthur J. Egan, Vice President, are partners.

stories high, and arranged for forty-nine families. It will also contain nine stores.

Real Estate Notes.

The property at 324 West Twenty-seventh Street, owned by Mary A. McCarty, is free and clear, there being no action to foreclose a mortgage against it as asserted in error by a.

RESULTS AT AUCTION.

AT 14 VESSEY STREET.

1. Samuel Goldstein, trustee, against Madison Ave. 1874, n. e. corner 126th St. 19.11 x33, four-story dwelling; S. E. Morton 1883, 1884, 1885, 1886, 1887, 1888, 1889, 1890, 1891, 1892, 1893, 1894, 1895, 1896, 1897, 1898, 1899, 1900, 1901, 1902, 1903, 1904, 1905, 1906, 1907, 1908, 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912, 1913, 1914, 1915, 1916, 1917, 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927, 1928, 1929, 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933, 1934, 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938, 1939, 1940, 1941, 1942, 1943, 1944, 1945, 1946, 1947, 1948, 1949, 1950, 1951, 1952, 1953, 1954, 1955, 1956, 1957, 1958, 1959, 1960, 1961, 1962, 1963, 1964, 1965, 1966, 1967, 1968, 1969, 1970, 1971, 1972, 1973, 1974, 1975, 1976, 1977, 1978, 1979, 1980, 1981, 1982, 1983, 1984, 1985, 1986, 1987, 1988, 1989, 1990, 1991, 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2052, 2053, 2054, 2055, 2056, 2057, 2058, 2059, 2060, 2061, 2062, 2063, 2064, 2065, 2066, 2067, 2068, 2069, 2070, 2071, 2072, 2073, 2074, 2075, 2076, 2077, 2078, 2079, 2080, 2081, 2082, 2083, 2084, 2085, 2086, 2087, 2088, 2089, 2090, 2091, 2092, 2093, 2094, 2095, 2096, 2097, 2098, 2099, 2100, 2101, 2102, 2103, 2104, 2105, 2106, 2107, 2108, 2109, 2110, 2111, 2112, 2113, 2114, 2115, 2116, 2117, 2118, 2119, 2120, 2121, 2122, 2123, 2124, 2125, 2126, 2127, 2128, 2129, 2130, 2131, 2132, 2133, 2134, 2135, 2136, 2137, 2138, 2139, 2140, 2141, 2142, 2143, 2144, 2145, 2146, 2147, 2148, 2149, 2150, 2151, 2152, 2153, 2154, 2155, 2156, 2157, 2158, 2159, 2160, 2161, 2162, 2163, 2164, 2165, 2166, 2167, 2168, 2169, 2170, 2171, 2172, 2173, 2174, 2175, 2176, 2177, 2178, 2179, 2180, 2181, 2182, 2183, 2184, 2185, 2186, 2187, 2188, 2189, 2190, 2191, 2192, 2193, 2194, 2195, 2196, 2197, 2198, 2199, 2200, 2201, 2202, 2203, 2204, 2205, 2206, 2207, 2208, 2209, 2210, 2211, 2212, 2213, 2214, 2215, 2216, 2217, 2218, 2219, 2220, 2221, 2222, 2223, 2224, 2225, 2226, 2227, 2228, 2229, 2230, 2231, 2232, 2233, 2234, 2235, 2236, 2237, 2238, 2239, 2240, 2241, 2242, 2243, 2244, 2245, 2246, 2247, 2248, 2249, 2250, 2251, 2252, 2253, 2254, 2255, 2256, 2257, 2258, 2259, 2260, 2261, 2262, 2263, 2264, 2265, 2266, 2267, 2268, 2269, 2270, 2271, 2272, 2273, 2274, 2275, 2276, 2277, 2278, 2279, 2280, 2281, 2282, 2283, 2284, 2285, 2286, 2287, 2288, 2289, 2290, 2291, 2292, 2293, 2294, 2295, 2296, 2297, 2298, 2299, 2300, 2301, 2302, 2303, 2304, 2305, 2306, 2307, 2308, 2309, 2310, 2311, 2312, 2313, 2314, 2315, 2316, 2317, 2318, 2319, 2320, 2321, 2322, 2323, 2324, 2325, 2326, 2327, 2328, 2329, 2330, 2331, 2332, 2333, 2334, 2335, 2336, 2337, 2338, 2339, 2340, 2341, 2342, 2343, 2344, 2345, 2346, 2347, 2348, 2349, 2350, 2351, 2352, 2353, 2354, 2355, 2356, 2357, 2358, 2359, 2360, 2361, 2362, 2363, 2364, 2365, 2366, 2367, 2368, 2369, 2370, 2371, 2372, 2373, 2374, 2375, 2376, 2377, 2378, 2379, 2380, 2381, 2382, 2383, 2384, 2385, 2386, 2387, 2388, 2389, 2390, 2391, 2392, 2393, 2394, 2395, 2396, 2397, 2398, 2399, 2400, 2401, 2402, 2403, 2404, 2405, 2406, 2407, 2408, 2409, 2410, 2411, 2412, 2413, 2414, 2415, 2416, 2417, 2418, 2419, 2420, 2421, 2422, 2423, 2424, 2425, 2426, 2427, 2428, 2429, 2430, 2431, 2432, 2433, 2434, 2435, 2436, 2437, 2438, 2439, 2440, 2441, 2442, 2443, 2444, 2445, 2446, 2447, 2448, 2449, 2450, 2451, 2452, 2453, 2454, 2455, 2456, 2457, 2458, 2459, 2460, 2461, 2462, 2463, 2464, 2465, 2466, 2467, 2468, 2469, 2470, 2471, 2472, 2473, 2474, 2475, 2476, 2477, 2478, 2479, 2480, 2481, 2482, 2483, 2484, 2485, 2486, 2487, 2488, 2489, 2490, 2491, 2492, 2493, 2494, 2495, 2496, 2497, 2498, 2499, 2500, 2501, 2502, 2503, 2504, 2505, 2506, 2507, 2508, 2509, 2510, 2511, 2512, 2513, 2514, 2515, 2516, 2517, 2518, 2519, 2520, 2521, 2522, 2523, 2524, 2525, 2526, 2527, 2528, 2529, 2530, 2531, 2532, 2533, 2534, 2535, 2536, 2537, 2538, 2539, 2540, 2541, 2542

By Joseph P. Day.
St. Lawrence Av. 1,501, n w corner of Man-

TODAY'S AUCTION SALES.
AT 14 VESSEY STREET.
By Samuel Marx,
80th St. 323 West No. 1, 2d fl w/o
A. J. Schwab's library & jewelry cleaning.
Hudson City Salvage Institution against J.
J. Schmitt, 67-10th St., 2nd fl. 1000
to arrive: Alexander Karlin, referee, due,
\$9,000.00. Sells, \$707.75, to the plaintiff
for \$8,000.00.

85th St. 49 West. n.s. 318 ft e of Columbus

A. 16x100.8, three-story dwelling; J. C.
 Veith against Theodore Killian and others;
 Finch & C. attorneys; William Allen,
 referee; due, \$15,846.91; taxes, &c. \$1,035.78.
 By Henry Brady.
 524 St. 636 West, s. a. 225 ft. e. of 12th Av.,
 20x100.5, two-story stable; J. J. A. Hickey
 against Maria Stoops and others; R. J.
 attorney, Title Guarantor and Trust
 176 Broadway
 ORCHARD ST. w. a. 48.5 ft. s. of C
 24x55.6; Firm of S. Jarmulowski
 gene Lamb Richards, as Superintendent
 Bank of State of New York, trustee
 Brighton, 8. 1. Oct. 19, due as per
 attorneys, Carmody. B. & R.

THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT

Alterations.
Items under \$5,000 omitted.
Tomb's Prison, Lafayette and Centre St. to the Ward's quarters altering to visitor's rooms and third story added; City of New York, owner; F. B. & A. Ware, 1.170 Broadway; architect, J. M. \$13,000.

72 to 76 Tenth Av. to a six-story brick factory; altered to seven stories; National Biscuit Co., owner; R. Isaac Beers, 123

East 23d St. architect, cost, \$20,000.
Est. Av. 47 and 49, to a tenant and stores: owner, Samuel Levington, 101 West 42d St. architect, cost, \$10,000.
another, 2100 Mapee Av. Nev. St. cost, \$12,500. 5 times \$34, p. c. of alterations, 1800 Mapee Av. Nev. St. architect, 120th St. s. s., 2002 1/2 ft. of Park Av. 19-11: Bernard Brindley 65 New York Insurance and Trust Co. 62 Wall St. s. s. of Samuel Smith. 62 Wall St. Nov. &c. as per bond, alterations, Title Guar. and Trust Co. 170 Broadway.....
18th St. s. s. 184 1/2 ft. of 5th Av. 19-11: Frank P. Brindley to New York

attorney. When attorney's name is omitted address early of the second part.

Manhattan.	Bronx.
ELBRIDGE ST. 219, s. e. 49.6 ft. s. of Stanton St., 24.6 ft. s. of Harris Schwartz, 100 East 117th St. Oct. 31; Attorney, Louis Mannheim, 302 Broadway. \$100	ANDREWS AV. n. e. corner of 128th & 100 West 128th St. Building Co. of E. Doyle, 6 Floral Park, L. I. pri. \$8,000. Nov. 2, due. \$c., as per bond given. Title Guarantors and Trust Co. of N. Y. City, 100 Broadway.
SAME PROPERTY; George Halpin to Harris Schwartz, 100 East 117th St. (mt. fee \$300). Nov. 2; same attorney. \$100	FORDHAM @ 85 AV. n. e. 202 ft. of St. 180, E. 149th. Isaacsohn, 41 West 10th St.
ELBRIDGE ST. 220, s. e. 51 ft. s. of Stanton St., 24.6 ft. s. of Harris Schwartz, 100 East 117th St. Oct. 31; Attorney, Louis Mannheim, 302 Broadway. \$100	

Schwartz, 920 Avenue St John, 1/2 part, a. t.,
Oct. 31; same attorney. \$100.
ELDRIDGE ST. 213-220, e. s. 25 ft s of Stan-
St. 134th St. and another, Oct. 14, 1901
c. attorney, D. H. Solotaroff, 83

ton St. 49x87 ft.; Harris Schwartz to Edward A. Johnson, 17 West 132d St. or 154 Nassau St. (mtg \$55,300.) Nov. 2. \$100

FRONT ST. 354-356, n. e. 325.2 ft w of Jackson St. 40.10x70 ft.; Lena, wife of Philip Jaroslawsky to Philip Jaroslawsky, 356 Front St.

MORTGAGE LOANS.

MORTGAGE MONEY

(Amounts divided to suit.)

\$75,000	② 5 %
\$100,000	② 5 1/2 %
\$250,000	② 8 %

RALPH H. WADDELL,
 Phone 477-478—Cortlandt 220 Broadway—
EDWARD CORNING BUILDERS
 100 W. 4th St. NEW YORK

City Property.
Early notice is given.
Manhattan—For Sale or to Let.
American basement, private, for sale or rent,
furnished dwelling, five story; Otis ele-
vator; modern in every respect; elegantly
furnished. Key at 33 West 86th St.

Brox—For Sale or to Let.
Two-family brick, 1,150 Longfellow Av.,
107th, to colored or white brings \$50 monthly
rent; valued \$13,000; new kitchen \$8,700; sell for
\$5,400 above mortgage; lots of improvements.
Crown, 510 West 10th St.

City Houses to Let—Unfurnished.
200TH ST., (at Southeast Cor. Valentich
Av. Bedford Park).—FOR RENT, two \$65
adjoining houses, each with bath; fine for
two friendly families or boarding house.

192 WEST 38TH STREET.
Four-story dwelling, partly furnished;
caterpillar; 12 rooms and 3 baths; reasonable
rent.
ASHFORTH & COMPANY, 11 East 43d St.

153 West 18d St.—Three-story dwelling, two
65; caterpillar; ten rooms and bath; reason-
able rent.
ASHFORTH & COMPANY, 11 East
42d St.

West 86th St., 152-154 rooming 2 baths, rent,
\$1,500. Warren & Skilling, 174 Fulton St.

Real Estate for Exchange.
Builder will exchange elegant four-story,
steam-heated and cold-water flats, all rent-
ing, for a lot of 100 feet or more, for residence
or lots. L. Levy Bros., 5 Beekman, Manhattan.

What's offered for Washington Heights cor-
ner apartments, equity \$30,000. Owner,
3,525 Broadway.

Property Out of the City.
Early notice is given.

For immediate sale, owner will sacrifice
handsome new dwelling, never occupied, 10
rooms, 2½ baths, electric light, and fix-
tures: large grounds; macadam road; two
minutes from the city; collection of 35
minutes from Grand Central; very ac-
cessible. Box 127 Times.

Larchmont.
Come and see homes and bungalows at
Larchmont. See Richmond, West 32d St.

Long Island - For Sale or To Let.
Leaving State: must sell beautiful house,
rich rooms, bath, parlor, dining room,
library, kitchen, four bedrooms, five closets;
train, car, garage, pool, parrot, fish, heat,
air, sun parlor, garage, 30 chickens; give
offer for cash; subject to \$2,500 first mort-
gage. Box 4, Floral Park, N. Y.

**North Shore - Waterfront properties; \$1,000-
\$2,000.** See "Estates" Washington Co., N. Y.
34th St.

**Douglas Manor, lots 522 m. from Penn.
Station.** - Curtis, 227 Myerson St.

Brooklyn.
New Jersey—For Sale or To Let.
Jersey City—New hollow the, stucco finish, detached dwelling, 7 rooms, bath; all improvements; new refrigerator, new stove, new sleeping porch; large plot; garage space; convenient to train, trolley, stores, schools, etc.; \$12,000; \$10,000 down; \$2,000 balance; \$100 per month. **CONDUCTED BY Exchange Place, Jersey City.**

FOR RENT—Suite four large outside rooms, bath, all improvements, heat, etc., in large private home; beautiful, extensive grounds; view of Hudson River and New York Harbor; views on South St. residence section of Hudson River; \$100 per month. **Call on A. A. Swanna R. R. Room 804, 41 Park Row, N. Y.**

Commuter's farm for squabs, mushrooms, poultry, fruit; 36 acres, 170 peach, 40 Apple trees; 100000 sq. ft. of land; 10000 sq. ft. of plants 100 feet long; cost over \$5,000; price \$24,000; \$10,000 down; \$14,000 balance; \$100 per month. **Call on A. A. Swanna R. R. Room 804, 41 Park Row, N. Y.**

Forced to sell at sacrifice, \$1,200 plot, \$500; 50x150 feet; high, in healthy Orange Mountains, near La Guardia, in residential neighborhood. **Room 804, 41 Park Row, N. Y.**

montclair. Opportunity to live in a beautiful modern home; 9 rooms, 2 baths, every appointment; will sacrifice for \$3,600. Murdoch, op. Lackawanna Sta., Montclair.

Farm Bargain—107 acres. Rocky Hill, near Princeton; good buildings; fine view; excellent soil; price very low. Conduct 18 Exchange Place, Jersey City.

Smith-Singer Co., Glen Rock, N. J.—Beautiful twin adjoining Ridgewood; exceptional bargain; exceptional prices; large plots. Write for photos.

MUST SELL
handmade home at bargain; price, \$6,250. Cash required, \$500. House, Room 316, 1323 Broadway.

To Let for Business Purposes.

Thirty cents a line

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THE EMBROIDERY SHOP BUILDING
473 7th Avenue East, between 1st and 2nd
Streets, opposite public library, fourth FLOOR.
Also Studio with fine north light and sky
light. Modern. Water.
W. M. A. WHITE & SONS,
62 Cedar Street.

**A-SOUTHWEST CORNER BROADWAY
AND WALKER ST. LARGE, ATTRAC-
TIVE STORE, (3,400 SQ. FT.) OR WILL
BE USED TO TO BE USED TO TO TO TO TO
JOHN'S POSSESSION; LOW RENT
YEARS P. KIRWAN & SONS, 136 WEST
42ND ST. FULL COMMISSION TO BROK-
ER.**

**A Bargain-Desirable office in 30th St.
between Broadway and 6th Ave. will sublease
one-half or all (about 8,000 square feet) at
a very low price. Price and terms of lease
engineering concern. Address M 97 Times.**

Lofts, 621-623 West 26th St., 40x90; all light

fireproof building; power; steam heat; electric; vapor; low rent. Apply Owner, premises.

Desk room, highest class, all facilities. \$15 to \$150. 426 Times Building, Times Square.

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STORES, LOFTS, OFFICES.
Rhineclander Real Estate Co., 31 Nassau.

Stores in the midtown section. Van Norden & Wilson, 1 West 34th St., N. Y.

MANUFACTURE SALES.
SUPREME COURT, NEW YORK COUNTY.
—In the matter of the voluntary dissolution of BORNE MC LAUGHLIN COMPANY.
Notice is hereby given that by an order of the court, the said company is authorized to sell and dispose of all its real and personal property and effects of the above company, consisting of all its assets and liabilities, to the highest bidder, for cash.

Communion Certificates, Prayer Books, Marriage Certificates, Roses, Crucifixes, Etc., and all other articles of devotion. Also, Religious Articles, Chalice, Ciboria, Sanctuary Lamp, Candelsticks, Candelabra. Vestments, Bells, Altar Cloth, and all other articles of devotion and Supplies. Marble Forns, Altar Lamps, Statuary, Candles, Tapers, etc., will be sold at a low price. All articles of devotion and articles to be held at the store and buildings formerly occupied by the said company at 1090 A. M. in the term of the said company, New York, Borough of Manhattan, Friday, November 8th, 1914, at 10:30 A. M., in accordance with the terms of the said company, announced, and subject to confirmation by the Court.

Dated New York, Oct. 21st, 1914.

WILLIAM A. SHIELDS,
Receiver of Bohne McLaughlin Co.,
1090 A. M., New York, Borough of Manhattan.
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day, Thursday, Nov. 8th, 1914, by order of
the court, the following property, to-wit: the
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Street, New York City, belonging to the
above bankrupt, consisting of various
pieces of jewelry, including diamonds, rubies,
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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York, in and for the County of New York, do hereby certify that the sale of BENJAMIN E. PALMER, Bankrupt—Chas. Shongold, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern District of New York, was held, and said sale, by order of the court, at 10:30 A. M., at the Court House, Borough of Manhattan, on the 5th day of November, 1914, of the above bankrupt, consisting of jewelry, safe, fixtures, etc.

ROSE H. ROSENSTEIN, Trustee
BLATT ZALKIN & COHEN, Attorneys for Trustee, 141 Broadway, New York.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE
United States for the Southern District of
New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of
the **ESTATE OF SHONGOOD, U. S. Auctioneer for the Southern**
District of New York in bankruptcy, said
Wednesday, Nov. 11th, 1914, by order of the
court at 10:30 A. M., at 639 Erie Boroagh,
Manhattan. Assets of the above bankrupt,
consisting of furs, skins, scarfs, muffs,
and other goods, and a mirror, etc., to be
sold by public auction, at 10:30 A. M., by
Inspection Nov. 9th and 10th, between 10
A. M. and 4 P. M. **A. FINES, Receiver.**
ROBERT H. FLEISCHER, Auctioneer
for Receiver, 2 Bector St., New York.

OUR NAVY TO HAVE GIANT SUBMARINES

Biggest and Fastest Under-
Water Craft in the World
Designed for Us.

TO GO WITH FLEET ANYWHERE

Twice as Large as the Present
Vessels and Powerful in
Proportion.

READY TO ASK FOR BIDS

Design Complete and Approved—
Surface Speed 21 Knots—Will
Burn Oil for Power.

Special to The New York Times.
WASHINGTON, Nov. 5.—Designs have
been completed and specifications pre-
pared in the United States Navy De-
partment for a new and distinct type
of submarine which will outclass sub-
marines such as the German U-9 class,
just as the first dreadnought outclassed
the old type of battleship. It will prob-
ably be the greatest submarine afloat.

The new craft will be known as a fleet
submarine. It will displace about 1,300
tons, which means that it will be twice
the size of any submarine now afloat.
The aim is to build a submarine of
high speed and great defensive power
that will be able to accompany the
American battleship fleet and never to
be behind it. It will be about 300 feet
long, this length being necessary both
to install the more powerful propelling
machinery and to find space for the
increased equipment of reserve tor-
pedoes and extra torpedo tubes.

The new fleet submarine will have its
own wireless outfit, and will have a
cruising radius of about 3,500 miles at
twenty-one knot speed. It also will
have rapid-fire guns for self-defense,
and will carry enough torpedoes to sink
a modern fleet of dreadnoughts.

Bids for the new vessels will be
opened at the Navy Department on Dec.
15. The confidential plans and speci-
fications for this powerful new craft are
now in the possession of builders who
are at liberty to bid upon the design
submitted by the department or to
modify the design and submit bids ac-
cordingly. The cost of the new type
of submarine will be about \$1,250,000.
It is to be built under the Naval Ap-
propriation act enacted by the session of
Congress just ended, containing an ap-
propriation of \$4,400,000 for eight or
more submarines, and carrying a clause
that failed to attract public attention.
This clause directed the Navy Depart-
ment to construct the new submarine of
not less than twenty knots' speed.

Submarine Destroyer.
Because of its size, which will be that
of a large torpedo-boat destroyer, the
new type of vessel has been termed a
submarine destroyer, and also as a div-
ing destroyer, by laymen in the de-
partment familiar with the Government's
plans. But naval constructors and high
ranking officers in the navy insist that
it is a fleet submarine, but distinctly a
new type of submarine—their word be-
ing a "fleet submarine," but the whole
idea is that it will be able to go any-
where that an ocean-going destroyer or
the battleship fleet may go.

It was learned tonight that both
France and England contemplate the
construction of similar fleet submarines,
but were keeping their plans secret.
American naval officers say the navy's
submarine knowledge has been so far
developed that the new submarine will
be superior to any one of its type now
being contemplated abroad.

New Craft Speedy.
The new fleet submarine, which will
be twice the size of the new M-1 type,
authorized in 1912 and 1913, and is to
have a cruising radius of 3,500 to 4,000
miles, will have more than 16 knot speed
when navigating under water. The M-1 is
designed for a radius of about 3,000 miles
at 11 knots speed on the surface, and
for about 120 miles at 5 knots under the
surface. The new fleet submarine will
have double the surface speed and carry
three times the under water speed of
the previously authorized type for the
American or foreign navies.

The motive power will be Diesel in-
ternational combustion engines, and will
burn heavy fuel oil instead of gaso-
line, which is now only being used in
submarines. This use of heavy oil fuel
alone will give the new submarine greater
driving power, which will be in-
creased by the length of the craft.

The torpedo-defense guns to be
mounted on the new fleet submarine do
not involve a new idea. All the latest
submarines are being provided with
rapid-fire guns. These are not intended
for offensive but for defensive use, to
shoot off attacks by destroyers accom-
panying the enemy's fleet. The fleet
submarine will not carry many more
guns than the latest type now in com-
mission.

TO SEE MERCURY'S TRANSIT.

Will Be Visible Through Small Tele-
scopes, Says Dr. Brooks.

GENEVA, N. Y., Nov. 5.—Dr. W. R.
Brooks, Director of the Smithsonian
Observatory and Professor of Astronomy
at Hobart College, said tonight that the
transit of the planet Mercury across the
sun's face on Saturday morning would
be visible in the eastern portion of the
United States.
Dr. Brooks said the planet would be
seen half way across the sun's face at
9 A. M. and would pass off at 9 A. M. It
would appear, he said, like a round
spot, and would be visible through
small telescopes, properly screened with
dark glass.

CUBAN SOLDIERS PLANNED MASSACRE

Premature Collision With Police
Prevented Wholesale Slaugh-
ter in Havana.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
HAVANA, Nov. 5.—The Herald de
Cuba, a Conservative newspaper, de-
clares that the Cuban soldiers whose
attack on the Havana police last night
resulted in one soldier being killed and
three policemen fatally and four others
slightly wounded, planned a massacre
of policemen which was only prevented
by a premature collision. The soldiers
planned to gather in large numbers in
a vacant lot and then march to the of-
fice of the Secretary of Government,
killing all policemen met on the way.
The authorities have adopted the
strictest precautions to prevent a fur-
ther outbreak, over thirty soldiers being
arrested.

ELECTION FRAUD IN CUBA.

Annulment May Follow Irregulari-
ties—Tremendous Totals Shown.
Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
HAVANA, Nov. 5.—The election of
last Sunday may be annulled on account
of enormous frauds. It was notorious
that less than 10 per cent. of the electors
voted, yet the final count shows that
nearly 1,200,000 votes were cast for Con-
gressmen in Havana Province alone,
when the entire population of Cuba is
only about 3,000,000.

DOYLE TO WRITE WAR BOOK.

Material for It to Be Gathered Di-
rect from the Front.
Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
LONDON, Friday, Nov. 6.—It is un-
derstood that Sir Arthur Conan Doyle
means to write a book on the war, gather-
ing material direct from the front and
from those who have been there.

NEW AID TO SURGERY.

Dane Invents Apparatus to Photo-
graph Interior of Stomach.
Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
COPENHAGEN, Nov. 4. (Dispatch to
The London Morning Post.)—An ap-
paratus which should prove of consid-
erable service to the surgical profession
has been invented by M. Shm. Fried-
richsen. It photographs the interior of
the stomach through the mouth, thus
enabling doctors accurately to locate
cancers, ulcers, and other abnormal af-
fections.

The apparatus has been tested, and
is said to have given successful results.

WILSON TO TAKE A REST.

Won't Go Away, but Will See No
Callers Till Tuesday.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 5.—President
Wilson wants a few days of rest. He
has canceled tomorrow's regular Cab-
inet meeting, and unless some emergency
arises will see no callers until next
Tuesday. In the meantime he will spend
his time in possible playing golf
and taking automobile rides.
It was generally expected that the
President would leave Washington for a
short vacation following the election,
but he has made no plans for going
away, believing that he should remain
here because of unsettled conditions in
Europe and Mexico.
Mr. Wilson soon will begin to give
consideration to the five appointments
he is to make in December to the new
Trade Commission. A number of Dem-
ocratic members of Congress who failed
of re-election want positions on the
commission. Representative Palmer,
who was defeated for election to the
Senate from Pennsylvania, and Com-
missioner of Corporations Davies are
being prominently mentioned for the
commission.

BUSINESS CLOGS WIRELESS.

Tuckerton Station Temporarily
Closed to Commercial Messages.

Owing to the congestion due to the
many messages filed for points in Ger-
many and Austria-Hungary, the Gold-
schmidt wireless station at Tuckerton,
N. J., was closed temporarily to com-
mercial business last night. It probably
will be three or four days before the
messages that have piled up have been
transmitted to Germany. The closing
of the station to commercial
business does not affect the transmis-
sion of official messages for the United
States, Germany, and Austria-Hungary.
It was said last night that, while the
messages on hand are being provided for,
the station will be kept open to com-
mercial business. The naval officer in charge
of the station at Tuckerton said last night
that transmission was in progress and
that the apparatus was working well.

STEEL MILLS STARTING UP.

Independent Concerns Near Pitts-
burgh Call in Their Employees.

Special to The New York Times.
PITTSBURGH, Penn., Nov. 5.—Steel
mills, blast furnaces, and manufactur-
ing plants in this district employing
more than 20,000 men are preparing to
resume either full or part operations
within the next ten days. In several
instances employees of these concerns
were notified today that they soon
would be needed in their old places, or
that they would go on full time next
week.

From the big new Kensington plant
of the Aluminum Company of America
came word today that the company ex-
pects to resume full operations in a
few days.
The Jones & Laughlin Company, the
largest independent steel concern in the
country, is preparing to increase its
working force at the Soho, South Side,
transmilling works, while several mills
in the Allegheny Valley will start next
week.

Pressed Steel Car Company's
McKees Rocks and Woods Run plants
will increase operations beginning next
Monday. Spang & Chaffin, in Milled
will fire several mills on Monday, and
at least four furnaces in the Monaca-
hela Valley will be blown in.
The McKinnon-Marshall Company and
the American Bridge Company expect to
increase operations in their Woods Run
plants this week. The extensive
works of the latter company at Amb-
ridge will also go on better time.

Deerfoot Farm Burned.
Made of the timber used in this place and other
places. The fire was caused by a spark from a
train. The fire was caused by a spark from a
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GOOD HOPE'S GUNS BALKED BY WAVES

Roll of British Flagship in Storm
Checked 9-Inch Fire Until
Germans Closed In.

SIX-INCH GUN DECK AWASH

Broadside Crippled Big Cruiser
Early in Fight—Monmouth
Sank Defending Her.

FIVE SHIPS STILL MISSING

No Word from the Good Hope, Glas-
gow, Otranto, Leipzig or Bremen
Since Battle of Sunday Night.

VALPARAISO, Chile, Nov. 5.—A wire-
less cry from the British cruiser Glas-
gow, intercepted by the German victors,
was the last word received from Rear
Admiral Craddock's squadron following
the engagement off the Chilean coast on
Sunday.

The Germans saw the Monmouth sink
and heard an explosion on board the
Good Hope that they believe sent the
crippled flagship to the bottom. All
that night the German cruiser Nürnberg
searched the seas for the Good
Hope unsuccessfully. They picked up a
radiogram directed to the flagship by
the Glasgow. There was no reply.
There were about 650 men on the Mon-
mouth when she disappeared beneath
the waves. Admiral Craddock had 900
men with him on board the Good Hope.

Whether the Glasgow and the trans-
port Otranto, which escaped destruc-
tion, survived the damage suffered in
the battle, is unknown. The whereabouts
of the German cruisers Leipzig and Bre-
men remains in doubt.

Further details of the first really im-
portant naval battle of the war became
known from statements made by Ger-
man officers. The latter did not hesi-
tate to commend the bravery of the
British in the uneven combat and in-
dicated that an effort to save lives would
have been made if the weather had per-
mitted. The engagement was fought in
the teeth of a northerly that assumed
almost hurricane proportions. Small
boats could not live in the sea. The
heaviest weather militated against the
larger ships and the Good Hope found
her guns almost useless because of the
ship's roll.

The German, Chile, fleet, the cruisers
Scharnhorst, Gneisenau and the Nürn-
berg, had rejoined the cruisers Leipzig
and Bremen, the latter vessels having
been detached to patrol the coast north of
Valparaiso. The unit proceeded south-
ward apparently well aware of the re-
ndevous of the British off Concepcion
Bay.

British Squadron Surprised.

At the same time the British cruisers
Monmouth and Glasgow, accompanied
by the transport Otranto, moved north
to meet the flagship Good Hope. The
British evidently were not aware of the
presence of the Germans and they met
off Coronel.

It was 6 o'clock Sunday night when
the Germans sighted the three British
ships. The British attempted to alter
their course evidently with an intention
to approach the coast and gain terri-
torial waters and so avoid an unequal
fight. The Germans, however, headed
them off and forced the battle. The
at the moment that the German guns
were trained the Good Hope was seen
coming at full speed, and through good
seamanship she managed to join the
other British ships.

The Britishers had come about and the
two squadrons sailed southward in
parallel lines, the Germans being nearer
the coast. Gradually the two lines came
nearer to each other and the Scharn-
horst and Gneisenau simultaneously let
go their twelve 8-inch guns, which
they concentrated on the Good Hope.
The firing continued for several min-
utes without damage. The German
ships then fired a terrible broadside from
such a roll that she could not reply. The
smaller cruisers were far out of range.

Broadside Cripples Flagship.

Slowly the sea fighters drew in nearer
and when the two squadrons were only
6,000 yards apart, the Good Hope fired
her two 9-inch guns. She was still un-
able to use her eight 6-inch guns, which
on the sundown were so near the water
that as the vessel rolled they were
almost awash. A terrible broadside from
the Scharnhorst and Gneisenau crippled
the British flagship and her engines
stopped. The Monmouth, recognizing
the distress of her companion, made a
dash to cover the Good Hope, but by
that time the distance separating the
two squadrons had been reduced to 5,000
yards and the Germans were able to
bring all their ships into action and
use all the guns of the five vessels.
These were directed first against the
Monmouth, Glasgow, and Otranto. The
Otranto, badly damaged, escaped to the
gathering darkness and soon afterward
was followed by the Glasgow, which also
had been put out of action, but con-
tinued apparently unharmed.

The five German ships continued their
attack on the Monmouth and Good
Hope until in a few minutes the Mon-
mouth sank. By this time only 4,500
yards separated the fighters.
The Good Hope, badly damaged, hung
on until an explosion occurred aboard her.
She withdrew to the westward at
7:30 o'clock. As she disappeared flames
were seen on board her. Whether her
crew was able to stop the fire or if the
explosion finally sank her is not known.
The flames died down and she was not
seen again.

Search in Vain for Good Hope.

The Nürnberg searched until daybreak
for the wounded ship when the German
officers concluded that she had been
lost with all her crew. The only trace
Continued on Page 3.

GERMANY APPEALING FOR POPE'S SYMPATHY

Talk of a Roman-German Empire
Taken in Rome as a Bid
for Favor.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
ROME, Nov. 5.—Undoubtedly the ef-
forts being made by Germany in the
present colossal conflict are the most
strenuous endeavors undertaken by any
country. While desperately fighting
with four countries around her front-
iers, Germany is collecting throughout
the world all the forces which can help
her in the ultimate issue. Thus she has
succeeded so far in preventing Italy
from following her impulse to side with
the Allies and obtained the participation
of Turkey. She managed to induce
Constantinople to make love to Rome,
forgetting Tripoli, hoping for Italo-
Turkish co-operation in favor of Ger-
man interests.

More marvellous still, Germany is now
trying to unite in the same work two
traditional enemies, the Sultan and the
Pope. Flattering the latter, the Kaiser
says he only can restore the old Roman
Empire, which will be now the Roman-
German Empire, being consecrated by
the Roman church. The present Pope
has met the Kaiser twice in Rome with
the latter visited Pope Leo. It will be
interesting to see the attitude Pope Ben-
edict will take before Germany's ad-
vances.

Unofficial reports, according to the
dispatch to Reuters' Telegram Company
says that the rebellion of Gen. Christian
Frederick Beyers in the western Trans-
vaal and the mutiny of Lieut. Col. Solom-
on Gerhardus Maritz in Northwest
Cape Town now appear to be comple-
tely crushed.

On the eve of the outbreak of the
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occupied by Turkish outposts.

This Turkish Army, the Novoe
Vremya continues, would consist of
normal conditions of 80 battalions
of Infantry, 60 batteries of artillery
with 250 guns, and 40 squadrons of
regular cavalry, but to it have been
added 50 squadrons of Kurd cavalry,
amounting to 20,000 men.

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tion has been received from the Rus-
sian General Staff:

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Having dislodged the Turks from
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west of Ardest, over the line into
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ALLIES LOSE AND RETAKE TRENCHES; KAISER WATCHES BATTLE IN FRANCE; RUSSIANS SEIZE TURKISH TOWNS

ARMENIAN CITIES TAKEN

Russians Report Victories
Near Border—Turks
Abandon Wounded.

BRITISH ANNEX CYPRUS

Turks Invade Persia—Accused
of Trying to Force That
Country to Help.

THE ALLIES DECLARE WAR

German Officer with a Plan to
Blow Up the Suez Canal Sen-
tenced to Prison for Life.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
PETROGRAD, Nov. 5. (Dispatch to
The London Daily Telegraph.)—News
has reached Tiflis that the Turks suf-
fered great losses in opposing the
crossing of their frontier by the Rus-
sian Army. The entire battlefield was
covered with their dead and wounded.
The feeling in the Ottoman Army is
much depressed.

The Russian artillery was very
skillfully handled and struck panic
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Summary of War News.

Great Britain and France have made formal declaration of war on
Turkey. Russian troops have invaded Turkish Armenia, and Petrograd
reports the capture of several towns. Constantinople, however, declares
that the invaders were routed with heavy losses.

England announces that in war operations against Turkey holy places
will be spared from bombardment.

According to French official reports German attacks were repulsed
yesterday, notably north of Arras, where the Allies lost several trenches,
but later retook them, and in the St. Hubert region of the Argonne.

German General Headquarters announced the repulse of a Franco-
British attack near Nieuport, and progress of the Kaiser's forces near
Ypres, Lille, Berry-au-Bac, in the Argonne region, and in the Vosges.

The Russian General Staff announces that Mlava, in Poland, near the
East Prussian frontier, was recaptured on Nov. 3, and that the losses of
the German troops along that frontier line have been very heavy.

An unofficial view in Petrograd is that, as a result of the decisive de-
feat of the German armies in Poland, East Prussia may have to be aban-
doned in order that the forces may be concentrated to defend the direct
route to Berlin.

The British cruiser Good Hope, Rear Admiral Craddock's flagship, which
was in the battle with the German fleet off the Chilean coast on Sunday
night, has not been heard from since the fight. Reports from Valparaiso
also say that the British ships Glasgow and Otranto and the German
cruisers Leipzig and Bremen have not been reported at any Chilean port.

AMERICAN MARINES LANDED AT BEIRUT?

Our Citizens in Constantinople
Said to be in Danger and
Preparing to Depart.

PARIS, Nov. 5.—The Temps has re-
ceived a report stating that American
marines have been landed at Beirut,
Syria, for the protection of American
interests.

GENEVA, Nov. 5.—A telegram has
been received here from an American
business man in Constantinople saying
that Americans in the Turkish capital
are in danger for the reason that the
Turks cannot distinguish between Eng-
lishmen and Americans.

Continuing, this American declares
that all business in Turkey is at a stand-
still, that the country is virtually in the
hands of the Germans, and that the
American business men are ready to
depart.

According to advices reaching Geneva
from Munich, fourteen German naval
officers and fifty sailors, all in uniform,
have left Munich for Turkey. They are
traveling by way of Vienna.

LONDON, Nov. 5.—Telegraphing from
Alexandria, Egypt, under date of Tues-
day, the correspondent of Reuters' Tele-
gram Company says:

"The Turkish authorities tried to pre-
vent the departure of the British offi-
cials and other foreign subjects from
Beirut, but the intervention of the Amer-
ican Consul in their behalf was success-
ful. It was explained, however, that the
idea of the detention was not to keep
them as hostages, but to avoid the con-
fession of a financial rupture as the feeling
there is a resentment toward the Germans
for plunging Turkey into war."

The presence of the American cruiser
North Carolina is expected to exercise
a salutary influence on the popular
feeling.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 5.—The Navy
Department has not yet been advised
that American marines have been
landed at Beirut. The armored cruisers
North Carolina and Tennessee are in
Turkish waters, however, and the de-
partment said to-night that there would
be nothing surprising if the marines
were sent ashore.

While there have been no reports to
the Navy Department indicating im-
mediate danger of anti-Christian out-
breaks in Beirut, and officials of the de-
partment said to-night that there would
be nothing surprising if the marines
were sent ashore.

The American Consul in Beirut is facili-
tating the departure of subjects of the allied
powers in Turkey, as well as looking
after American missionaries and inter-
ests.

15 BRITISH OFFICERS KILLED; 22 WOUNDED

Latest Casualty List Includes the
Heir of Lord Abergare
Among the Dead.

LONDON, Nov. 5.—A casualty list
dated Oct. 31 issued here tonight gives
the names of fifteen officers killed, and
twenty-two wounded. Among those
killed is Capt. Hon. H. B. Bruce of
the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders.
In the list of wounded appear the names
of Lieut. Col. E. P. Lambert of the
Royal Field Artillery and Major the
Hon. A. C. Weld-Forester of the Gren-
adier Guards, third son of Baron For-
ester.

Private letters received here announce
the death in action of Lieut. Simon
Fraser, son of Baron Saltoun, and of
Major Arthur Percival, son of Right
Rev. J. Percival,

mortar which throws a projectile weighing several hundred pounds. The shells around Armentières being too soft and yielding to sustain without artificial support the weight of this mortar, under cover of night the Germans dug a deep pit, filled it with concrete and mounted their pet gun on a wooden platform. At dawn they got to work and raised the Allied trenches with high-angle shells, the projectiles from the mortar falling plump into the trenches. Despite their elaborate preparations the results of the shelling were disappointing. The shells buried themselves deep in the parapets of the trenches, making huge holes where they struck and giving the British a mud bath. On their impact these shells found no resistance from the soft clay-like soil, and their destructive force was therefore reduced to a minimum. An officer whose regiment was exposed to the full effects of the mortar fire, says that it did not put a single man out of action.

British Sang in Their Bomb-Proofs.

The advance trenches were subjected to severe shelling for three hours. The British dug trenches and dugouts to cover, their trenches were furnished with bomb-proof shelters, where at the hottest moments of the bombardment the men took refuge. According to all the theories of all the German General Staff, three hours' bombardment by these heavy mortars should have killed any army to pulp. The British gave no sign of life, and so, interpreting their silence significantly, the German commanders ordered their masses of infantry to carry the trenches which they concluded must be already filled with dead.

The assaulting columns came on in close formation. The word had been passed around and the British crept from their bomb-proof shelters and manned the trenches. So quietly was the manoeuvre executed that the attacking Germans had no suspicion of the deadly surprise in store for them. The British batteries had as yet not come into action. They were cleverly hidden in the fields behind and covered with brushwood. Then the guns spoke, and many German soldiers went down to rise no more. The British shells made great rents in the concrete of the German trenches. Their advance stopped dead, and the survivors of the attacking columns went to earth, where they proceeded frantically to dig themselves into cover with their trenching tools. The British infantry rifle fire found them by this time and punished them terribly.

Fought Under the Kaiser's Eye.

The attack was under imperial and royal auspices, for the Kaiser and the King of Saxony were present at the local German headquarters.

After another hour of shell fire directed upon our whole line, the mud-stained men who, molelike, had burrowed into the earth, crawled forth and, pulling themselves upright, faced the British bullets again. Shrapnel and rifle fire had no difficulty in finding these human targets. One could not help admiring the bravery of men who marched calmly and slowly toward certain death. That dull, gray-clad German line, urged forward by its officers, came on, leaving behind it at each step a trail of dead and dying.

The German artillery had ceased, for its infantry was creeping closer and closer to the trenches; but the fire from the trenches was telling, and under it the numbers of the assaulting columns were rapidly dwindling. No soldiers that ever faced an enemy could stand against this bullet storm. For the German line the German infantry wavered; then it went down as one man and sought cover. The attacking forces were an easy target for the British gunners and riflemen.

German Break and Flee.

Here it was that the British chance came. The terrible punishment, sustained in the advance had practically demoralized the Germans. Suddenly the British artillery and rifle fire ceased. A low word of command rang along the trenches. The mud-covered English appeared above ground; they clambered into the open; other lines followed the first; bayonets were fixed, and the khaki swarm swung forward. The coming of the British stimulated the hesitating German infantry into activity. They fired one volley, then sprang to their feet and went to the rightabout. One line sought to cover the retreat. With fixed bayonets they faced the advancing British. A long, low murmur of satisfaction ran along the British front. The men broke into a cheer as they closed with the Germans, and bayonet met bayonet. There was thrust and parry, a swaying mass of struggling men in khaki and gray at death grips. Now it separated into two lines and broke clear. The men in gray were running and those in khaki were cheering—or attempting to cheer, for a stiff cross-country run with a bayonet fixed at the end is trying to wind and limb. Back went the Germans and in pursuit went the British.

The Germans rallied around the mortar which earlier had been so active in shelling the British position. A desperate hand-to-hand struggle took place, the British devoting all their energies to capturing the gun. Its German defenders had fallen, and the prize was in English hands.

BELGIANS REPORT PROGRESS

But Admit That It Is Slow Because of the Floods.

HAVRE, (via Paris), Nov. 5.—The Belgian Government issues the following statement:

The Belgian detachments which advanced as far as Lombardzyde toward the Yser, between St. Georges Capelle and Torwaete, could advance only with great difficulty, owing to poor roads and the inundated country. They were also harassed constantly by the infantry and machine gun fire of the enemy.

The enemy still occupies St. Georges Capelle and the farms located on the left bank of the Yser in the neighborhood of Schoobakke and Torwaete. Stuyvenkerke was recaptured by marines.

To the south of Dixmude the Germans made an attack last night in the direction of the Bixchoote bridge. They failed in this attempt, and were forced to evacuate completely the village of Bixchoote to the south of Zandhoek.

The enemy continues to attack with the greatest violence along the front of the Allies between Hollebeke and Messines. All positions have been held, and at certain points the British have made progress.

rears, notably toward Hollebeke and Wytschaete.

In the region of Armentières and to the south of the Yser the situation remains the same as heretofore.

GERMANS WORSTED IN VOSES

Forced Back with Great Loss from the Nancy Region.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. ON THE ALLIES' RIGHT WING. Nov. 1.—Ever since the affair of Morhange, which was followed by a rapid advance upon Nancy, checked at Amance and Champenot, the Germans have been slowly pushed back, fighting every yard and returning with the pertinacity of flies to a fruitless attack. The country is particularly difficult, and, although the Germans have been cleared out of most of the villages they occupied on the more level ground, they continue to lurk in the forests that clothe the western slopes of the Vosges.

The French military authorities have been working ceaselessly during the last two months in fortifying the Nancy region, and this is now supposed to be capable of holding back an army of 500,000 men. The Kaiser, who came to Amance in order, it is said, to make a triumphant entrance into Nancy, is apparently doomed to disappointment. The slaughter of Germans which he saw on that occasion was terrific. The French artillerymen, posted in masked positions on commanding heights, allowed themselves to be bombarded for three days without replying. On the first day the Germans moved on in massed formation, with bands playing and colors flying. They were half way down the opposite slope before the hidden guns opened fire. When they received the order to bombard the gunners simply moved down the Germans in swaths. Four times they came on, and four times they were forced to retire.

All the villages that had been occupied and now had to be evacuated by the invaders were laid waste. They had streamed in through St. Die to Lunéville and from there had radiated in all directions. Some of these towns, it is true, were devastated almost as much by French bombardments as by German, but whenever there was time to do so, the Germans seem to have set the houses on fire before leaving. The usual method was to throw celluloid incendiary tablets into them. These tablets were kept in violet boxes, many of which have since been found, both empty and full.

ANTWERP HOSPITALS EMPTIED

Amsterdam Hears That Germans Are Sending Baggage Away.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. AMSTERDAM, Nov. 5. (Dispatch to THE LONDON Daily Chronicle).—A sudden movement, indicating the hurried departure of the German army from Antwerp, was observed on Wednesday at midnight, and continued throughout today. All the wounded in the hospitals were removed in the night, and long trains going east also carried heaps of baggage of German officers.

The Central Station, in which all documents and baggage of the German Government had been packed up, has been hastily reopened for official traffic.

It is reported that Acting Belgian Burgomaster Franck and Burgomaster de Vos have been taken as hostages.

In Antwerp itself all Belgians between the ages of 18 and 30 have been arrested and sent with fixed bayonets placed to guard them. About 100 have been taken to the Mersin station.

POINCARÉ CLAIMS SUCCESS.

Praises the French Army for Its Repulse of the Germans.

PARIS, Nov. 5.—President Poincaré has sent a letter to Alexandre Millerand, Minister of War, in which he declares that after a long series of violent engagements and the repulse of the German attacks of the Germans.

The text of the letter follows: "My dear Minister: After a long series of violent combats our armies, together with the allied troops, have succeeded in repulsing the desperate attacks of the enemy. They have given proof, in this new phase of the war, of the confidence and the courage shown by them in the victorious battle of the Marne."

"As the hostilities proceed the French soldier, without losing anything of his ardor and his courage, is acquiring greater experience and adapting to better advantage his inherent virtues to meet the exigencies of military operations. He is showing an incomparable reserve force for the offensive, and at the same time he is being trained in patience and in tenacity under the fire of the enemy."

"There is being established between the commanding officers and the men a confidential intimacy which, far from undermining discipline, endows it further by an enlightened sense of the soldier's duty in the collective and in the individual."

"Every time that one returns among our troops one is astounded by the solute elimination of all personal interest; by the glorious impersonality of the courage displayed, and by the way in which the soldier's soul in which all the hopes of the race are mingled."

"And when, under the fire of projectiles and shrapnel, one sees the troops pressing forward with their bayonets fixed to their rifles, one understands and admires the qualities of energy and of vitality in this old land of France."

"I beg my dear Minister, kindly to transmit my further congratulations to the General in Chief, to the commanding officers of armies, to the commanding officers of army corps, and to all the officers, under officers, and soldiers who are all in the line of the war."

"The army is worthy of the country, as the country is worthy of the army. France is invincible because she is sure of the righteousness of her position and because she has faith in her immortal soul."

"I express to you, my dear Minister, my devoted sentiments."

R. POINCARÉ.

M. Millerand, in transmitting to Gen. Joffre the letter received by him from the President of the Republic, wrote the following to the Commander in Chief of the French forces as follows:

"My dear General: It is with veritable joy that I transmit to you a letter in which you have just received from the President of the Republic. In communicating this letter to you, I beg you to add to it the expression of my admiration."

MRS. BARTON FRENCH SEES ARTILLERY DUEL

Braves Shells on Aisne Heights to Watch British and Germans in Battle.

THRILLING FIGHT IN THE AIR

Aviators in Deadly Rivalry Circle Above Society Leader as Shrapnel Bursts Near Her.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. LONDON, Nov. 5.—How Mrs. Barton French, a leader of New York and Newport society, who since the war started has been in charge of one of the American hospitals in France, stood all along on the banks of the Aisne, and with shells bursting all about her watched an artillery duel between the British and Germans, was told by herself for the first time today.

Mrs. French, who is the sister-in-law of Sir French Vandenberg, has just arrived in London to arrange for the sending of a hospital unit to the new British base in northern France, and is stopping at the Ritz. She went to the front on behalf of the American Ambulance Association in Paris to make a report on the field and base hospital.

"It was my good fortune to drive several staff officers to the lines in my car," she said, "and as a result I happened to see a small slice of the battle of the Aisne. The officers were anxious to watch the artillery operations, so I took them to a point which I am not at liberty to mention on the heights overlooking the Aisne where a battery was engaged with Germans across the river."

"The officers apologetically informed me that they would have to leave me, as they were being forced to leave under the fire of the enemy. I remained behind with the chauffeur. I could hear heavy guns booming near at hand, and finally curiosity overcame discretion, so leaving the car hidden in the woods I started across the fields in the direction of the firing."

"Soon I could see shells bursting in the air and I took them to a point which I am not at liberty to mention on the heights overlooking the Aisne where a battery was engaged with Germans across the river. The officers were anxious to watch the artillery operations, so I took them to a point which I am not at liberty to mention on the heights overlooking the Aisne where a battery was engaged with Germans across the river. The officers were anxious to watch the artillery operations, so I took them to a point which I am not at liberty to mention on the heights overlooking the Aisne where a battery was engaged with Germans across the river."

"After I had been standing there for what seemed a long time my chauffeur came up and begged me to retire to a safer spot. I had started back when I suddenly saw a Taube above the German lines and instantly afterwards heard the firing of anti-aircraft guns from our side of the battle line. We stood there, the chauffeur and I, gasping breathlessly upward and beheld a monoplane set out after the invader. Then we witnessed that most thrilling of all conflicts, a duel in the air."

"As I stood looking up at the two machines circling above one another I realized, for the first time, I think, what a terrible business war was. There was something indescribably sinister and vicious about the movements of those two graceful craft, each seeking to destroy the other. I shuddered at the horror of it, yet even then we feeling of personal fear came to me—I can't explain why, except that one is so enthralled by these things one seems to forget oneself. After that I had enough."

Mrs. French criticized the Administration at Washington severely for not putting more emphasis on the activities of Count Bernstorff.

"I have received a letter from a friend," she said, "who wrote that she had invited twenty-four persons to meet Count Bernstorff at a dinner in Newport and had received twenty-four declinations. All the news I get from America is the subject is the fact that all the best people in New York simply refuse to have anything to do with him. Anybody who knows the rudiments of diplomacy knows he has committed blunders, to use the kindest expression, which should cost him his job instantly. His utterances on the subject of Germans invading Canada are only one of his offenses against diplomatic propriety."

AMERICANS UNDER FIRE.

Motor Ambulance Workers in France Face Peril of Trenches.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. LONDON, Nov. 5.—Several interesting letters have been received in London by friends from Richard Norton, son of the late Dr. Charles Elliot Norton, who is at the French front with the American motor ambulance contingent, which is composed chiefly of Harvard, Yale, and Princeton graduates. In a letter dated Oct. 31 he writes:

"All well and busy. We have moved over 500 this week, and three times have been under shell fire. Big guns were going all last night a few miles away, so there will be work for us to do. There is great need of this work, and the French are very grateful. It will cost about \$4,000 (\$20,000) to keep the corps for a year, so try to raise all the money you can for us."

"The men are behaving splendidly. We eat in the trenches with French doctors, and for sleeping accommodations are billeted under the town."

In a letter dated Oct. 29 Mr. Norton says:

"Since the 22d we have carried 212 wounded, including four refugees, from a town being bombarded. We have been under heavy fire when the trenches were being dug and trying to find out how we could help. One of our men was killed by a shell on our car, but they missed us. They were very poor shots."

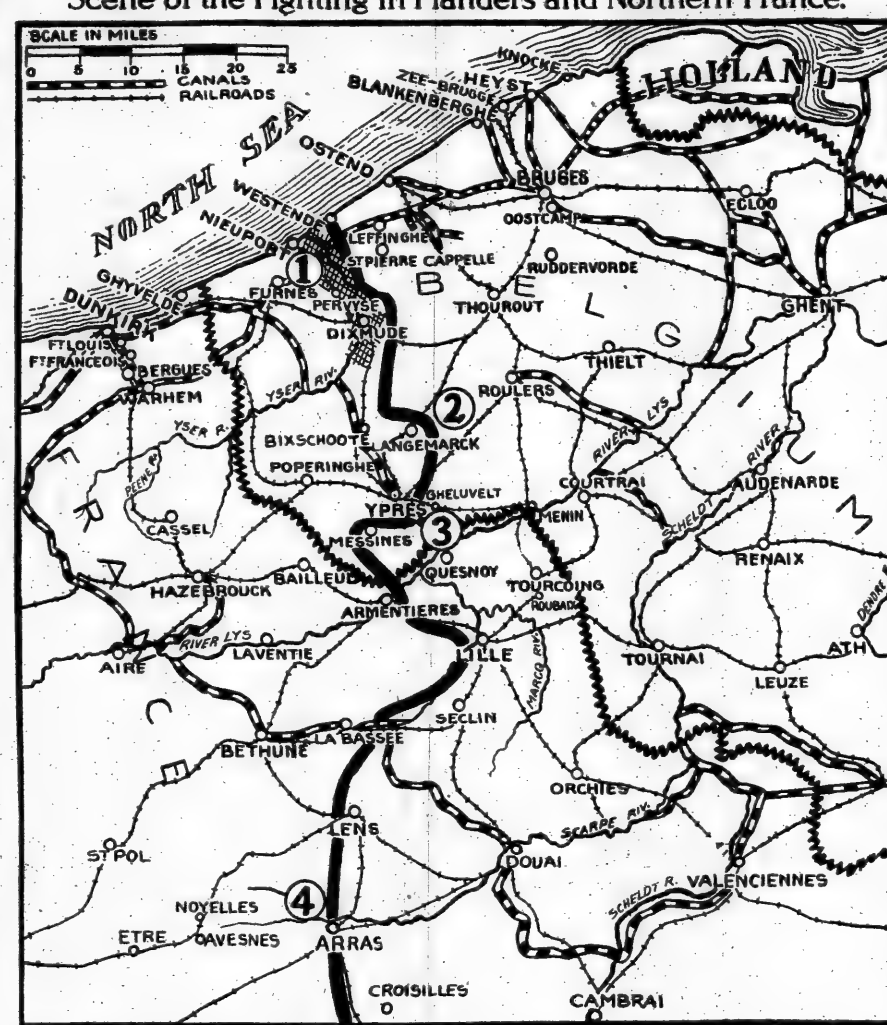
WAR NOW NEAR ENGLAND.

Dispatch Bearer Under Shrapnel in the Morning Dines in London.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. LONDON, Nov. 5.—As illustrating the nearness of London to the scene of the great battle in Belgium, a dispatch bearer who was seated at a table in one of the most fashionable restaurants tonight was dodging shrapnel this morning.

Mr. Hamilton, he told friends, had caused a heavy death rate among the Red Cross as they went about fields removing the wounded. He had been on duty nights with torches had been abandoned, and it is necessary for those on duty to go about to find the wounded, who sometimes are Germans. The removal of the dead has cost additional lives among the British.

Scene of the Fighting in Flanders and Northern France.



1. The French War Office reported slight progress on the part of the Allies to the east of Nieuport, on the right bank of the Yser; the German General Headquarters, however, announced that the Franco-British attacks in that quarter had been repulsed.

2. From Dixmude to the Lys River, according to the French reports, the German attacks were renewed on Wednesday, but with lessened energy.

3. The official German report claimed the advantage in the fighting near Ypres.

4. The Allies lost several trenches north of Arras as a result of a violent attack by the Germans, but recaptured them later in the day, according to the night report of the French War Office.

GREAT GERMAN NAMES ON A HOTEL REGISTER

Princes and Dukes Swarmed in Luxembourg When It Was German Headquarters.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

From a Staff Correspondent of THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LUXEMBURG, Oct. 19 (via London). Nov. 5.—The main German headquarters was located here for a month, moving to Sedan about Sept. 1 and now being at Metz-les-Bains.

The register of the Hotel Brasseur here is an historic document of rare interest. There appears the name of the German Minister to the Duchy of Luxembourg, and there also are the names of Duke Albrecht of Württemberg on his way to take command of his army; Grand Admiral von Tirpitz, the Crown Prince of Saxony, Prince Adolf of Schaumburg-Lippe, a volunteer driver of an automobile; the Duke of Oldenburg, Prince von Hohenlohe, and scores of others.

The Imperial Chancellor, Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, tried to get a room here in vain, but he took his meals at the Brasseur, where this New York Times correspondent was told he was frequently heard to say: "We will win! We will win!"

Here also came Prince Lichnowsky, the former German Ambassador to London, who told a friend here that some German cavalry detachments had penetrated as far as Fontainebleau, but that the Paris garrison quite unexpectedly attacked them in such superior numbers that they were forced to retire.

The German Crown Prince also came here regularly for his three meals a day while Longwy, twenty-five miles distant, was being bombarded.

MAJOR HAMILTON KILLED.

Brother of Lord Hamilton of Dalzell Was Heir to Title.

LONDON, Nov. 5.—Major Leslie d'Esplan Hamilton of the Coldstream Guards and the heir presumptive to Lord Hamilton of Dalzell, it is announced today, was killed in action on Oct. 25.

Major Hamilton, son of the first Lord Hamilton of Dalzell, was 41 years old. In 1905 he married Amy Cecile Ricardo, daughter of Col. Horacio Ricardo, who commanded the Grenadier Guards until his retirement in 1904.

Lord Hamilton of Dalzell is the brother of Major Hamilton. He is also a soldier, and served with distinction in South Africa.

AMERICAN HOSPITAL BUSY.

Many More Serious Cases Received at Paignton.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. LONDON, Nov. 5.—In one month's time the American women's war hospital at Paignton has treated 600 wounded soldiers. It was said at committee headquarters in this city today that 100 wounded had arrived within the last ten days, and they were the most serious cases so far received. They were wounded in the fighting to hold the Germans back from Calais.

The most remarkable patient is a young soldier who came to the institution with a part of his brain exposed. His life was despaired of, but an official of

KAISER ESCAPED BOMBS BY TWENTY MINUTES

Room in Which He Was to Have Slept Wrecked and Two Aids Killed.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

IN NORTHERN FRANCE, Nov. 5.—Details are now available of the Kaiser's narrow escape from death from bombs thrown by airmen attached to the Allied army occupying the line from Nieuport to Ypres.

At about 5 P. M. last Sunday, the Kaiser, with some of his aids arrived by motor car at a tavern at Thiel, where he had been ordered to stay.

Afterward, instead of going to his room, he hurriedly left the tavern with two aids and returned to the other end of the town, where fresh rooms were engaged.

Minutes after the Kaiser left the first tavern, six bombs fell upon the building, and the room where his baggage lay was completely destroyed. Two aids who remained at the first tavern were killed and a motor car standing in the yard was wrecked.

CZAR'S ARMY IN FINE FORM.

Officers Captured by Germans Said to be Ill-Treated.

LONDON, Nov. 5.—Prof. Bernard Pares, the British Government's representative with the Russian headquarters in the field, sends the following report: "Trustworthy eye witnesses speak with great enthusiasm of the conduct of the Russian troops on the upper Vistula River, where more serious fighting is to be expected."

"Here again the German heavy artillery commands respect, but the Russian field guns and howitzers are served with remarkable precision and alertness and meet with great success. The complete confidence of the Russian infantry in the effectiveness of the Russian artillery is a striking and general feature."

The men are always training in bayonet work, and the enemy often avoids. The Russian cavalry has, by different accounts, shown great dash, and has been handled with speed and skill. In raids beyond the river on the enemy's communications Russian cavalry divisions have several times captured German forces, taking many prisoners. Large numbers of stragglers have been taken by the Russians."

"A Hungarian division put up a good resistance for three days, but then collapsed. The population in southern Poland is in a state of profound distress, and the Russians are organizing extensive relief work."

"The Germans compel captured officers to work with the men and spit at them and drive them about bare to the waist."

In East Prussia the German communications are very good. Underground telegraph lines are being laid, and the Russians are organizing extensive relief work."

"The Polish population shows the greatest alacrity in assisting the Russian troops, both in the country and in the towns."

"The arrangements for the wounded provide, if necessary, for over a million."

Bargain Time

Many automobile owners, desiring to save the cost of winter storage, now offer their cars for sale.

One in the market for a car will find in the Automobile Exchange column of The New York Times announcements of various makes and models at reasonable prices.

It will pay those who appreciate real bargains to consult this market place for high-grade used cars.

FIERCEST FIGHTING OF WAR AT YPRES

Germans Try to "Hack and Blast" Their Way Through the Allied Lines.

PAYING HEAVILY IN MEN

British Eyewitness at Gen. French's Headquarters Describes Five Days of Battle.

LONDON, Nov. 5.—The following account, which has been communicated by an eye witness present with the General Headquarters, continues and supplements the narrative published Nov. 3 of the movements of the British forces and of the French armies in the immediate touch with the enemy.

"Nov. 1.—In spite of the great losses which they suffered in their attacks last week, the Germans have continued their offensive toward the west almost continuously during the five days from the 26th to the 30th of October. Opposite us it has gradually grown in intensity and in extent of application as more men and guns have been brought up and pushed into their right, and it has developed into the most bitterly contested battle which has been fought in the western theatre of the war."

German Artillery Strengthened.

"The German artillery has, to a large extent, been increased by that transferred from the front. As regards infantry, it is possible that some of the additional troops now appearing on our front have been rendered available by relaxation of the pressure against our allies to the north of Ypres, caused by the desperate and successful resistance made by the latter, by the harassing nature of the artillery fire brought to bear by our ships against the strip of country along the coast and by the flooding of the area along the River Yser."

"Forces have been massed also from the south, while another of the new army corps has definitely made its debut before us, and though attempts to hack, or rather to blast and hack their way through the Allied lines in other directions, they have for the last few days been most seriously concentrated upon the neighborhood of Ypres."

"Whether the move inspiring the present action of the Germans against the British is an attempt to break through to the port of Calais, as is to be gathered from articles in their newspapers, or whether the operation is due to a desire to drive the allied forces out of the whole of Belgium in order to complete the conquest of the country with a view to its annexation and to gain prestige with neutrals, is immaterial. What concerns us more closely is that they have been making and are still making a desperate attempt to gain the town."

"On Monday, the 26th, south of the Yser on our right, the enemy attacked Neuvechappelle, one of the villages held by us. In the evening, advancing under cover of a wood, they managed to gain possession of a portion of it north of the Yser."

"In the centre a bombardment was kept up, and some ground was made by us. A detached post which was attacked in force during the night drove back its assailants, who left fifty-six dead behind."

"Near our left, the Germans developed a very strong attack on the section of our line to the east of Ypres. Though supported by a great mass of troops, this was checked, but it had two results. One was that our position was readjusted, and the other was that our extreme left advanced in conjunction with some of our allies."

"Tuesday, the 27th, the Germans rather focused their principal attention on our right centre and right, and most desperate fighting took place for the possession of Neuvechappelle. In spite of repeated counter-attacks by our troops, the enemy gained the place, and held it on to the northern part of the village, which he had gained the day before. Toward evening we had gradually regained part of the place by step-by-step fighting, when fresh hostile reinforcements were brought up, and the entire village was captured by the enemy."

"They made several assaults against our whole front south of the Yser, but with the exception of their success at

Neuvechappelle won no advantage. The combat for that place, as is usually the case with village fighting, was of a most murderous description. It is believed that the enemy's losses in this quarter of the field generally were very great."

Trenches Filled With German Dead

"An artillery officer who was observing their advance reports that the effect of our rifle and gun fire on the Germans was stupendous, and that they had to throw corpses of their own men out of their trenches as they came on in order to obtain cover."

"Four successive attacks were made, each by different regiments, and in this way the whole of one division was engaged piecemeal in about the same locality. The last of these regiments had now been practically disposed of, and according to prisoners, their condition is deplorable."

"North of the river our centre was subjected to a heavy shell fire from pieces of various sizes. Our guns were by no means idle, and one of our patrols found eleven Germans dead and one rendered unconscious by fumes on a farm on which they had observed one of our lyddite shells detonate."

"Toward our left the readjustment of our line, commenced on Monday, was completed, and some redistribution of strength was effected on the extreme left. The ground gained at Neuvechappelle was again the scene of desperate fighting on Wednesday, the 28th, some of our Indian troops greatly distinguishing themselves by a well-conducted counter-attack, by which they drove the Germans back to the original position. On emerging from the village, the British were again the scene of a battle in which they had observed one of our lyddite shells detonate."

"On the left during the morning the enemy made attacks under cover of the usual bombardment, and each of our regiments with great slaughter. One of our trenches was carried and then recaptured, and some 500 dead and wounded were inflicted on the enemy."

"On our extreme north of the Yser, nothing of special importance occurred. On the extreme left our advance was not pressed, and the enemy remained in possession of the village. A night attack by them was repulsed. The next day the centres of pressure were again on our part our two flanks south of the Yser."

"On our right the Germans delivered an advance, which was estimated to have left between 600 and 700 dead, while not off a trench into which they had penetrated was captured by us at an expense to them of seventy killed and fourteen prisoners."

Germans Use a New Mortar.

"In the centre little took place worthy of special record. A few Germans came on and surrendered voluntarily. In this quarter we experienced for the first time in the northern theatre of the war the action of the Minenwerfer, or trench mortar. It has a range of some 500 to 600 yards, and throws a bomb loaded with high explosive weighing up to 200 pounds, being fired on an extreme elevation from the bottom of a pit in the trench."

"About midnight our line was attacked by a force of some 200 men, who were driven back with a loss of 200 killed. The enemy penetrated into a portion of one of our trenches, but were driven out again, losing eighty men killed or captured."

"The really important feature in this day's operations occurred north of the Yser and consisted of an onslaught in great force made in the morning in the direction of Ypres. After a heavy cannonade the assault was driven home, and a portion of our front line was forced back. By evening the lost ground was recovered, and in some places more than recovered, with the exception of one part to which the enemy clung."

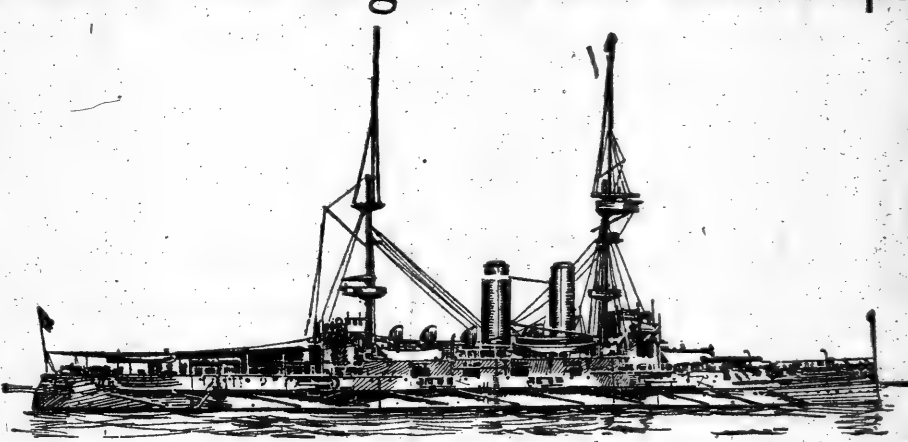
"Our losses were well made up by our gains, but as those of the enemy, who at one spot suffered enormously from the concentrated fire of our masked machine guns."

GERMAN PROFESSORS COMING.

Lectures on War and Culture Said to be Planned for America.

GENEVA, (via Paris), Friday, Nov. 6.—It is reported here from Strasbourg that funds are being subscribed in Germany to enable a number of university professors who speak English to visit the United States, and especially the Christmas time to give lectures in the chief towns on German culture and to explain the war.

Two of the Largest British Battleships



BULL MOOSE KICK PUT HILLES OUT

Progressive Votes Beat the Republican National Chairman for Delegate.

SINGLED OUT FOR ATTACK

Democrats Elect a Congressman by One Vote in Long Island District.

MAY LOSE ASSEMBLYMAN

Governor-elect Whitman Gets Congratulations from Oscar S. and Nathan Straus.

Charles D. Hilles, Chairman of the Republican National Committee, apparently has been the object of Bull Moose vengeance which has kept him from election as a delegate to the Constitutional Convention. Unofficial returns from the Eighteenth Senatorial District, which embraces the upper west side, indicate that the Progressive vote, and the Progressive vote alone, defeated him.

Mr. Hilles, with W. M. K. Olcott and ex-Senator Martin Saxe, composed the Republican district ticket for convention delegates. There were three Democratic candidates also, but among all six in the Assemblyman Mark Elmer had the endorsement of the Bull Moose.

It was predicted that the Republicans would make a clean sweep of the offices, and but for Mr. Elmer's Bull Moose votes they apparently would have done so. As it was, however, Elmer led all others, leaving his party candidates far in the rear.

According to a careful though unofficial count of the vote, Elmer received 13,549 votes, with Olcott close behind with 13,549. The other two Democrats were more than 1,000 behind.

Elmer's Progressive endorsement assured him his place among the delegates. Hilles, though, polling the smallest vote among the Republicans, would still have been in the running had Elmer had only the Democratic vote on which his party colleagues depended.

Hilles is defeated if the unofficial count shall prove to be correct.

CONGRESS SEAT BY ONE VOTE

Lathrop Brown, Democrat, Wins Over Hicks on Long Island.

Late returns yesterday showed that Lathrop Brown, Democratic candidate for Congress in the First District, which

includes Suffolk and Nassau Counties, had been elected by one vote over Hicks. This is the home district of Col. Roosevelt. A recount will probably be asked.

Regis H. Post, Progressive candidate for Congress in the district, received less than 1,000 votes. Until Representative Brown was elected, five years ago the district was regarded as strongly Republican.

FEINBERG BEATS SOLOMON.

Police Station Count Costs Democrats an Assemblyman.

A count of the ballots for Assemblyman in the Thirty-first Election District last night will elect Aaron A. Feinberg, Republican, by 26 plurality. Samuel Marx, Democratic leader of the district, speaking for Max Solomon, the Democratic nominee, said the count would be contested and taken to court.

The returns from the polling place at 200 West 124th Street were so delayed that a policeman was sent around at 2:30 o'clock on Wednesday morning. He found the election officials in a free fight, and Marx, who said the tally sheets had been signed before the ballots had been counted, ordered the board arrested. This was done, and the ballot boxes, books and other election paraphernalia were taken to the West 123d Street Police Station.

The case was dismissed in the Harlem Court yesterday, and the election officials then went to the police station, and in Capt. Gargan's office recounted the ballots. The board worked six hours checking the ballots before the final vote was recorded. When added to the total vote cast in the other election districts Feinberg was ahead.

WHITMAN SILENT ON PLACES.

F. C. Tanner Reticent About District Attorney's Job.

District Attorney Charles S. Whitman, Governor-elect, will go to Lakewood, this afternoon to rest until next Monday. He refused to discuss appointments, and said he intended to remain in his present office until the first of the year. He had a long conference with State Chairman Frederick C. Tanner, but refused to tell what it was about. When asked if he would accept the office of District Attorney Mr. Tanner smilingly declined to answer.

Many congratulatory telegrams and letters were received. Oscar S. Straus, Progressive candidate for Governor in 1912, wrote:

Dear Mr. Whitman: I am a member of and supported the candidacy of that diminutive party, the Progressive. I wish, nevertheless, to congratulate you sincerely upon your gallant fight and triumphant victory. I heartily wish you every success and happiness in your administration as Chief Executive of the Empire State. The result of the election, in addition to its political victory, is a great tribute to you personally, for you have shown that a man can win under trying and difficult circumstances. With cordial regards, very truly yours,

OSCAR S. STRAUS.

This message was received from Nathan Straus.

Dear Mr. Whitman: I take pleasure in congratulating you on your election as Governor-elect. District Attorney you have made a wonderful record, and I know that you will do the same as Governor-elect. With every success, I am, very truly yours,

OSCAR S. STRAUS.

Mr. Whitman was asked if he had formulated any plans regarding the Public Service Commissionership and he replied that he had nothing to say. His returned the same answer when asked if he had any opinions regarding police legislation. Discussing the primary law, Mr. Whitman said he was heartily in favor of the short ballot with the only elective officers, Governor, Lieutenant Governor and possibly Comptroller. The Attorney General, he said, should be appointed, as the office is that of legal adviser to the Governor and combines the duties of a Corporation Counsel with those of a District Attorney. He said he was in favor of the direct primary law in the main, but that some clauses needed revision, particularly that which forbids candidates to withdraw after their nomination. Such a rule, he said, was intended to prevent fusion.

"For instance," said Mr. Whitman, "If the Republicans and Progressives, providing there are any left, want to get together and combine on any candidate they can't do it. It is practically impossible to have fusion in the city under the clause."

"The principle of the direct primary has worked out very well after a two years' trial, but it is still an experiment."

Mr. Whitman said he believed in party conventions so long as the present ballot with its long list of candidates is used because people haven't the time to acquaint themselves with the personality and record of all the candidates on a long ballot. All these matters, he said, would be taken up at the Constitutional Convention, in which the Republicans will have the majority.

Mr. Whitman was asked if John A. Hennessy was to be an important factor in the State administration, and he replied:

"Mr. Hennessy has been an important factor in the State for some time. I haven't heard of him for some time. I have nothing to say about him at this time. He is going to run down to Lakewood for a few days, more on account of my wife, however, than myself. She has felt the strain of the campaign, but as for me, I never felt better in my life, and I hardly need any rest. Why, even my voice isn't hoarse as a result of the campaign."

"MURPHY OUGHT TO GO."

Mayor Mitchell Amends His Remark—It Wasn't Mandatory.

When Mayor Mitchell was told yesterday that Charles F. Murphy had said he wasn't worrying about what the Mayor said regarding him, Mr. Mitchell replied:

Well, the position of leader of Tammany Hall isn't an appointive job under the Mayor of New York City. If it were I'd attend to it quickly enough."

"You were quoted yesterday as saying that Murphy must go," the Mayor was told.

"If I was quoted as saying that, I was quoted wrongly," replied the Mayor.

"What I said was, that he ought to go, that his elimination following such upheavals as this had been predicted so often that I would not be so foolish as to repeat that prediction now, but that I did not see how he could long continue to provide sustenance for his organization when he is receiving no patronage from city, State or nation."

Mr. Murphy says Tammany Hall does not exist on patronage.

"Well, what does it exist on, then?" Mr. Murphy said.

"He said he was good and that he was going to go all right, but only to Hot Springs."

"I don't care if he goes to Hot Springs and stays there," replied the Mayor.

"but I'm glad his health is good."

Richard Croker, former leader of Tammany Hall, was asked yesterday if he cared to comment upon Tuesday's election.

"No, I haven't anything to say," he replied. "I'm out of touch with things and younger men are in charge now. There is nothing for me to say—nothing about anything."

6 DIE AS FIRE BURNS OLD LODGING HOUSE

Firemen Rescue Panic-Stricken Lodgers from Flaming Windows of Waverly Hotel.

OTHERS ESCAPE OVER ROOFS

Investigation Shows Direct Fire Alarm Wires Were Cut Shortly Before Blaze Started.

Six men were burned to death yesterday morning at 7 o'clock when a fire swept through the Waverly Hotel, a lodging house, at 352 Eighth Avenue, corner of Twenty-seventh Street, and quickly destroyed the antiquated structure, a four-story brick building which was built in 1878. Sixty-five men slept there during the night, according to the hotel register, and many were rescued from the front fire escapes by ladders and over the roof of an adjoining building with great peril to themselves and the firemen. Those who lost their lives were:

HECTOR, JACK, 34 years, laborer.

LOUIS, BERNARD, 25 years, laborer.

LYNN, EDWARD J., 35, laborer.

REGAN, —, 50, laborer.

TERWILLIGER, LAZARUS, 33 years, laborer.

Unidentified man.

The fire started on the second floor, apparently from a cigarette or match dropped by one of the lodgers. It was discovered by one of the men on the second floor, awakened by smoke. He gave the alarm, and Thomas Hurst, the day clerk, and Peter Kelly, the night watchman, ran from room to room, pounding on the doors, to arouse the sleepers.

When Truck 12, in charge of Lieut. Reed, and Fire Patrol 3, with Sergeant Butler in command, arrived, the sleepers were crowded out on the fire escapes on Eighth Avenue, and had begun to climb to the top floors because the flames from the second floor were licking around them through the front windows. Some of the lodgers, in panic, fought their rescuers and clawed them. One man who had made his way to the roof of the hotel jumped in his fright to the roof of a two-story building adjoining the hotel on the north. He sustained only a badly sprained ankle.

The fire ate its way so quickly from the second to the top floors that the volumes of water poured into the burning building did little good. The work of the firemen, however, kept the flames from spreading. In a little while the fire burned itself out. The bodies of the six victims were found when the firemen searched the ruins.

Fire Commissioner Adamson ordered an investigation of the fire, and last night the Commissioner made public a report by J. O. Hammett, Chief of the Bureau of Fire Prevention. It was learned that the direct fire alarm in the lodging house connecting with Fire Headquarters had been put out of commission shortly before the fire started. The wires had been cut.

The records of the Bureau of Fire Prevention, according to Mr. Hammett's report, show, moreover, that fire safeguards had been ordered for this particular lodging house as early as last May. It was ordered that the staircases be inclosed with fireproof material, and that an electric alarm system be instituted. The owner and landlord of the building did not make the changes, and the matter was placed in the hands of the Corporation Counsel's office only recently for forcible action. Work on the stairways had already begun.

It is Mr. Hammett's contention that there would probably have been no loss of life if the official order had been promptly complied with. The investigation will be continued today.

FLAMES BLOCK STAIRWAYS.

25 Tenants in Apartment Use Fire Escapes to Reach Safety.

Twenty-five tenants of the apartment house at 116 East Ninety-seventh Street escaped to adjoining buildings at 3 o'clock yesterday morning when a fire in the apartment house cut off egress by the stairway below the third floor. The flames quickly spread to the roof of the fire-story structure. Patrolmen Westphal of the East 104th Street Station, saw the fire, turned in an alarm, and hastily awoke the tenants.

The stairways had been blocked by flames before he was able to get any of the tenants out of the apartments on the fourth and fifth floors. The rescuers gained entrance to the top floor from the rear fire escape. Most of the tenants were already clustered about the windows, and partly clad, they were assisted from the fire escapes of the burning building to the fire escapes of the adjoining houses. The total damage was estimated at \$5,000.

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IMPORTED COTTON HOSE—Medium or heavy weight.....	50c	33c	95c	1.85
FINE COTTON HOSE—Medium weight. Black only.....	35c	23c	65c	1.25

For Women

	Formerly		NOW	
	each	each	3 pieces	6 pieces
UNION SUITS—Fine ribbed merino; winter weight.....	1.75	1.35	3.90	7.75
UNION SUITS—Fine ribbed cotton; winter weight.....	1.25	95c	2.80	5.50
UNION SUITS—Fine ribbed, mercerized Sea Island cotton.....	1.00	68c	1.95	3.85
UNION SUITS—Fine ribbed; silk trimmed.....	75c	55c	1.60	3.20
UNDER VESTS—Fine ribbed merino; winter weight; long or short sleeves; high neck. Tights to match. Sizes 4, 5, 6.....	1.00	75c	2.20	4.30
UNDER VESTS—Fine ribbed cotton; winter weight; high neck; long or short sleeves. Tights to match. Sizes 4, 5, 6.....	65c	45c	1.30	2.55

For Men

	Formerly		NOW	
	per pair	per pair	3 pairs	6 pairs
SILK SOCKS, two tone accordion weaves, also black, white and plain colors.....	50c	40c	1.10	2.10
CASHMERE SOCKS, silk lined, handsome mottled mixtures and plain colors.....	50c	40c	1.10	2.10
SILK AND WOOL SOCKS, accordion two tone colorings.....	50c	40c	1.10	2.10
IMPORTED MERCERIZED SOCKS—Fine quality, silk clocked.....	50c	30c	85c	1.60

For Children

	Formerly		NOW	
	each	each	3 pieces	6 pieces
MORLEY'S SUPER WEIGHT WOOL UNDERWEAR—Complete line of stouts and regular sizes in this popular all wool, non-shrinkable brand.....	3.75	3.00	8.50	16.00
MORLEY'S LIGHT WEIGHT WOOL UNDERWEAR, non-shrinkable, complete sizes, including stouts and regular.....	3.00	2.35	6.00	11.50
BRETTE'S ENGLISH SILK UNDERWEAR, Gauze, medium and super weights, small and extra sizes only.....	10.00	5.00	13.50	25.00

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	each	each	3 pieces	6 pieces
IMPORTED COTTON HOSE, medium weight; black, white or tan.....	50c	33c	95c	1.85
FIBRE SILK PLAID HOSE, lustrous and excellent wearing quality, desirable weight; black, white or tan.....	35c	29c	85c	1.65
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	each	each	3 pieces	6 pieces
UNION SUITS, winter weight, fine merino or soft cotton. Sizes 3 to 6 years.....	1.25	95c	2.75	5.40
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DID NOT FAVOR THEIR SEX

Women Candidates for County
Board Beaten—Only 65 Per Cent.
of Enrolled Women Voted.

Special to The New York Times.
CHICAGO, Nov. 5.—In the first election in Illinois of great importance since the women of the State received the grant of limited suffrage, they upset the calculations of professional politicians by not voting at the polls in the numbers anticipated.

To begin with, the registration of women in this city was much smaller than anticipated; only 165,163 women enrolled. Of these only 45 per cent. voted. These rejected one saloon-keeper, and three men of mediocre ability, for Trustees of the Sanitary District, a board which controls the expenditure of millions of dollars of public funds annually; the women caused the re-election of two tried and efficient public servants to these important positions.

Many reasons are assigned for the falling off in the anticipated women's vote; the one generally accepted is that the women were dissatisfied because they were unable to vote for the candidates on the ticket holding the spotlight positions. For instance, the women could not vote for United States Senator, Congressman-at-large, Congressman, State Senator, or State Representative. They were also barred from voting for a number of officers on the county and municipal tickets.

Complete election returns in this city indicate clearly that results would have been markedly different in some instances had the men alone voted. From this is found in the election of Wallace G. Clark and George W. Paulin as Sanitary District Trustees. The men's vote would have elected all three Democratic candidates, placing the board under the absolute control of the Democrats. As Clark and Paulin have composed the protesting minority against the extravagance of which the Democratic board is accused, their election is hailed as a victory for women in politics.

The votes of women also elected Charles L. Hulings, Republican, Judge of the Municipal Court to fill a vacancy. The returns show that if the women had not voted Patrick E. Flanagan, Democrat, would have been elected with a plurality of 4,349. The women allied to Sullivan, and 46,872 cast their votes for him. Flanagan received only 37,578 women's votes and Sullivan was elected with a plurality of 8,845.

It does not appear that the women voters rallied to the support of candidates of their own sex. Mary E. McDowell and Harriet E. Vittum, the women candidates for members of the County Board, while each received more votes than any other Progressive candidate for the board with the exception of A. A. McCormick, were overwhelmingly beaten.

The Chicago Herald will say in an editorial tomorrow:
The fact that Trustees Paulin and Clark, the two most indefatigable protesters against waste and extravagance on the Sanitary Board, were retained as Trustees largely by the women's votes proves that optimistic estimates of the psychology of the woman voter were fairly correct.

The majority of women voters will probably, for a long time, at least, vote substantially as the male members of the family vote. There is a reason for this, aside from man's influence. The husband and wife are exactly the same condition in life, and they are apt to think alike politically as a result.

There is thus small prospect of a woman's party in the sense of a large and effective political organization based on the distinction of sex and supposedly radical differences in the political aims of men and women. The politicians of all parties are now keen about discovering the feminine political psychology, with a view to making a proper sort of appeal to it. One way to appeal to the woman voter is to nominate first-class men for office.

The women of Chicago are now preparing for the supreme issue of next April when a Mayor in place of Harrison, a City Treasurer, a City Clerk, and thirty-six members of the City Council are to be elected. For all these they can vote. The women will vote at the primaries as well as at the city election. Their strength cannot be estimated, but that they will be powerful in the elimination of the undesirable element in politics, first in the primaries and later at the election, is generally believed.

MONTANA SUFFRAGE SAFE.

Carried at Least 30 Out of 39 Counties, Returns Show.

Special to The New York Times.
HELENA, Mont., Nov. 5.—Suffrage carried thirty out of thirty-nine counties in Montana, according to returns at suffrage headquarters. It was defeated in six counties. Returns from the remaining three have not been received.

Suffragists claim victory by from 2,000 to 5,000.

MACKAY AIDED WADSWORTH.

Gave \$5,000 to Senatorial Campaign—Candidate Spent \$9,063.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 5.—Senator-elect James W. Wadsworth, Jr., of New York filed his election expense account in person today and looked about the Capitol. He recorded additional receipts of \$5,000 to a previous statement, making his total \$14,200, and additional expenditures of \$2,000, making the latter total \$9,063.

The largest contribution recorded was one of \$5,000 from C. H. Mackay of New York.

VINEYARDS BEAT DRY.

California Prohibition Would Have Destroyed Vast Properties.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 5.—Not only did California busy State-wide prohibition on Tuesday by a majority that may reach close to 200,000, but a referendum amendment was adopted prohibiting another vote on the question within eight years.

The campaign against prohibition was waged almost entirely on the plea that its passage would destroy vineyards and wineries worth more than \$200,000,000, with only five days' grace after the official counts were certified, unless another proposed amendment granting an extension of time were passed. Many newspapers and citizens, even including clergymen, declared they would support a measure aimed at the saloons alone.

Four-fifths of the area of California is already "dry" under local option. A section of the defeated law provided that a second county vote be held to decide in one's own home should be prohibited by legislation.

MISSOURI LEGISLATURE DRY.

Will Be Asked to Give District Local Option to St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 5.—The next Missouri Legislature will be dry, it was said today at the offices of the Missouri Anti-Saloon League. The league will attempt to secure the passage of a law providing for precinct and ward local option in St. Louis.

W. C. Shupp, State Superintendent, said 94 out of 142 precincts in the next Missouri House of Representatives would be "dry" and nineteen or twenty of them would be "dry" under local option.

"We know exactly how these men have stood for years," he said. "We are responsible for many of them being in the Legislature."

MOOSE A MINOR PARTY

And Democrats Will Control It, Says Republican Chairman Woods.

FORT DODGE, Iowa, Nov. 5.—"The tremendous slump in the Bull Moose party throughout the United States emphatically places it as a minor opposition party henceforth," declared Representative Frank E. Woods, Chairman of the Republican National Congressional Committee. The result of the election in the various States leads me to predict that the Republican Party will be returned to administer the Government.

"It is reasonable to expect that the protectionists will return from the Bull Moose party to the Republican Party, while their places will be taken by Democrats, who will be out of harmony with their own party policies. As a result the Progressive organization eventually will be controlled by the Democrats."

MOOSE LOOSE STANDING.

Nor Is Socialist Party Now a Legal One in Rhode Island.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Nov. 5.—As neither the Progressives nor the Socialists cast two per cent. of the total vote for Governor, the Socialist Party's standing as legal political parties in this State.

The Republicans and the Democrats are now the only parties entitled to nominate their candidates through the caucus system.

SEAL CONVENTION RETURNS.

No Full Reports on Constitutional Delegates Until Next Tuesday.

Special to The New York Times.
ALBANY, Nov. 5.—Seemingly very little attention was paid on election night to the collection of returns from delegates to the Constitutional Convention, although the returns reported indicate that the Republicans would control the convention. The official returns were sealed on election night and will not be opened until next Tuesday, when the County Boards of Canvassers meet. They must then be canvassed and the result must be forwarded to the Governor, Controller, and Secretary of State by the last day of November.

The Secretary of State is charged with the duty of tabulating the returns of the sixty-two counties for the consideration of the State Board of Canvassers, which is directed to meet on or before Dec. 15.

CALIFORNIA IS FIGHTLESS.

Law Prohibiting Pugilistic Bouts Carried, Also Anti-Vice Act.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 5.—Pugilistic fighting is doomed in California on the face of returns from Tuesday's election. The proposed law doing away with the fight sport seems to have received majority of the votes. Earlier returns, especially those from cities, made it appear that the anti-fight measure would be lost by a narrow margin. The State has long been a pugilistic stamping ground, and it is said that at one time three world champions of varying classes lived in the same block in San Francisco.

The so-called Iowa injunction law for the abatement of immoral traffic, heretofore regarded as defeated, likewise showed heavy support from the inner districts of the State, and the affirmative votes obtained a majority.

MCKINLEY SAYS CORN DID IT.

His People Raise It, Tariff Was Reduced, He Was Elected.

CHICAGO, Nov. 5.—"The tariff and the problem of the unemployed—they go together—were the big factors in the Republican landslide," said William E. McKinley, ex-Chairman of the Republican Congressional Committee. Tuesday's election sent Mr. McKinley back to Congress. He said that electioneering was easy for him this year, as the Wilson Administration had reduced the tariff on corn, which is largely grown in his district, the Nineteenth Illinois.

Brooklyn Campaign Statements.

Statements filed in the County Clerk's office in Brooklyn yesterday show that it cost Alvan W. Burlingame, Jr., \$540.65 to conduct his successful campaign for State Senator from the Eighth District. Meier Steinbrink spent \$47.12 for election as Republican delegate to the Constitutional Convention from the Sixth District. Charles H. Haubert, Republican, spent \$93 in trying for election as delegate, and John C. Kinko, another Republican candidate for delegate, did not spend anything.

DEMOCRATS LEAD IN SENATE RACES

Thomas Increasing His Plurality
in Colorado—Husting Well
Ahead in Wisconsin.

NEWLANDS'S LEAD ONLY 102

Official Count Probably Will Have
to Decide in Nevada, Perhaps in
Other Close States Also.

The indications last night from late returns on Tuesday's election were that the official count probably would be necessary to decide the Senatorship contests in Nevada and possibly in Wisconsin and Colorado also. Several Congressional Districts also remained in doubt.

In Wisconsin Paul O. Hustung, Democrat, on the face of complete unofficial returns, led Gov. Francis E. McGovern, Republican, for Senator by 1,555.

In Nevada, Francis G. Newlands, Democrat, had a lead of only 102 votes on late returns over Samuel Platt, Republican, for United States Senator.

In the Fifth Nebraska District late returns gave the Congressional seat to A. C. Shallenberger, Democrat, instead of S. R. Barton, Republican, previously reported successful.

In the Sixth Kansas District J. R. Connelly, Democrat, was returned as elected to Congress instead of J. H. Dykes, Republican, previously reported successful.

NEWLANDS 102 AHEAD.

Nevada Senatorship Will Be Decided by the Official Count.

CARSON, Nev., Nov. 5.—Who was elected United States Senator in Nevada on Tuesday must remain undetermined until the official canvass of the votes has been completed.

With 152 out of 240 precincts reported tonight, the vote stood: Francis G. Newlands, Democrat, 7,701; Samuel Platt, Republican, 7,600. The fifty-eight missing precincts are in remote mountain desert districts and the result of their vote will not be known until the ballot boxes have been brought over the trails to their respective county seats. Their total vote will aggregate only a few hundred.

HUSTING LEADS MCGOVERN.

Official Count Probably Necessary to Decide Wisconsin Senatorship.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Nov. 5.—The official count of the vote cast in Wisconsin for United States Senator appears tonight to be the only way of deciding whether Paul O. Hustung, Democrat, or Gov. Francis E. McGovern, Republican, has been elected to succeed Isaac Stephenson.

Unofficial returns received from every county in Wisconsin by The Milwaukee Journal give Hustung 122,315 and McGovern 120,700. Inaccuracies, however, and various changes in county reports throughout the day caused the advantage to shift bewilderingly several times from one candidate to the other.

For instance, an error in the returns from Winnebago County took about 300 votes away from McGovern and favored Hustung.

THOMAS INCREASES LEAD.

Colorado Democrat Senator on Returns from 90 Per Cent. of State.

Special to The New York Times.
DENVER, Nov. 5.—On the face of the latest returns Charles S. Thomas, Democrat, appears to have been elected United States Senator over Dr. Hubert M. Work, Republican.

Unofficial figures, including thirty-three counties complete and sixty out of sixty-three counties in progress, give Thomas 94,063 and Work 89,915. This represents more than 90 per cent. of the state vote.

SHERMAN WINS BY 15,573.

Robins for Illinois Senator Got Half of Roosevelt's Vote.

Special to The New York Times.
CHICAGO, Nov. 5.—On the face of the unofficial returns Lawrence Y. Sherman, Republican, has been re-elected United States Senator from Illinois by a plurality of 15,573. The Sullivan leaders do not concede Sherman's re-election.

and declare they will not be satisfied until the official canvass definitely determines the result.
The complete unofficial returns from every precinct in the State show Sherman to be 15,573. A summary follows: Sherman, Rep., 387,578; Sullivan, Dem., 372,006; Robins, Prog., 18,000; Farmer, Soc., 23,931; Woolsey, Prohl., 5,085.
Senator Sherman received 52 per cent. more than the vote given to him two years ago in Illinois. Sullivan got 51 per cent. of the vote received by President Wilson in 1912. Mr. Robins' vote was only 51 per cent. of that given to Roosevelt by the voters of Illinois two years ago.

The Republicans seem to have elected all their State officers, and will control the next Legislature. They have a majority of one in the House, and the Senate is tied.

Senator Sherman, addressing the Republican State Central Committee tonight, admitted that in the recent campaign he "worked in hobbles."

"Out of consideration for the other candidates and in deference to the wishes of my friends," he said, "I refrained from saying what I really thought of Col. Roosevelt's invasion of Illinois. Now there exists no occasion for saying it. The public has spoken."

CLAIM 16 LEAD IN SENATE.

Democratic Majority Increased on Face of Late Returns.

Special to The New York Times.
WASHINGTON, Nov. 5.—A net gain of four Democratic seats in the Senate, making a Democratic majority of 16, instead of 10, was claimed tonight by Thomas J. Penco, in charge of the permanent headquarters here of the Democratic National Committee. Mr. Penco said:

"Returns received tonight indicate that every Democratic Senator who was a candidate for re-election won out and that Phelan, in California; Johnson, in South Dakota, and Hustung, in Wisconsin, will succeed Republican Senators.

In that event the Democrats would make a net gain of four Senators and increase the Democratic majority in the Senate from 10 to 16.

The Democratic majority in the House will be at least 30, with several districts yet to be heard from."

Commenting tonight on the result of the elections, Representative John J. Fitzgerald, Chairman of the Committee on Appropriations, pointing out that the Democratic Party had labored under the disadvantage of having recently revised the tariff and imposed an extraordinary tax as a result of conditions growing out of the European war, insisted that the Administration policies had been indorsed in a striking way. Republican gerrymandering of the reapportioned Congressional districts, he thought, partly explained Democratic reverses in the Northern States.

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CURTIS'S LEAD IS 4,782.

Capper in Kansas Has 41,762 — Woman for Judge Running Last.

TOPEKA, Kan., Nov. 5.—Charles Curtis, Republican, is going back to the United States Senate after an absence of two years to succeed Joseph L. Bristow, whom Curtis defeated for nomination in the primaries.

With all counties heard from tonight, Curtis has a plurality of 4,782 votes over Congressman George A. Neeley, Democrat.

Arthur Capper, Republican, has a plurality of 41,762 over Gov. George H. Hodges, Democrat, on final figures.

Despite big pluralities for the Republican State ticket, the Democrats gained one Congressman in the Eighth District, from which W. A. Ayres will succeed Victor Murdock. Murdock left the House to become the Progressive candidate for United States Senator. He was third in the race.

CLAIM 40,000 FOR SEABURY.

Chairman Osborn Says Democrat's Lead Probably Will Increase.

Democratic Chairman Osborn said yesterday that there was now no question of the election of Supreme Court Justice Seabury to be Associate Judge of the Court of Appeals.

"The returns now indicate," he said, "that Justice Seabury's plurality is from 35,000 to 40,000. Later returns will probably increase this lead."

Louisiana Adopts the Recall.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Nov. 5.—Returns from the State election indicate that a constitutional amendment providing for the recall of all elective State officers except judges has been ratified.

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VILLA REPORTS BATTLE IS ON

Fighting with Carranza Force
Starts Twenty Miles South
of Aguascalientes.

STRONG ARMY MOVES OUT

Villa Said to Have 10,000 Men
and 100 Cannon to Stop an
Invasion of the North.

CLASHES NEAR THE BORDER

Villa Troops Approach the Texas
Line and Threaten to Attack
Two Towns.

EL PASO, Texas, Nov. 5.—An official report received today by Villa officials in Juarez said that a battle was in progress between Villa and Carranza troops twenty miles south of Aguascalientes, where the convention of chiefs recently attempted to adjust their factional difficulties.

It is said Villa has sent a force of 10,000 men and more than 100 cannon to meet the advance of the Carranza troops, whose strength is not known.

DEL RIO, Texas, Nov. 5.—There was fighting yesterday near the American border between Carranza and Villa troops about fifteen miles up the Rio Grande from here, according to American hunters arriving here today.

Attempting to hunt in Mexico, they were ordered back by Mexicans, who informed them there was a battle in progress.

The approach of Villa troops toward the Texas border with Nuevo Laredo and Piedras Negras as their objective, has been reported several times in the last few weeks. The location indicated for yesterday's fighting was near Piedras Negras.

NOGALES, Ariz., Nov. 5.—Fighting now is in progress near Magdalena, Sonora, between 400 of Gov. Maytorena's Villista troops and 250 men which Gen. Benjamin Hill, the Carranza leader in Sonora, sent south last night from Naco. Hill's men burned bridges and stopped northbound trains. Maytorena hurried men to Magdalena on a special train.

FLEEING FROM THE CAPITAL.

Vera Cruz Once More Filling Up
with Refugees.

VERA CRUZ, Nov. 5.—Trains from the interior tonight were jammed with refugees, and again the Vera Cruz hotels were crowded as in the days when residents of Mexico City were fleeing before Gen. Carranza assumed control in the capital.

ZUBARAN SEES BANKERS.

Carranza's Agent Says Foreign Interests
Will Be Protected.

Rafael Zubaran, special representative of Gen. Carranza, came to this city yesterday from Washington for the purpose of assuring American bankers and investors, in behalf of Gen. Carranza, that foreign interests would be well taken care of in Mexico. He had received a telegram from Gen. Carranza to that effect, he announced.

Gen. Carranza, according to his representative, wished to make it plain to the American investors that all stories that the forces under Gen. Carranza were preparing to attack the American troops at Vera Cruz were untrue. It was the hope of Gen. Carranza, he said, that friendly relations would be established with the United States, and that the troops would be withdrawn.

Mr. Zubaran said that Gen. Carranza would not relinquish his office as head of the Constitutional Army despite the action of the Aguascalientes Convention in selecting Gen. Eulalio Gutierrez as Provisional President.

Mr. Zubaran will remain in this city for several days and will make his headquarters at the offices of Carranza's Consul General here, Ignacio Enriquez.

Huerta's Consul in Want.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 5.—Mariano F. Chrat, until recently Mexican Consul in this city, today appeared in the Municipal Court here and asked that his five children be committed to institutions in this city. He explained that since former Provisional President Huerta fled to Europe he had received no salary and was now in destitute circumstances.

PLANS FOR SIEGEL DEFENSE.

Counsel Ready for Merchant's Trial,
Which Begins on Monday.

Henry Siegel, formerly head of a chain of department stores, will appear at Genesee, Livingston County, next Monday, for trial on fourteen indictments charging grand larceny and banking irregularities. It was made known yesterday by John B. Stanchfield, counsel in charge of Mr. Siegel's defense, that he would assert that Mr. Siegel made no false statement of the condition of his enterprises on the strength of which he obtained large loans from several banks. Counsel for Mr. Siegel will endeavor to show that while some of the assets of the Siegel enterprises were overestimated, others were underestimated, and that, therefore, the general statements were true.

"Mr. Siegel is to be tried under an indictment charging the larceny of \$684 on June 14, 1913," said Mr. Stanchfield. "This transaction represents only part of a \$25,000 loan obtained from the National Bank of Commerce. Mr. Siegel is charged with stealing this money through the presentation of a false statement of the condition of his business. The District Attorney had to specify an amount in excess of \$500 in order to try Mr. Siegel on a charge of grand larceny."

"We will prove that while the statement may have contained facts that were too large, it also contained items that were too small."

Assistant District Attorney Arthur C. Train, who has obtained much of the evidence to be used against Mr. Siegel, and Assistant District Attorney Robert Johnston of the Appeal Bureau of the District Attorney's office have gone to Genesee already to make arrangements for the trial. Assistant District Attorney William D. Embree will start for the place of the trial this afternoon. Six large crates, filled with documentary evidence, have been forwarded by the District Attorney.

More than 200 of the depositors of Henry Siegel & Co. the private bank run by Siegel and the late Frank E. Vogel in connection with the Fourteenth Street Store, met last night at the University Settlement, 184 Eldridge Street, and raised a fund of about \$60 to send a committee to represent them at the trial of Siegel. The committee will consist of Benjamin Marcus, Adolph Schwartz and Irving Coons. It was announced at the meeting that the District Attorney had subpoenaed Emmeline Baker, 3440 Park Avenue, and Herman Hochberg, 100 West Fifty-third Street, as State's witnesses.

A Millionaire's Luxury Now Only \$3.85

Like wintering in Florida—like owning a yacht—like smoking dollar cigars—the daily enjoyment of a needle shower has heretofore been looked upon as a luxury of the rich.

Needle showers—miles ahead of overhead or curtain showers—formerly cost like sin. \$200 to \$300 was getting off cheap—for a special shower stall of marble or plate glass was required.

But now—if you don't wait too long—just \$3.85 will give you and all your family the daily year-around fun and benefit of needle shower bathing—the most luxurious and healthful kind of bath any one can take—the only sanitary way to bathe.

\$3.85—if you use the money-saving coupon below and do it quick—will put on your bath tub a new kind of needle shower that puts all other showers to shame—a real aristocrat—a strong, handsome, all-metal fixture that will give you just as much enjoyment as any \$300 equipment.

Think of it!—Only \$3.85 for the famous Kenney Four-Stream Needle Shower—the same shower you've seen advertised in all the magazines—never before sold for a single cent less than \$6, and a better shower than any of the old-fashioned curtain styles costing two to five times as much. Thousands have said a single week's use is alone worth the full price.

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Here is a revolutionary improvement in shower bath equipment—the only four-stream shower

of any kind—the only needle shower and the only curtainless shower for the home bath tub—for less than a makeshift rubber spray ordinarily costs.

No man should let his family do without the luxury of a shower—no one should put up with an old-fashioned overhead curtain-shower—when only \$3.85 will buy a shower like this.

Makes Your Bath Twice as Refreshing With Either Hot or Cold Water

This new kind of shower—this Four-Stream Needle Shower—is the last word in luxurious bathing—makes either hot or cold water twice as stimulating and refreshing.

All for a Penny a Day

And now only \$3.85—only a penny a day for a little over a year—less than you pay for your daily papers.

Like a Tonic

A shower first thing in the morning—either hot or cold—beats all the

medicine you can take. Stirs up circulation—stimulates you all over—sends you down to work with a clear head and chock full of all-day hustle and energy.

When You're Tired

A shower after a hard day's work—with either hot or cold water—will rest and refresh you all over—makes you feel "like new."

And a shower at bed time—particularly a warm shower—is the best thing in the world to bring sound and restful sleep.

Only Sanitary Way

With hot water and plenty of soap, a wash down under a Kenney Needle Shower is the most delightful way in the world to get clean—and the only right way.

Health authorities everywhere have lately been denouncing tub bathing as unsanitary.

They say a shower—without a curtain—the only sanitary way to bathe. Instead of finishing in the same water you start with, every drop of water that touches your body is absolutely fresh and clean.

Quick—Before They're Gone

Your Money Back if Not Satisfied

After this special sale at Riker-Hegeman Stores, the famous Kenney Needle Shower may never again be obtained for less than the regular price.

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If not convenient to call, simply mail the coupon and \$3.85 together with postage, and a Shower will be delivered by Parcel Post. Add 8 cents for the first 100 miles, 16 cents for 250 miles, 20 cents for 500 miles.

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If you come today or tomorrow you can be sure of getting a Shower. But after that we can't promise.

Better clip the coupon now—cash in on it as soon as you can—it's worth \$2.15 on a Kenney Shower at any Riker-Hegeman Store.

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4. No clammy, sloppy, unsanitary curtain to spoil your enjoyment—guaranteed not to splash out of tub—it's all in the converging angles (a patented feature) at which the water strikes your body.
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Quarantine and Other Out-
breaks Are Reported.

MEAT PRICES ARE RISING

Disinfecting the Great Chicago
Yards—Packers There Insist There
Will Be No Famine.

CHICAGO, Nov. 5.—The work of disinfecting the empty pens at the Chicago Union Stock Yards began today in preparation for the complete shut-down because of foot and mouth disease that will be in effect from Saturday until Nov. 15. More than 800 men will be employed. There are 13,000 pens, 725 chutes, and 25 miles of water troughs to be disinfected.

Supplementing the Federal quarantine the State Livestock Board has ordered a quarantine also, to take effect Saturday, under which no cattle shipments are to be permitted between points within the State until all cattle pens are disinfected and pronounced usable by the State Board. The board also puts an absolute embargo not only on the stock yards, but also on all the livestock receiving depots of the big meat packers.

The meat packers insisted today that there would be no tie-up of their industry, no scarcity of meat, and, except for the killing of some mechanical departments, no dismissals of employees, as the present supplies of cattle were sufficient to keep the plants busy almost throughout the quarantine period. More than 15 per cent. of the acreage of the stock yards, it is reported, has been disinfected. Business will be resumed as soon as the quarantine is lifted.

Few new cases of the cattle disease were reported today. The 600 infected cattle, valued at \$40,000, which were held responsible for the presence of the disease in Chicago were destroyed. Eighteen prize cattle out of a lot of 1,000 exhibited last week at the National Dairy Show also were destroyed. G. J. Shanley, State Veterinarian, said that the other prize cattle brought here from twenty States and Canada would be held for development, and if they were found infected all would be destroyed, even though it might entail a loss of several million dollars.

There are on the farms of this State 1,500,000 dairy and 870,000 beef cattle. The State Department of Agriculture says, is available for beef.

Special to The New York Times.
ALBANY, Nov. 5.—New Yorkers can depend on enough State-raised beef to supply from out of the State being cut off by reason of the prevalence of the disease.

There are on the farms of this State 1,500,000 dairy and 870,000 beef cattle. The State Department of Agriculture says, is available for beef.

On behalf of the packers F. E. White, director of Armour & Co., issued this statement: "There is no occasion for excitement over the quarantine adopted by the Government and State authorities. While the restrictions are drastic we all believe that they will be effective. There will be no material slackening of business. Killing floors will be kept about a week and other departments will work as usual. We have ample supplies of products for all requirements."

Receipts of cattle, hogs, and sheep today were \$3,000 less, 13,000 less than those on Thursday a week ago. The decrease was mostly in hogs, prices of which advanced 25 to 50 cents, and in sheep, which rose 10 cents over yesterday's closing. Cattle sold 10 to 20 cents higher than the previous day.

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CAUGHT AFTER LONG CHASE

One Thief Threatened to Shoot
Driver Who Refused to Aid
Him in Escaping.

School children on their way home from Public School 108 in West Eighty-ninth Street, at noon yesterday, saw the capture of two hold-up men who fled from the jewelry store of Max G. Ernest, at Columbus Avenue and Eighty-seventh Street, after they had shot the proprietor and had snatched a handful of bills from the cash register. The men opened fire on their pursuers as they ran, and bullets flew over the heads of the youngsters.

Ernest was alone in his shop when the thieves entered. One of the men pointed a revolver at the proprietor and ordered him to put up his hands, while the other made for the cash register in the rear of the store. Ernest made a quick move to the gun which he kept behind the counter, but the first highwayman opened fire at once. The bullet struck the proprietor in the left arm. At the first shot the man at the cash register ran out followed by his companion.

In the killing and the escape, the first highwayman, who had run from his corset shop next door at the sound of the shooting. With Salmeri at their heels the thieves fled through Eighty-seventh Street, firing several shots at him as they ran. The shots were heard by Patrolman John J. Walsh, of the West 100th Street Station, on post at the school crossing at Columbus Avenue and Eighty-ninth Street, and he joined in the chase.

One headed downtown until he got to a grocery wagon, belonging to Samuel Bauman of 833 Columbus Avenue. The driver, Harry Gregory of 104 West Eighty-ninth Street, was on the seat. The highwayman sprang to his side and pressing a gun against the driver's head ordered him to drive off at full speed. Gregory pluckily refused. In the struggle which followed, Jacob Stadler, a chauffeur, of 576 Amsterdam Avenue took a hand and after wrenching the revolver from the highwayman's grasp, held the man until Patrolman Edward Truman arrived.

Meanwhile the second highwayman had succeeded in getting to West End Avenue. Turning downtown he was in a fair way to escape his pursuers when at Eighty-third Street Patrolman Michael Malloy headed him off.

The thieves were taken to the West 100th Street Station. The one caught on Broadway said he was Tony Ragoueli, an upholsterer, 20 years old, of 245 Sixteenth Street, Brooklyn. The other said he was Joseph E. Downe, a baker, 26 years old, of the same address.

WHEAT AT \$1.22 IN OREGON.

Farmers Getting Record Price for
Bumper Crop; Oats Up, Too.

PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 5.—Wheat reached the highest price in more than ten years on the Exchange here today and indications were that it would go still higher. The top price today was \$1.22 for 50,000 bushels of blue stem for January delivery.

All other varieties sold at a new record throughout. With a record wheat crop in the Northwest growers are certain of the largest profits they have ever received.

One hundred tons of oats, wanted to complete a cargo for Europe, sold at \$2.25 a ton, 25 cents a ton better than the bid price yesterday.

Buying of wheat and oats is extensive. December oats drew a bid today of \$2.50 a ton. Holders demanded \$3.

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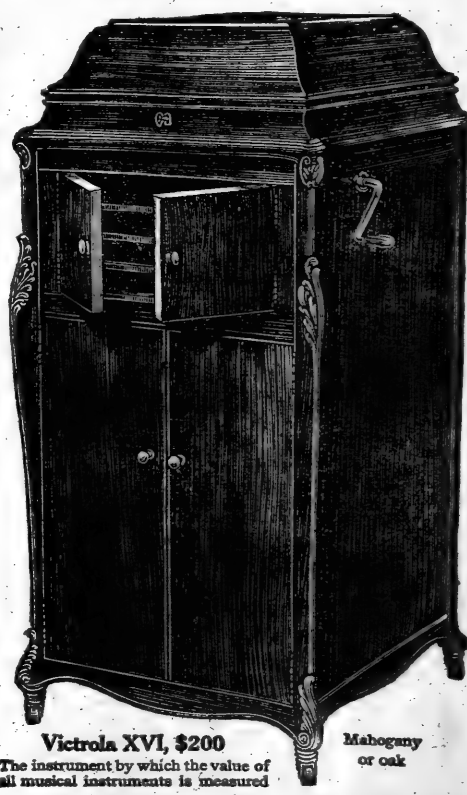
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BUFFALO DISPUTE SETTLED.

National Guard Regiments in Buffalo over the fact that both had received A. A. U. sanctions to hold games on Jan. 1, 1915, that the Registration Committee for the second time took the matter in hand yesterday. At a special

J. W. Stumpt. It was decided "that, for the best interest of athletics in the up-State city, two weeks at least should intervene between the meetings of the rival regiments, and that the New Year date should go to the Sixty-fifth Regiment."

New York athletes are much interested in this petty fight between the militiamen, for annually the best local track and field men compete in the

arrangements to compete at a meet to be held at the University of Toronto on Thanksgiving night, while Homer Baker, Tommy Lennon, Dan Kuhn, and the other members of the University of the North York Regiment relay team, have planned to compete in a medley relay at the Sixty-first's games against a team of Canadians.

It is probable that Jack Talt, the Canadian, will appear in the 100-yard race, which runs against the Americans.

Registration committees also ordered that both regiments name on their entry blanks the prizes they will give to the winners of the games. Commissioners produce them before Commissioners of the other regiments. The Buffalo regiments in the past have been in the habit of issuing slips instead of prizes to the winning contestants.

DIRECTUM RACES IN GALE.

James Butler's Pacer Does Mile on Delaware Track in 1:59 1-2.

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WILMINGTON, Del., Nov. 5.—The pacing stallion Directum I., by Directum Kelly, owned by James Butler of New York, paced a mile against time on the Kirkwood (Del.) kite-shaped track this afternoon in 1:59 $\frac{1}{2}$. The horse was driven by G. Raymond Snedeker, who piloted him on the Grand Circuit this season. The time by quarters was 0:30 $\frac{1}{2}$, 1:01 $\frac{1}{2}$, 1:31, 1:59 $\frac{1}{2}$. A thirty-mile race marked the trial, as no wind shield was used. Directum I. is owned by

of the way by a runner, which could not keep up.

Dyrem's record, made this year, is 1:28.

Two thousand people attended the trial. The track was in ideal condition.

Sullivan Memorial Fund

Contributions for the memorial fund, \$1,000 have been received to date by Secretary Tully of the Metropolitan Association of the State of New York in the district for the James E. Sullivan Memorial Fund. The following are the contributors: George C. Sullivan, \$10; Barlow S. Weeks, \$100; Charles J. Dieges, \$10; George C. Sullivan, \$10; H. Oberstueben, \$25; St. Anselm's A. C., \$25; Johnson & Johnson A. C., \$20; Mitchell & Johnson A. C., \$20; George C. Sullivan, \$10; Central Congregational A. C., \$10; St. George's Club, \$25; Anchor A. C., \$10; St. George's Club, \$25; Anchor A. C., \$10; St. George's Club, \$25; Anchor A. C., \$10. As President Ruben had appointed a committee in each club of the district to solicit contributions to the fund, they are expected to come in.

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Tyler and Taylor Win.

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Forty-second Street Academy.

Tyrer, who won last year's handicap tournament, shot a brilliant game against Read. He went out in fifty-four innings. While he made no big runs, he shot consistently all through the game. Read was no match for him, and it was apparent from the start.

Although both are inexperienced and comparatively unskillful players, the match be-

tween Taylor and Rainsley was an exceptionally interesting one. Despite the handicap of an injured wrist, Rainsley kept in

the running up to the very end. The scores

R. H. Tyler—4 10 8 3 9 11 0 0 0 7 12 2 2 2
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3 0 8 2 0 0 5 2 0 0 7 5 0 0 0 0 0 6 0 14 6
Total—261. High runs—14 13. Average
4-35.54.

Fred Read—0 1 4 2 0 0 5 8 9 4 0 0 3 3 4 1
0 0 0 0 0 0 8 0 0 0 0 0 5 4 0 0 5 0 0 8 3
0 0 0 0 2 4 1 2 4 0 2 2 0 0 5. Total—129
High runs—8 3 6. Average—2-21.54.

Albert Taylor—0 0 0 3 3 4 3 0 5 0 0 4 0 0
2 2 2 5 0 0 0 0 3 0 0 6 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 5 6
0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 10 0 5 0 0 0 0
0 0 12 0 3 0 3 2 0 0 2 0 13 5 12 0 0 0 0 0 0
0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 7 2 0 9 5 3 2
Total—260. High runs—13 9. 7. Average—
2-43.67.

Samuel Rainey—0 0 2 3 2 0 5 14 0 4 0 0 5 8
0 0 0 2 0 0 2 0 5 2 2 0 0 4 0 4 0 0 0 5 2 8
0 0 7 0 3 0 0 0 7 0 4 0 0 3 0 3 0 0 0 4 3
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-227. High runs-14, 13, 8. Average-
213-107.

Billiard Players' League Standing

George Sutton still retains the lead in the
champion Billiard Players' League, with

twenty-six games won and three lost. He has been followed by the following players: Calvin Demarest. All three players have an average of over 300, with Cline, the fourth player on the list, has an average of 300. In the grand average Sutton, Morningstar, and Cline are tied with eight runs each. In the past week Sutton won six out of seven from Demarest. Morningstar captured five out of six from Cochran. Cline performed the same feat against Yamauchi, the Japs, and Demarest was credited with six victories out of eight games against Cochran. The standing of the players follows:

	Won.	Lost.	Avg.	P.C.
Sutton	26	3	316	88
Morningstar	21	4	316	88
Cline	21	4	316	88
Cline	14	11	336	84
Demarest	14	11	336	84
Cutler	5	21	12	192
Cochran	5	21	12	192
Schaefer	5	26	11	100

Old Boxer Elected to Legislature.
CHICAGO, Nov. 5.—Edward M. Santry, who, a few years ago, was known to all followers of the prize ring as one of the leading pugilists in the world, has been elected to the Illinois Legislature from Chicago, as a member of the Democratic party. He placed to favor a boxing bill for Illinois.



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COLUMBIA MEN OUTRUN.

PRINCETON, N. J., Nov. 8.—The Princeton cross-country team easily defeated the Columbia hill-and-dale squad here this afternoon. The score was Princeton, 19; Columbia, 44. Capt. Morrison of Princeton finished 230 yards ahead of Smith of Columbia, who was the second man to score. Morrison's time for the five miles was 32:44 4-5. Princeton had five of the first six men in the first five of each team to complete the course were Morrison of Princeton; Smith of Columbia; Aha, Princeton; G. H. Coley, Princeton; Brown, Princeton; Langston, Princeton; Langston, Columbia; Meyer, Columbia; Look, Columbia; Sheppard, Columbia.

Big Entry in C. A. L. Run.

Eight clubs have entered, sixty-four boys in the Church Athletic League handicap.

sons-country run at Van Cortlandt Park tomorrow. Jake Maier and George B. Kiesel of the Bronx Church House and Abe Lemonsky of the Trinity Club will start from scratch. The Bronx Church had entered three teams, while team and individual entries have been made by the Trinity Club, George Club, Holy Cross Lyceum, Knights of St. Antony, Central Congregational A. C., Xavier A. A., and St. Agnes A. A.

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In the politicians. The people are better judges of their business than those who assume to be specialists in what the people think and want. That is the politicians' business, and they failed lamentably in Missouri, or they never would have invited the humiliating exposure of them in this vote. Missouri is far from being the only State with a full crew law. It is the only State which has rejected such a law. There are full crew laws in twenty States. Equally bad anti-railway laws have been passed in forty-eight States, and perhaps the worst of all by the Federal Legislature. The significance of the Missouri precedent is that, as the President remarked, there is a new temper in affairs. The people are perceiving that the corporations are themselves, and that their interests cannot be separated from the interest of all business. Promptly upon the defeat of the law the railways released the funds which the full crew law had made it prudent to keep in hand. A single railway increased its pay roll by \$50,000 monthly. It could afford to do so, for it could afford \$50,000 for waste, but efficient labor is a necessity to every employer. The true solidarity of honest labor and capital could hardly be better exemplified.

VARICK STREET.

The protest of old residents of New York against the change of the name of Varick Street, recently converted into an extension southward of Seventh Avenue, is perfectly natural and will receive sympathetic support. The object of the Board of Estimate in proposing the change of name to Seventh Avenue South was simply to prevent confusion, but in many other cities historic names are preserved for parts of long thoroughfares without causing confusion. In London, for instance, Coventry Street, Cranbourne Street, and Piccadilly are names of parts of the same street. In New York, for that matter, Ninth Avenue becomes Columbus Avenue at Fifty-ninth Street, Eighth Avenue is called Central Park West for a stretch of two and a half miles and is then called Eighth Avenue again, and Tenth Avenue is Amsterdam Avenue uptown. Moreover, our avenues do not extend downtown. South Fifth Avenue has been West Broadway for many years, and the bestowal of that name, already held by the lower part of the street, upon the part between Canal and Fourth Streets was generally approved.

The proposed change of the name of Varick Street, however, is opposed chiefly on sentimental grounds which do not often appeal to the New York majority. The utterly preposterous change of the name of historic Chatham Street to Park Row caused scarcely a murmur. Many equally historic names have been removed from the map of the city without arousing the public's resentment. If the fact is established that Seventh Avenue South will be a more practical name for the remodeled thoroughfare, there will be no large quantities of tears shed because of the slight to the memory of Mayor Varick, whose house and farm were ancient landmarks of the Greenwich neighborhood.

CYPRUS.

In one of the most interesting and brilliant of his lectures Prof. TREITSCHKE expressed the hope that Germany's next war would add important foreign colonies to her domain. This is Germany's "next war," and thus far she has secured no colonial territory. She has lost rather, for Japan has taken islands from her and her African possessions are insecurely held. Germany's enemy, Great Britain, has already made an addition, though not a very important one, to the very considerable part of the habitable globe which she controls. In declaring war against Turkey Great Britain annexes the Island of Cyprus. "A Turkish fleet and bearing up to Cyprus" was the announcement made to the Duke of Venice in SHAKESPEARE'S tragedy. It is quite unlikely that any Turkish fleet will ever again visit Cyprus. The island, although Turkish territory, has been under the administration of Great Britain since 1878. That was the year of the Berlin Congress, when BENJAMIN DISRAELI successfully carried out his policy of depriving Russia of the fruits of her victory over Turkey. Great Britain's annexation of the island now as a war move against Turkey is a striking illustration of the transitory and changeable nature of European alliances, for in the arrangement made in 1878 Great Britain agreed to join Turkey in defending her provinces in Asia should a hostile move in that direction be made by Russia. Now Great Britain is in alliance with Russia, and both are fighting Turkey.

It will be noted with interest that in the official British proclamation that a state of war exists with Turkey the reason given is hostile acts committed by Turkish forces under German officers. It is, of course, the general belief that Turkey was moved by German persuasion to take part in the war. The wisdom from the German point of view of inviting that alliance and co-operation is open to very grave doubt. It is unlikely that Turkey will prove a very serious embarrassment to the Allies, while her participation may easily provoke Greece and Rumania and ultimately Italy to appear in the theatre of war arrayed against Germany and Austria. Since Germany protested against England's alliance with such a land of "unculture" as Russia, what must be said of her accepting aid from so backward a race

as the Turks, with the reputation their soldiers have for cruel propensities, surpassing anything told or believed of France's Turcos or England's East Indians?

Cyprus can have no great strategic value for England, since it has no harbor fit for naval purposes, but it is something to get the island away from Turkey. The fortunes of the Cypriotes through the ages of history illustrate European ways of dealing with little peoples. Rome took Cyprus before the Christian era began. It was more than once wrested from her by the Arabs, and for a time, some 700 years ago, it was an English possession under RICHARD I. Then the Knights Templars had it, from them it passed to the Republic of Venice, and then to Turkey. England does not readily let go of what she once takes. Heligoland is a lamentable illustration of a misjudgment of that kind. What will happen to Turkey at the end of the war cannot be easily foreseen, save that the disappearance of the Turkish power in Europe is highly probable. Cyprus is very likely to remain an English island.

VICTOR MURDOCK.

Regret that Mr. VICTOR MURDOCK of Kansas will be forced to retire to private life for two years after March 4, 1915, will not be confined to the comparatively few still faithful members of the Progressive Party to the general collapse of which along his defeat is attributable. For ten years Mr. MURDOCK has represented the Eighth Kansas District in the House of Representatives, and so strong has been his hold on the voters of that part of his State that no opponent has dared to appear at late to contest his biennial re-election. He has been free in the political campaigns to lend his oratory to other districts and other States. But Mr. MURDOCK chose this year to carry the Progressive banner in the contest for the Senatorship, and he has found that party fidelity is still stronger in the John Brown State than personal popularity.

He will be missed in the next session of Congress, especially by Uncle JOE CANNON, who must have been looking forward eagerly to renewing his relations with the Kansas young man. But while Mr. MURDOCK's enforced rest from the political routine will give him time to put new fire and energy into his newspaper, The Wichita Eagle, the pursuit of journalism so remote from the national capital will scarcely lend free play to his talent. That he will return to put spice, vigor, and personal humor in the proceedings of the Sixty-fifth Congress goes without saying. The oriflamme has been furlled, but it will wave again.

TO ONE IN THE SPOTLIGHT.

Fame will accompany the flight of the now Hon. MEYER LONDON through the next two years. He will be the most noticeable and noticed member of the New York delegation in Congress; one of the most noticed in the country. His goings and comings will be chronicled; when there is a roll call special mention will be made of the vote "the only Socialist member" voted; when he makes a speech the Washington correspondents will give him a place by himself in their reports; the men who write apocryphal gossip of Washington will put witty retorts in his mouth, and tell of the funny things that happened when he first entered the cloakroom.

Therefore we address a word of caution to the Hon. MEYER LONDON. Let not this fame agitate him, for beneath it there lie pitfalls. The attention with which he is regarded will not be wholly reverent; those who pay it will be waiting to pounce upon him if he turns out, as most members of a third party in Congress do, to be ridiculous. And if he is but doubtfully ridiculous, they will not give him the benefit of the doubt. This applies to his fellow Congressmen as well as to the humor-loving public.

Socialism, the single tax, and other unaccepted theories have had their single Representatives in Congress, who have won a place that still gives them mention in the cloakroom stories of old-timers; but the place is not enviable. The crusader in Congress usually feels that he has a mission and that every opportunity must be seized to thrust his theories upon Congress; he has only two years and must make hay while the sun shines. Hence we see him perpetually in eruption, seizing the Sundry Civil Appropriation bill as an excuse to point out the evils of capitalism, or an invalid pension bill to arouse class consciousness in Congress. The wise old longhorns of the House, who have seen his like come and go, are grateful for the chance of comedy; they encourage him in his career and enjoy him as vaudeville in tired moments, and he becomes, to his astonishment, a Great National Joke.

One exception there has been to this rule. VICTOR L. BERGER is a Socialist who went to Congress, and the Congressmen and correspondents awaited his coming with thankful anticipation, looking upon him as, comedy relief, and justified in so doing by experience with his like. But BERGER disappointed them; instead of thrusting himself upon them in season and out of season, he spoke infrequently, but always to the point. When he spoke he spoke with a sanity and moderation that compelled reluctant and astonished old he-goats of the House machine. He was hard-headed but had no illusions, and when he talked

Socialism he did not talk the Socialist cant. Also he recognized that his "capitalist" colleagues were human beings. In a month he had won a respect which brought attention and seriousness whenever he rose to speak; he demonstrated that he was not a show; and, alone as he was in Congress, he was an influence. When he left he carried a Washington-wide friendship and golden opinions that were unanimous.

MR. WILLIAMS AND THE NEW YORK BANKS.

Controller WILLIAMS has placed the banks of the Wall Street district under obligation to him. But for his aid they would have been unable to give equal publicity to the fact that their rates for accommodation are so much more reasonable than those charged in other districts, where there is more pretense of running banks for popularity than for profit. Thanks to Mr. WILLIAMS it is now advertised throughout the country that there are only three banks in the land of the money trust which charge over 8 per cent. for call loans, and in these cases the higher rate, it appears, was determined by considerations of credit in a few special instances. That is a sort of loan which stands by itself to such an extent that there is a special statute in New York allowing rates to be charged on call above those on other loans. Yet the banks run by the money power, although taken by surprise by the Controller's inquiry, are able to show a clean bill of health on action taken voluntarily instead of by official requirement.

Indeed, the Controller's intervention is more in favor of the banks than of their customers. Resentment at official intervention in a matter of no concern to the currency has been expressed, and might find expression in an insistence upon freedom of action. Perhaps gratitude to the Controller will inspire kinder thoughts. How could the banks equally well have certified to the country that they are not now exacting the 50 per cent. or more which has been heard of in times of stress? How could the banks of New York equally well have let the country know that they are accommodating all deserving borrowers, on terms so satisfactory, and in relation to the conditions of the cases respectively? Borrowers also are indebted to the Controller for not setting a rule for the banks, for a rule would require all rates to be higher if the level were compulsory.

The banks of many sections of the country also are indebted to the Controller for not asking questions of them. The banks of other sections may be said to be under a continuing obligation, for if the Controller should take it into his head to ask them what their rates are, they would be in danger of an exposure which would make Wall Street blush for its moderation.

Nobody is asking relief for Wall Street, which is helping everybody who has a case for assistance on public grounds. Why, then, is the Controller so anxious about the Wall Street borrowers on call? It is from pure good will. The Controller is actuated solely by the desire to get the facts before the country. The Controller has no grievance against Wall Street, and is solely desirous of giving certificates of character to its banks, even at the risk of being thought meddling.

TOPICS OF THE TIMES.

One of yesterday's dispatches from London told of a united protest by the papers of that city against the small quantity and poor quality of the war news which the military censors allow them to print. They said, whether truly or not is not for us to say, that this was having another result besides the production of journalistic resentment—at which the censors, not being the wisest of folk, will presumably smile as unimportant. Their result, we read, is difficulty in raising recruits for the army.

That there is any such difficulty has been often denied and never admitted, officially, but more than a few observers have reported that the British public did not seem to realize as fully as those of France and Germany the seriousness of the war. The difference, if there be any, is hardly to be explained by the censorship, that certainly being not less rigid in the other two countries than in Great Britain, but considering the latter alone, the scarcity of published information about the war, and especially the minimizing or concealment of "bad" news, would fairly well account both for failure of the part of the British to be as deeply stirred as they should be for a comparative slowness in enlisting.

If the English can be judged by ourselves, they probably are not at all grateful for being protected from a knowledge of the truth, whatever it may be.

Certainly Alarmed in Time.

In public is more than hinted in the report that when they go to hotels nowadays they show for the lower floors a preference so decided that the resulting emptiness of rooms nearer the sky is making new trouble and loss for the owners of those establishments. The phenomenon was explained as due to fear of Zeppelins, or rather of the bombs which that interesting product of Teutonic genius is wont to drop with such quaint disregard for consequences. Of course the danger to individuals, if the big airships ever do fly over London, is not the least. But the fact that a new law had been passed, suppressing the one covered by the other, and seriously injured

several private houses in Antwerp? Of military efficiency they have as yet shown next to none. If any, but they may have some, nevertheless, and the grim promises of what they will do when the time comes cannot be wholly ignored by those confronted with the possibility of a visitation from them.

As it is a plausible assumption that, when a Zeppelin came, the occupants of a tall building would be safer in its lower stories than in its higher ones, there is nothing either mysterious or disgraceful in the reported liking for floors near the ground. To remote and unimpeached commentators, however, this latest grievance of the London hotelkeepers seems slightly amusing and the apprehensions that produce it not altogether in harmony with the established and accepted notions of the soldier's cool confidence in himself and his institutions.

We Americans, now, with our jumpy nerves, could be more easily excused for taking precautions against Zeppelins. Bostonians took them once, according to old tales, against like perils from a Spanish ship, and nobody ventured there even to smile.

Latest, and, considering the circumstances, perhaps the most significant, admission of the claim by the Zeppelin brothers to recognition as the men who made aerial navigation a reality has come this week in the shape of an award of \$15,000 from the British Government in payment for the use in building aeroplanes of principles patented by them. That is a victory greater even than those won in American and French courts before the war began, for this is a time when only the clearest of "cases" would be settled in such a way, for all ordinary compulsion is now under protest or suspended, and nations have little leisure for legal controversies.

More than a patent suit and profits of manufacture was at stake. There has been, indeed, in this country, as well as elsewhere, something of regret among people who had given the subject only superficial thought, that the discovery of how to fly was not offered freely to the world, and that the Zeppelins have sometimes been criticised for exploiting their invention without regard to sentiment. This feeling, in turn, has been industriously used by rival and later-makers of aeroplanes to create sympathy for themselves as the objects of vexatious litigation by would-be monopolists.

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REPORTS OF NATIONAL BANKS.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE CITIZENS CENTRAL NATIONAL BANK OF NEW YORK

At New York City, in the State of New York, at the close of business October 31, 1914.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	\$21,141,401.63
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	86.35
U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation	1,555,100.00
Commercial paper purchased	1,980,000.00
Clearing balances	300,000.00
U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits	100,000.00
Bonds, securities, etc. (other than U. S. bonds)	287,000.00
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank, none; all other stocks	25,000.00
Due from national banks	1,242,638.53
Due from State and private banks and branches and trust companies	447,240.41
Checks and other cash items	367,316.16
Exchange for clearing	702,919.50
Notes of other national banks	138,000.00
Currency, notes, and coin	2,529.44
Legal money reserve in bank	716.12
Specie	3,851,348.00
U. S. Treasury notes	603,736.00
Amount paid on account of subscription to \$100,000.00 gold fund (subscribed less amount, if any, returned to subscriber)	112,542.73
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer	140,703.00
Due from U. S. Treasurer of credit	201,341.89
Total	\$38,304,308.46
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$2,500,000.00
Surplus fund	\$1,500,000.00
Undivided profits	675,859.00
Reserves for taxes	200,000.00
Reserves for losses	50,740.27
Due to national banks	2,920,497.32
Due to State and private banks and branches and trust companies	708,489.87
Dividends unpaid	1,078.00
Deposits	11,894,008.00
Checks and other cash items subject to check	17,894,008.00
Certified checks	72,812.69
Cashier's checks	137,044.81
Outstanding	5,452.68
United States deposits	73,448.00
Letters of credit and foreign accounts	22,728,821.41
Clearing House loan certificates	201,341.89
Total	\$38,304,308.46
State of New York, County of New York, ss: I, ALBION K. CHAPMAN, Cashier of the above bank, do hereby certify that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.	
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of November, 1914.	
WM. V. A. POE, Notary Public.	
Correct-Attest: FRANK M. BACON, JR., Director.	
ROBT. B. BACON, JR., Director.	

REPORTS OF NATIONAL BANKS.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE SECOND NATIONAL BANK, at New York, in the State of New York, at the close of business October 31, 1914.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	\$11,174,401.00
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	11,517.47
U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation	885,000.00
Commercial paper purchased	1,270,000.00
Clearing balances	1,455,262.32
U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits	50,000.00
Bonds, securities, etc. (other than U. S. bonds)	50,000.00
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank, none; all other stocks	200,000.00
Due from national banks	2,920,497.32
Due from State and private banks and branches and trust companies	708,489.87
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Checks and other cash items subject to check	17,894,008.00
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Cashier's checks	137,044.81
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United States deposits	73,448.00
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Surplus fund	\$1,500,000.00
Undivided profits	675,859.00
Reserves for taxes	200,000.00
Reserves for losses	50,740.27
Due to national banks	2,920,497.32
Due to State and private banks and branches and trust companies	708,489.87
Dividends unpaid	1,078.00
Deposits	11,894,008.00
Checks and other cash items subject to check	17,894,008.00
Certified checks	72,812.69
Cashier's checks	137,044.81
Outstanding	5,452.68
United States deposits	73,448.00
Letters of credit and foreign accounts	22,728,821.41
Clearing House loan certificates	201,341.89
Total	\$38,304,308.46

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIFTH NATIONAL BANK, at New York City, in the State of New York, at the close of business October 31, 1914.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	\$21,141,401.63
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	86.35
U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation	1,555,100.00
Commercial paper purchased	1,980,000.00
Clearing balances	300,000.00
U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits	100,000.00
Bonds, securities, etc. (other than U. S. bonds)	287,000.00
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank, none; all other stocks	25,000.00
Due from national banks	1,242,638.53
Due from State and private banks and branches and trust companies	447,240.41
Checks and other cash items	367,316.16
Exchange for clearing	702,919.50
Notes of other national banks	138,000.00
Currency, notes, and coin	2,529.44
Legal money reserve in bank	716.12
Specie	3,851,348.00
U. S. Treasury notes	603,736.00
Amount paid on account of subscription to \$100,000.00 gold fund (subscribed less amount, if any, returned to subscriber)	112,542.73
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LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$2,500,000.00
Surplus fund	\$1,500,000.00
Undivided profits	675,859.00
Reserves for taxes	200,000.00
Reserves for losses	50,740.27
Due to national banks	2,920,497.32
Due to State and private banks and branches and trust companies	708,489.87
Dividends unpaid	1,078.00
Deposits	11,894,008.00
Checks and other cash items subject to check	17,894,008.00
Certified checks	72,812.69
Cashier's checks	137,044.81
Outstanding	5,452.68
United States deposits	73,448.00
Letters of credit and foreign accounts	22,728,821.41
Clearing House loan certificates	201,341.89
Total	\$38,304,308.46

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE BRONX NATIONAL BANK, at New York, in the State of New York, at the close of business October 31, 1914.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	\$21,141,401.63
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	86.35
U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation	1,555,100.00
Commercial paper purchased	1,980,000.00
Clearing balances	300,000.00
U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits	100,000.00
Bonds, securities, etc. (other than U. S. bonds)	287,000.00
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank, none; all other stocks	25,000.00
Due from national banks	1,242,638.53
Due from State and private banks and branches and trust companies	447,240.41
Checks and other cash items	367,316.16
Exchange for clearing	702,919.50
Notes of other national banks	138,000.00
Currency, notes, and coin	2,529.44
Legal money reserve in bank	716.12
Specie	3,851,348.00
U. S. Treasury notes	603,736.00
Amount paid on account of subscription to \$100,000.00 gold fund (subscribed less amount, if any, returned to subscriber)	112,542.73
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer	140,703.00
Due from U. S. Treasurer of credit	201,341.89
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LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$2,500,000.00
Surplus fund	\$1,500,000.00
Undivided profits	675,859.00
Reserves for taxes	200,000.00
Reserves for losses	50,740.27
Due to national banks	2,920,497.32
Due to State and private banks and branches and trust companies	708,489.87
Dividends unpaid	1,078.00
Deposits	11,894,008.00
Checks and other cash items subject to check	17,894,008.00
Certified checks	72,812.69
Cashier's checks	137,044.81
Outstanding	5,452.68
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Bonds, securities, etc. (other than U. S. bonds)	287,000.00
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank, none; all other stocks	25,000.00
Due from national banks	1,242,638.53
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Checks and other cash items	367,316.16
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Legal money reserve in bank	716.12
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INDIA HOUSE INCORPORATED

Business Men Organize to Encourage Foreign Trade.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, Nov. 5.—India House was incorporated today, with principal offices in Manhattan. Its object is to encourage the foreign trade of the United States and to cultivate and perpetuate the best traditions thereof.

The Directors include W. E. Bemis, William H. Childs, W. L. Clark, Samuel P. Colt, E. P. Cronkright, Lloyd C. G. Jennings, Waldo H. Marshall, Frank Reddy, Vanderlip, and A. H. Wiggin of New York; Charles M. Schwab, Wm. Simmon, P. Johnson of Philadelphia; Robert Dillard of San Francisco; Cameron Forbes of Boston; and Fairfax Harrison, Washington, D. C.

Buckeye Pipe Line Pays \$2 a Share.

The Buckeye Pipe Line Company yesterday declared a quarterly dividend of \$2 a share, payable on Nov. 15 to stockholders of record on Nov. 12. Three months ago the payment was \$3 and six months ago \$4. Last year the stock received a dividend of 40 per cent, compared with 28 per cent this year.

REPORTS OF NATIONAL BANKS.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE SECOND NATIONAL BANK, at New York, in the State of New York, at the close of business October 31, 1914.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	\$11,174,401.00
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	11,517.47
U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation	885,000.00
Commercial paper purchased	1,270,000.00
Clearing balances	1,455,262.32
U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits	50,000.00
Bonds, securities, etc. (other than U. S. bonds)	50,000.00
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank, none; all other stocks	200,000.00
Due from national banks	2,920,497.32
Due from State and private banks and branches and trust companies	708,489.87
Dividends unpaid	1,078.00
Deposits	11,894,008.00
Checks and other cash items subject to check	17,894,008.00
Certified checks	72,812.69
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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIFTH NATIONAL BANK, at New York City, in the State of New York, at the close of business October 31, 1914.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	\$21,141,401.63
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	86.35
U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation	1,555,100.00
Commercial paper purchased	1,980,000.00
Clearing balances	300,000.00
U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits	100,000.00
Bonds, securities, etc. (other than U. S. bonds)	287,000.00
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank, none; all other stocks	25,000.00
Due from national banks	1,242,638.53
Due from State and private banks and branches and trust companies	447,240.41
Checks and other cash items	367,316.16
Exchange for clearing	702,919.50
Notes of other national banks	138,000.00
Currency, notes, and coin	2,529.44
Legal money reserve in bank	716.12
Specie	3,851,348.00
U. S. Treasury notes	603,736.00
Amount paid on account of subscription to \$100,000.00 gold fund (subscribed less amount, if any, returned to subscriber)	112,542.73
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer	140,703.00
Due from U. S. Treasurer of credit	201,341.89
Total	\$38,304,308.46
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$2,500,000.00
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Undivided profits	675,859.00
Reserves for taxes	200,000.00
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LAMAR ARRESTED AT THE WALDORF

Secret Service Men Get "Wolf
of Wall St." and He Spends
Night in Police Station.

TRIED TO GET BAIL, FAILED

He Long Resisted Removal to This
City—Charged with Imperson-
ating Congressman Palmer.

David Lamar, "the Wolf of Wall Street," who has been since July, 1913, fighting his removal from the District of Columbia to avoid answering an indictment by the Federal Grand Jury of the Southern District of New York on the charge of impersonating Congressman A. Mitchell Palmer, was arrested outside the Waldorf-Astoria last evening by Joseph Tychner and Daniel J. Scully, Government Secret Service men. They took their prisoner to the office of Division Supt. William Offley in Park Row. Lamar sent for his lawyer, Lionel P. Kristeller of 940 Broadway, who tried to get Lamar released on bail, but no judge could be reached and Lamar was locked up for the night in the Greenwich Street Police Station. Lamar said he had been in this city for three weeks, but refused to say where he had been staying. Supt. Offley said that Lamar had not been in this city for three weeks, but that he had slipped out of Washington and into New York on several occasions.

His arrest was due to his boldness. On Thursday afternoon he walked alone up and down Wall Street, surrounded by persons recognizing him and inquired of him as to his business in the city. Far from attempting to make himself inconspicuous in the Waldorf-Astoria last night, Lamar was walking up and down "Peacock Alley" when the Government agents found him. When he was asked by reporters where he had been staying he replied:

"You see, I am now a guest of the United States Government. I will only discuss the present."

Lamar was originally indicted in the District of Columbia on the charge of impersonating a Federal officer. He was being released on bail, but it does not appear that he had been released. He resisted removal from Washington to this city. The indictment, which was found under Section 32 of the United States Criminal Code, gives Lamar the alias of David H. Lewis, and charges him with impersonating Congressman A. Mitchell Palmer, the New York lawyer, to prevent a Government inquiry into affairs of the Union Pacific Railroad.

Lamar became a figure in the summer of 1912, when Robert S. Lovett testified before the Senate Lobby Investigation Committee, telling of the various efforts that had been made to induce him to engage the services of Edward Lauterbach, the New York lawyer, to prevent a Government inquiry into affairs of the Union Pacific Railroad.

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HEALTH BOARD BANS FRIEDMANN CURE

Finds, After Hospital Tests, that
It Is Not a Specific for
Tuberculosis.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 6.—The seal of official disapproval has been placed upon the tuberculosis "cure," so-called, cure for tuberculosis. The abstract brought to this country in 1913 by Dr. Friedrich F. Friedmann of Berlin. The announcement was made today by the United States Public Health Service in making public an abstract of the report of its investigations in hospitals and laboratories where tests of the Friedmann cures were made. It asserts that conclusions of the American physicians are in line with previous reports both in this country and abroad "which have noted Dr. Friedmann's claim to the discovery of a specific says that the bacteria germs used for injection by Dr. Friedmann 'show that the germ is different from varieties of tubercle bacilli commonly known at the present time and that their injection into smaller animals rendered the subject more susceptible to tubercular infection instead of more resistant, as was claimed.'"

Continuing, the abstract says in part: "It is pointed out that the manner in which Dr. Friedmann presented his claims before the Berlin Medical Society made them paramount to a contention that he had discovered at last the sovereign cure for tuberculosis in all its forms, provided, of course, that the disease had not already progressed beyond all hope of recovery. These claims the report takes up in detail and then draws the deductions, parallel between them and the results of the application of the treatment to patients under the observation of the Service doctors."

"Whereas, the claims are based on cases which always seem to get well, or at least to show phenomenal improvement, after one or two injections of every large series, but it does not point out distinctly that if any one prefers the first explanation, he must, in justice, attribute also to the treatment the very distinct and unusual deterioration in the condition of certain other patients which progressed in some of them to a speedy death."

FRESH FIRES START IN JERSEY FORESTS

Since Last Sunday an Area 25
Miles Long and 10 Miles Wide
Has Been Swept by Flames.

While the efforts of hundreds of men, continued day and night since last Sunday, checked some of the forest fires blazing in New Jersey, a new blaze which began Thursday afternoon swept over an area ten miles wide and twenty-five miles long yesterday and left behind it a score of ruined farm houses, outbuildings which had been stored with crops, and crops ready for harvest in the fields. Smoking ruins of houses, smoldering heaps of ashes, glowing masses of peat marking what had been some of the finest cranberry bogs in New Jersey, and devastated timber lands still glowing and smoking were all that remained in the trail of the blaze. The damage has been estimated at \$200,000.

The fire, which is still burning, though over a greatly reduced area, is expected to burn itself out in the meadows along Wading River. The fire started southeast of New Gretna and extended to within thirty miles of Atlantic City. Motorists who reached there yesterday told of racing through a sea of fire and of seeing the ruins of homes and fields.

The flames swept through the towns of Haverhill, Batsboro, Old Washington, Greenbank, Moorebank, Jenkins, Wading River, and outlying sections of New Gretna. The townsfolk in the place gathered at the outskirts of the village and succeeded in keeping the flames from passing entirely over the towns. In Old Washington alone, however, fourteen houses were destroyed, five in Haverhill, and three in Jenkins.

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STOPS ALL COPPER BOUND FOR ITALY

England Says Big American
Shipments Have Been Going
Into Germany.

STRONG AMERICAN PROTEST

Copper Companies Engage John
Bassett Moore to Present Their
Case and Deny British Assertions.

LONDON, Nov. 6.—Information is in the possession of the British Government, it is said, which proves conclusively that large shipments of copper, rubber, and other commodities are passing through Italian ports on their way to Germany.

In New York large purchases of copper are being made by representatives of houses in Rotterdam, Amsterdam, and Copenhagen, who, it is said, are working on German account. These consignments of copper are said to be shipped through Italian ports to the order of various financial institutions which are supposed to be controlled largely by German capital. American copper refiners appear to be capable of protecting their own interests, since they usually insist on payment in cash before they allow the copper to be shipped.

The British Government is determined to stop every legitimate means to prevent copper reaching Germany, where it is being made into ammunition for use against the British forces. Great Britain, therefore, is diverting various steamers which are carrying copper to Italy, to Gibraltar, where the copper is discharged. The steamers are promptly released. Some of the copper actually has been found packed in cases marked for Danzig. Other lots are shipments made up orders through German houses in Amsterdam and Rotterdam. Some of these houses are said to be connected with the Krupp, manufacturer of munitions. It is understood that representatives of some big copper refining firms recently sailed from New York for Europe with the object of consulting agents of German firms as to the best means of forwarding copper to Germany. Italian firms also have been approached by German purchasers of copper with a view to arranging for the use of the names in order to conceal the fact that American copper shipped to the purchasers is destined for Germany.

Since Oct. 25 vessels from New York bound for Italy, having on board a total of 7,200 tons of copper, have been diverted to Gibraltar, and the British Government is informed that some thousands of tons more are now en route to Italy. The larger part of these copper shipments was for Genoa. Official returns just published show that for two and one-half months prior to Oct. 25 the import of copper into Genoa amounted to only 1,316 tons. A comparison of these figures with the more recent shipments shows, it is said, that the present trade with Italy is entirely an artificial one and that the Italian imports are not for use in that country.

In view of all this accumulative evidence the British Government maintains that there is no alternative but to stop this contraband trade in copper with Germany through Italy. With a few possible exceptions American exporters do not suffer, they having received pay for the copper, but the British Government, not wishing to be unreasonable in any way, is prepared, so far as concerns shipments made before Oct. 25, when copper was transferred from the conditional to the actual contraband list, to arrange for the purchase of copper which has been detained.

COPPER MEN ACCUSE BRITISH.

Say England Wants to Seize Control of the Trade.

Copper men in this city said last night that the British Government was seeking to give a false impression in regard to shipments of copper to Italy and other European countries, and that the real purpose was not to prevent the copper from going to Italy, but to supply by her enemies, but to get control of the business of copper manufacturing.

Advances had actually been made by responsible parties in London, it was said, in the last few days to bring about a situation in which England would agree to take a large fixed amount of copper on condition that American producers should not ship to Europe through other channels and that their total shipments to Europe should be restricted to the amount to be taken by England.

The intimation that American interests were shipping great quantities to Italy for transport into Germany was without foundation, it was said, and it was added that export statistics did not show any such quantity going to Italy as was stated. It was also pointed out that Italy had long been a large consumer of copper, and that the present European conflict by the manufacture of munitions of war for her own use, and that she had formerly drawn heavy supplies of sulphuric acid from Italy. It was pointed out that it was necessary for her to import manufactured copper from this country, but that it was not necessary for her to undertake manufacture on her own account, importing sulphate from Germany.

The idea that Germany was in need of copper from this country was ridiculous, it was said. The mines in Germany have an annual output of 25,000 tons, and Norway and Sweden produce 10,000 tons. It was pointed out that it was necessary for her to import manufactured copper from this country, but that it was not necessary for her to undertake manufacture on her own account, importing sulphate from Germany.

In answer to the statement from London that Italy's copper imports had increased greatly from the 1,316 tons taken in the two and a half months preceding Oct. 25, it was pointed out that during most of this period no ships were sailing and naturally shipments dropped off to almost nothing.

"Copper," said one of those interviewed, "is used for many things besides the manufacture of munitions. It is never contraband on any list until a short time ago, when it was declared so. The fact that it was true that shipments going to Italy were intended for Germany, the place for England to interfere would be with a legitimate country. In any case, it is a legitimate country."

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433,241 PRISONERS IN GERMAN CAMPS

Berlin Says These Figures Do
Not Include Men Who Are
Not Encamped.

LONDON, Nov. 6.—A dispatch from Reuters' Telegram Company from Amsterdam says that figures received there from Berlin are to the effect that up to last Sunday the German concentration camps and hospitals held the following prisoners:

French, 3,158 officers and 188,618 men; Russians, 3,121 officers and 186,779 men; Belgians, 531 officers and 34,907 men; British, 417 officers and 13,730 men; total, 433,241.

This is a most formidable army, the Berlin dispatch says these figures do not include prisoners not encamped.

GERMAN GUN DEADLY TO HOSTILE AIRMEN

It Fires Incendiary Shells, Exploding With Such Force as to Upset an Aeroplane.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. PARIS, Nov. 6. (Dispatch to The London Standard).—French airmen have learned by experience to give as wide a berth as possible to the new German anti-aircraft gun.

This is a most formidable weapon, and it is common talk among airmen that to be caught by a battery of these guns at 6,000 feet is as good as having one foot in the grave. Their fire is deadly between 4,000 and 6,000 feet, first on account of the incendiary shells, and second because of the force of the explosion, which displaces the air to an extent sufficient to capsize an aeroplane. Lastly these guns are fitted with ingenious range finders that not only give the height of an aeroplane, but signal its speed at the same time.

WARSHIPS ESCORT CECILIE TO BOSTON

German Liner's Trip From Bar
Harbor Uneventful—Her Captain Feared Trouble.

BOSTON, Nov. 6.—Under protection of two torpedo boat destroyers of the United States Navy the North German Lloyd liner Kronprinzessin Cecilie steamed into this port late today after a thirteen-hour run from Bar Harbor, Me.

The transfer of the ship, which has been interned at the Maine port for three months as a result of the war, was accomplished without unusual incident. Her captain, who was deeply concerned over the possibility of molestation by a hostile ship, paced the bridge during the entire voyage, but his fears proved groundless.

"I am a very much relieved man," he said, when he had brought the vessel to anchor in President Roads, between two other German liners, which also are confined here because of the war.

Most of the voyage was made within the three-mile limit, but on several stretches the big liner was more than ten miles off shore. The destroyer Terry was close alongside throughout, while the destroyer Lamson held to a course about ten miles out, on the watch for the appearance of any possible element of danger to the Cecilie. Aboard the steamer Lieut. W. K. Kilpatrick, U. S. N., assisted Capt. Polack in the management of the vessel, and supervised the operation of the steamer's wireless apparatus, which was unused for the first time in many weeks.

Almost at the time that the United States Marshal for Maine turned the custody of the vessel over to Deputy Morse of Massachusetts, an agreement was arranged in the Federal Court here postponing a hearing on the principal suit against the steamship company until Nov. 20. It had been scheduled for today.

The suit was brought by the Guaranty Trust Company of New York for damages alleged to have resulted from the failure of the Kronprinzessin Cecilie to deliver in Germany a consignment of \$1,000,000 of gold.

AUSTRIANS DROP BOMBS ON ANTIVARI

Building Wrecked and Minor
Damage Done in Montenegrin Port.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. CETINJE, Nov. 5. (Dispatch to The London Morning Post).—Austrian aeroplanes have renewed attacks on Antivari, a Montenegrin port, dropping a number of bombs and firing from Maxim guns.

A large Italian building was wrecked and a number of wagons set on fire, while minor damage was done in the shape of windows broken and walls cracked. A woman was also injured. These attacks upon the peaceful civilian population have aroused the utmost indignation.

BERLIN. (Via The Eagle and London). Nov. 6.—A newspaper of Augsburg, Bavaria, prints a letter from a post in the field, dated Oct. 28, in which the writer mentions attending a dinner on the previous evening to celebrate the return of two aviators from the vicinity near London, who had dropped bombs near Dover.

WALES AS AN AUCTIONEER.

Sells His Oxford Furniture for War Fund—\$10,000 for Three Cans.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. LONDON, Nov. 6.—The furniture and other personal belongings of the prince of Wales in his rooms at Oxford were this week auctioned in aid of the Prince's fund to aid sufferers from the war.

The sale realized \$75,000. The Prince himself conducted the sale, which was held in his rooms.

TSING-TAU SURRENDERS TO JAPANESE; GERMAN FORTS HELD OUT 2 MONTHS; BRITISH ADMIT LOSS OF GOOD HOPE

LAST ASSAULT WON A FORT

Then Germans Opened
Negotiations Which
Ended in Submission.

STOOD A SIEGE OF 65 DAYS

Garrison of 5,000 Pitted Against
25,000 Japanese Troops
and Allied Warships.

HEAVY LOSS ON BOTH SIDES

Last Days of the Siege Marked
by the Dropping of Bombs
from Aeroplanes.

TOKIO, Saturday, Nov. 7, 11:25 A. M.—It is officially announced that the German fortress of Tsing-tau has surrendered to the Japanese and British forces.

It is officially announced that the first step in bringing about the surrender of the fortress occurred at midnight last night when the infantry charged and occupied the middle fort of the first line of defense. In this operation they took 200 prisoners.

The charge was led by Gen. Yoshimi Yamada at the head of companies of infantry and engineers.

The Germans hoisted the white flag at 7 o'clock this morning at the Weather Observation Bureau of Tsing-tau. The quick capitulation of the Germans was the cause of much surprise to the men of the army, and navy operating against it and also to the people of Tokio.

In yesterday's official communication regarding the progress of operations it was announced that the bombardment continued, and that aeroplanes were dropping bombs and circulars into the besieged port. The circulars warned the civilian inhabitants not to take any part in military operations.

It had been suggested by the Japanese General Staff that the assault on the main positions around Tsing-tau, the Ilits, Bismarck, and Moltke forts might be deferred until after the capture of the five forts south of the Halpo River, where behind strong defenses the German artillery and infantry were making a determined stand. These five forts are 2,400 feet from the Japanese trenches.

Complete casualty lists containing the names of the killed and wounded in the operations around Tsing-tau up to yesterday show that the British had two killed and eight wounded, and that the Japanese had 200 killed and 875 wounded. The total losses of the Japanese and Germans up to the time of the surrender were heavy.

SIEGE LASTED 65 DAYS.

Japan Engaged to Restore Kiaochow to China if Victorious.

The fall of Tsing-tau ends the most picturesque of the minor phases of the great world war now raging. On two continents and in many of the islands of the seas where colonies of the warring nations were planted combats of more or less interest have taken place. These attacks upon the peaceful civilian population have aroused the utmost indignation.

For two months the little German garrison, nearly wholly composed of reservists who were living or doing business in China, held out against the land and sea attacks of the Japanese and of certain British detachments of both white and Indian troops that found themselves in China at the outbreak of the war. What the losses of the garrison were were not known, but the official Japanese and British reports have indicated that Tsing-tau was taken at heavy cost of men on the part of the Allies.

War Declared on Aug. 23. Japan declared herself to be in a state of war with Germany on Aug. 23. The day before her fleet had sailed for Kiaochow, Germany's leasehold of 117 square miles, with a population of 80,000, on the coast of China.

For nearly a month Japan had been preparing for this eventuality. No sooner had the international rupture occurred in Europe, with Great Britain involved, than she prepared to participate in the war. On Aug. 4 the British Government asked Tokio what Japan could do in the way of assistance.

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Summary of War News.

The German fortress at Tsing-tau has surrendered to the Japanese and British forces, according to an announcement made in Tokio.

The British Admiralty announces that the British cruiser Good Hope, which participated in the naval battle last Sunday with German cruisers off the coast of Chile, has been lost, apparently, with Admiral Craddock and the 900 men on board. Two other British vessels took part in this engagement, the Monmouth, which had been previously reported sunk, but whose fate is said now to be unknown, and the Glasgow, which was not extensively damaged.

The French War Office announces that the Allies have retaken the village of Soupir, in the region of the Aisne, which was evacuated several days ago. German trenches on the heights of the Meuse and to the east of Verdun have been captured, and the German attacks between Arras and the Oise have been repulsed. The fighting in the vicinity of Ypres continues to be severe.

The British Press Bureau announces that the vigor of the German attacks seems to be decreasing, while the Allies are steadily pushing them back, especially in the vicinity of Dixmude.

The Germans report important gains in the vicinity of Ypres and St. Mihiel.

The Russians state that they have gained their greatest victory since the beginning of the war. Their forces have recaptured the Galician town of Jaroslaw, seventeen miles from the fortress of Przemyśl, and have taken 5,000 Austrian prisoners.

The Turkish fleet has bombarded the Russian seaport of Batum.

BATTLE RAGING AROUND YPRES

British and French Reports Tell
of

7-11-68

GREAT VICTORY WON BY RUSSIANS

News of Austrian Defeat Wired
by Grand Duke Nicholas to
Kitchener and Joffre.

CALLED WORST OF THE WAR
Galician Armies Driven from
San River Are in Retreat
Along Entire Front.

JAROSLAW IS RECAPTURED
General Advance Into East Prussia
Also Said to Wait Only on
Taking of One Position.

PARIS, Nov. 6.—Grand Duke Nicholas, Commander in Chief of the Russian forces in the field, has sent a telegram to Gen. Joffre, Commander in Chief of the French forces, saying the Russians have gained their greatest victory since the beginning of the war.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 6.—The British Embassy gave out the following this evening:

Lord Kitchener has received the following telegram from the Grand Duke Nicholas:

Following our successes upon the Vistula, a complete victory has just been gained by our troops along the whole of the front in Galicia. Our strategic manoeuvre has thus been crowned by what is undoubtedly the greatest success gained on our side since the beginning of the war. I am most confident of the speedy and entire accomplishment of the last common task, persuaded as I am that decisive victory will be gained by the allied armies.

This dispatch is almost identical with one sent to Gen. Joffre.

PETROGRAD, Nov. 6.—The Russians have recaptured the Galician town of Jaroslawa and have taken 3,000 Austrian prisoners, according to a telegram received here to-day from Lemberg. Jaroslawa is seventeen miles northwest of the Austrian fortress of Przemyel.

The Austrians for the last several days have been attacking furiously day and night. Their artillery fire has been particularly severe, and leads to the impression that they have been making their last supreme effort. The last engagement was over an extended front and enormous forces endeavored to prevent the Russians crossing the San at a point near Monastyrzek. Their efforts were unavailing, and the Austrians all along the river are now retreating. Reinforcements are pushing over the Carpathians in an attempt to support them, but it is reported that these troops have been exhausted by the struggle through the snow-filled mountain passes and are incapable of a serious resistance.

On the extreme northern front, Wirballen is said to be the only obstacle to a general advance of the whole Russian front into East Prussia. The Germans, it is declared, soon will be forced to evacuate, being threatened by a flanking movement of the Russians. The backward movement of the remainder of the German line left this point without sufficient support.

The Emperor, the Grand Duke Nicholas, Russian Commander in Chief; the Imperial suite and all the members of the General Staff attended the religious services which were celebrated today when news was received of the remainder of the Russian line left this point without sufficient support.

RETREATING ON CRACOW.
Austrians Will Seek There to Protect German Line of Defenses.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
PETROGRAD, Nov. 6.—Austrians are in full retreat over the entire Galician front. The movement is such as to indicate less a general defeat than a general obedience to orders to withdraw. The Russians have been pressing with great energy upon the upper Vistula and San fronts, especially since the settlement of the main fight further north against the German and mixed forces, but I understand that the Austrians were in possession of strong fortified positions which were still giving the Russians considerable trouble in spite of their constantly increasing numbers.

On that subject, by the way, I cannot too frequently correct the repeated error in the press about Russia piling up numbers at the front only in proportion as her mobilization reaches more and more distant regions of the vast Empire. This is altogether wrong, but it is recognized as a natural mistake for Englishmen, engaged in procuring and training volunteers in batches progressively, Russia maintains a large army at all times, and the Japanese war it has become a new armed duplicate in having the final Polish put on and is moving up as required.

It is plain that the Galician front was left until the Vistula front had been cleared, when a proportion of the troops released here proceeded to add to the fighting front in Galicia, thereby causing the retreat of the Austrians along the whole front. The Austrians will retire to especially strong fortified positions resting on Cracow on the south and the whole front will be in a position to stand here, in case of course, to prevent the Russian attempt to cross the line of defenses of Germany along the Oder.

If a successful resistance is maintained here Germany will be free to throw the greater part of the armies which were tied back to the western front in an effort to crush the Anglo-French advance. From the information received these forces in spite of the Polish disasters, will be considerable in number and valuable in quality.

When retreating after their failure before Warsaw the Germans planted a heavy mine field on the western front in an effort to get their troops away with comparatively small losses. In fact, they were not able to get away at all, and by this time have doubtless got back into Germany, still in good fighting condition, and ready to attempt to proceed toward France.

On the East Prussian front the German line has been broken along the whole line, the Russians following them up closely. The only point still held by the Austrians is the town of Przemyel, the well-known frontier station, Wirballen, where a strongly entrenched position has been held for some time, but it has been left isolated by the general retreat.

I have several times noted how extremely severe the fighting has been on this front since the failure before Warsaw. The Austrians, the dead Russian line, where they were not heaped, were regular swaths, mowed down by the Russian artillery and heroic attempts to force the Russian defenses. Among the dead is a Polish officer, the proportion of boys 16 or 17 years old.

The spirit of the Russian troops is at a high point. The Russian soldiers, who the doctors attribute some extraordinary recoveries from appalling wounds, have been recovering from both the Germans and Austrians has been definitely proved. In a multitude of cases the Austrian bullets are, in fact, miniature shells with a detonator. Doubtless, they were originally invented for signaling purposes, as they throw out a flash in the daytime and flash at night.

It is possible to explain the use of these as accidental in some cases, but too frequent instances have been registered entirely to accept this excuse. Apart from the usual cases and contents of clips found on wounded, a correspondent has seen what nothing can explain away. A number of Austrian machine gun belts loaded up with cartridges of which every tenth had an explosive bullet. By dropping a cartridge on a stone the bullet can be exploded without exploding the firing charge.

POLAND INVASION NEAR END.
German Armies Still Retreating to Frontier Strongholds.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
PETROGRAD, Nov. 6. (Dispatch to the London Daily Chronicle).—During the last week the retreat of the German and Austrian armies in Poland has been monotonously rapid. The invaders have made such haste to reach their own territory that frequently the Russians have had difficulty in overtaking them. Here and there the retreating armies have fought rearguard actions, but in every case with considerable loss to themselves.

At Radom the Austrian and German armies are separating, the Germans retiring westward toward the Silesian frontier and the Austrians southward toward Kielce and Sandomierz with Cracow as their ultimate objective.

Now that the Austrian and German

armies are approaching the frontier, operations are again entering upon an interesting phase. It was expected that before falling back on their elaborately fortified positions at Kalisz and Czenstochow the Germans would try to make a stand on the River Warta, which, flowing in Western Poland from south to north, would form a good rallying point for a retreating army. But the Russians in their unremitting pursuit have occupied Kola on the Warta, thirty-one miles from Kalisz, and have nullified whatever defensive value the river may have possessed for the Germans.

The German invasion of Poland is therefore practically at an end, and this is so not only on the Silesian frontier, but also further north on the East Prussian frontier, where prolonged German attacks on the Russian right flank have been repulsed.

LONDON BUYING MOURNING.
One Shop Sells Twenty Widows' Bonnets in Three Days.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
LONDON, Nov. 6.—At many well-known West End women's tailoring establishments and millinery shops no guarantees are given as to the time of filling ordinary orders, for everything must give way to orders for mourning gowns and hats. In one millinery establishment twenty widows' bonnets are conspicuously displayed. When asked why so many were kept in stock the answer given was:

"They are for twenty widows and represent orders given in three days' time."

At salting places it was said that additional help had been obtained to complete at the shortest notice mourning clothing, and in consequence all other orders had been accepted on the understanding that completion depended on circumstances at the front.

American women in London plan no social functions for this winter, according to a titled American, who in the past has had notable affairs at her home. Some weeks ago the King expressed the opinion that social life in the capital should not be abandoned this winter, but since then many families have been thrown into mourning. If social functions were given, the American women referred to said to day, "who would attend them? Many families recently have been struck over the loss of one or more of their members. No one has the heart to entertain, and I know that American women in London have absolutely no idea of entertaining."

It was contributed much to social events had been killed, others were wounded, and still others now were on the fighting line.

PROBLEM FOR THE KAISER.
How to Reinforce His Western Armies with Russia Winning.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
PARIS, Nov. 6.—Commenting on the statement of the Italian military critic, Col. Gatti, in the Corriere della Sera, that now or never the Germans must bring reinforcements against the allied troops, the Temps says:

"Even if Germany can afford to send further troops against us, which the American women referred to said to day, 'who would attend them? Many families recently have been struck over the loss of one or more of their members. No one has the heart to entertain, and I know that American women in London have absolutely no idea of entertaining.'"

The intrinsigant, on the other hand, refers with satisfaction to the dispatch saying that the Germans are sending troops eastward, and adds:

"If this information is correct Gen. Joffre's prophecy of victory is likely to be fulfilled soon."

It seems likely that the French offensive movement into Alsace, which the defeat at Charleroi halted, will now be resumed. The Lausanne Revue, which the Temps quotes, says that the French troops on the Alsace frontier have been heavily reinforced for this purpose. The same newspaper states that the inhabitants of Largin, a small hamlet only three hundred yards from the German frontier, were recently forced to seek the shelter of cellars owing to a sudden hail of German shells. A party of Swiss dragoons were simultaneously forced to leave the barn where their horses were stabled.

Another Neutrality Proclamation.
WASHINGTON, Nov. 6.—President Wilson today signed a proclamation declaring the neutrality of the United States in the conflict between Great Britain and Turkey. It is the same as those issued to cover the conflicts between the other belligerents.

New Zealand Puts Embargo on Wool
WASHINGTON, Nov. 6.—New Zealand has declared an embargo on wool except to the allied powers. Formal notification was received today at the State Department.

THE WAR SITUATION.

BY THE MILITARY EXPERT OF THE NEW YORK TIMES.
(An Associate Editor of The Army and Navy Journal.)

The movements in Belgium indicate that the Germans have given up their attempt to break through the part of the line held by the Belgians, and that they are moving their troops southward to add to the vigorous attacks that have been delivered during the last week against the British army that is holding the line from the Yser to the Lys.

The reports from allied sources have announced various victories in this district, but nevertheless their line proves to have been forced back seven miles to Bixchoote, five miles north of Ypres. Both to the north and to the south of this city the Germans have forced back the opposing armies, but in the immediate vicinity of Ypres the British resistance stiffened after the first retirement.

In fighting such as that which has been going on in Western Belgium during the last three weeks, the expenditure of ammunition is enormous. In maintaining at the front the supplies of this essential accessory of modern fighting, the Allies have a decided advantage, in that they can make use of water transportation to bring the shells and powder within thirty miles of their fighting line. They have this aid also in getting their reinforcements to the front. With the immense numbers of men now engaged in the fighting, the matter of supplying the armies with food, forage, clothes, and ammunition is an enormous problem. It is impossible for large numbers to be concentrated except where they can readily be supplied by railroads and by trains of automobiles, traveling on paved roads.

In the battle area in Northern France, the great network of railroads and paved highways gives the armies on both sides great latitude in selecting points for concentrating their troops in large numbers. After the war of 1870 the French Government devoted part of its energies toward constructing a railroad system so that each army corps would have a direct through route from its home district to its designated position on the western frontier. The same roads carry trains of supplies and reinforcements going to the front, and the returning stream of empty cars and sick and wounded soldiers. Each corps gets supplies by its home district. The American women referred to said to day, "who would attend them? Many families recently have been struck over the loss of one or more of their members. No one has the heart to entertain, and I know that American women in London have absolutely no idea of entertaining."

The administrative centres of the French corps districts were at Lille, Amiens, Reims, Le Mans, Orleans, Chalons, Besancon, Bourges, Tours, Rennes, Nantes, Limoges, Clermont-Ferrand, Lyons, Marseilles, Montpellier, Toulouse, Bordeaux, and Nancy. Parts of the Lille, Chalons, and Nancy districts are now occupied by the Germans, so that supplies for their corps must be furnished by the General Government. By following on a train the railroad line from the remaining corps—district centres to the battle lines in the northeast—one may see the general method by which the French are able to maintain in the field such immense forces without taxing the powers of their administrative departments.

The same system is used by the Germans with the difference that they are more handicapped in obtaining rail or highway routes for their communications close to the battle front. Their operations are consequently limited to two large fields.

The northern one includes the district that can be reached by trains, which run from Aix-la-Chapelle.

through Liege and then along the railroads that spread out fan-like to all points of the battle line from the sea coast southward as far as Solons.

The southern theatre of operations is based upon the network of railroads between Luxembourg and Strasbourg. Between these two is the eighty-mile front between the Meuse and the Aisne where the hilly Argonne and the Ardennes district prevent operations on such a large scale.

By following back the rail lines from this front to the German corps districts a similar outline of their lines of supply can be obtained. The German system is likewise decentralized; each corps is recruited, reinforced, and supplied as far as possible from its home district. The administrative centres are found at Koenigsberg, Stettin, Berlin, Magdeburg, Posen, Breslau, Munster, Coblenz, Altona, Dresden, Stuttgart, Karlsruhe, Straassburg, Metz, Dantzig, Frankfurt, Leipzig, Allenstein, Saarbrücken, Meining, Wurzburg, and Nurnberg.

The tracing of the above lines on a map throws light upon the conduct of operations by the opposing nations and gives an idea of the problem involved in an attempt by Germany to shift forces from one border to the other. Something of this sort seems, however, to be occurring this week. The German retreat in East Prussia and Poland seems to be greater than is called for by the Russian operations. It seems probable that they have fallen back rapidly to take up positions where they can act on the defensive and hold back the Russians while part of their forces move against the French and British in the west.

Hopings from Russia generally refer to the fighting of three days ago. Operations of this sort must always be carried on by successive steps. After the first rush the forces are collected and gotten in hand ready to deliver the next blow. The Russian forces are now going through this stage, the outcome of which must take a number of days to develop.

The predicted retreat of the Austrians from the San River north of Przemyel seems to have started. The Russians have crossed the river on a hundred-mile front from Jaroslawa to the Vistula, which could hardly have been carried out, unless the Austrian resistance had been very much weakened.

The Russian invasion of Turkey is still merely a reconnaissance. The force which they have available is insufficient to make an invasion on a large scale, though it may be able to occupy the border provinces. If Russia intends to advance to Constantinople it is certain that the move will not be made by Trans-Caucasia. The march of a large army through a country devoid of roads of any sort is impossible of accomplishment, unless months are allowed for slow advance and for the construction of ample road facilities behind the army as it progresses.

This advance of four army corps into Armenia is principally a demonstration to force the Turks to send part of their army to this region. The Allies will then be better able to press their attacks in whatever other districts they may select for the purpose.

The surrender of Tain-tau may have effects that will extend to the fighting in Europe. The release of the British Hongkong regulars and their Indian troops will almost certainly result in these forces being sent to Egypt.

SAY MOSLEMS' HEAD IS AGAINST ALLIES

Germans Also Assert the Afghan Ruler Has Sent a Big Army to Attack India.

BORDER TRIBES IN REVOLT
Some British Officials Slain, Others Arrested—Anti-British Statement by Khedive Reported.

BERLIN. (By Wireless Telegraphy to Sayville, L. I.) Nov. 6.—According to information given out in official quarters today to the press, the Sheikh-ul-Islam, the chief ecclesiastical dignitary of Mohammedanism in Turkey, has issued a decree in Constantinople saying that, in the fighting with Russia, England, and France, the duty of every Mussulman is to his faith. This decree has been spread throughout the Mohammedan world and announced to the pilgrims at Mecca.

A report received here from Constantinople says that the Amir of Afghanistan has sent an army of 100,000 men, with 135 guns, to the Indian frontier. This news was given out in official quarters in Berlin today to the press.

The railroad from Herat to Kushk in Afghanistan has been destroyed, and it is stated that a number of Indian border tribes have joined the Afghans.

It is further asserted that British officials on the border have been arrested, and several of their number have been killed.

BERLIN. (via The Hague and London.) Nov. 6.—The Frankfurter Zeitung publishes a dispatch from its Constantinople correspondent, who transmits an interview with the Khedive of Egypt. The Khedive expressed himself as undisturbed by the reported British annexation of Egypt. "The people of Egypt will soon recognize," he declared, "that the situation created by the British cannot continue, and the British will soon see that the annexation of the historic and holy territory of Egypt can only be of a temporary character."

TURKS BOMBARD BATUM.
Cruisers' Operation Successful, Says Sofia Telegram to Berlin.

AMSTERDAM, Nov. 6.—The Vossische Zeitung of Berlin has published a dispatch from Sofia saying that Turkish cruisers have successfully bombarded the Russian fortified seaport of Batum, on the east shore of the Black Sea.

PETROGRAD, Nov. 6.—The branch of the Russo-Asiatic Bank at Batum has transferred its deposits and documents to Baku, on the Caspian Sea.

ARMENIANS FIGHTING TURKS.
Besieging Van—Others Operating in Turkish Army's Rear.

LONDON, Saturday, Nov. 7.—A dispatch received by The Daily Telegraph from Tiflis, capital of the Government of Caucasus, by way of Moscow, says: "The Turkish town of Van (140 miles southeast of Erzerum, Turkish Armenia) is being besieged by a detachment of Armenians, who are aiding the Russians. The town has a large arsenal. Another Armenian detachment is operating in the rear of the Turkish Army."

TURKS SEIZING MERCHANDISE.
Mobilization Order in Syria an Excuse for Robbing Traders.

All merchandise of any value is being seized by officials of the Ottoman Government in cities of Syria, following the general orders of mobilization of troops, according to reports from missionaries made public yesterday by the Board of Foreign Missions of the Presbyterian Church.

"Under the order of mobilization," the board says, "unwilling conscripts are being gathered, each soldier being required to bring with him from his home eight days' rations, with a certain amount of money."

"The local officials have turned the orders to commander horses, mules, food, and fodder into a most wicked and unbridled system of plunder. They have entered the shops at Beirut at all

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At present there are working in Syria, under direction of the Presbyterian Board, thirty-nine missionaries, of whom twenty-two are women. Fifteen of the missionaries are at Beirut, twelve at Tripoli, nine at Sidon, and three at Lebanon.

ENVER THANKS KAISER'S HEIR.
Tells Him Turkish Army Hopes to "Annihilate All Our Enemies."

LONDON, Saturday, Nov. 7.—A Rome dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company says:

"It is officially stated from Constantinople that Enver Pasha, the Minister of War, replying to recent congratulations from the German Crown Prince today (Friday) sent the following message: 'The Imperial Turkish Army thanks your Imperial Highness and the Fifth Army Corps for your fraternal good wishes. It hopes, with the aid of the German Army under the supreme command of the Emperor William, to crush and annihilate all our enemies.'"

RENAMING CONSTANTINOPLE.
Russian Papers Use Slavonic Word "Tsargrad" in Speaking of It.

ROME, Nov. 6.—The Tribuna publishes a Petrograd dispatch regarding the operations of the Russian Army in Armenia. It also says that the Russian newspapers refer to Constantinople by its old Slavonic name of Tsargrad. The dispatch follows:

"The Russians in Armenia are operating along a front of 100 miles. They entered Turkey by two routes, one column toward Erzerum and the other striking southward. The Armenians everywhere welcomed the Russian advance, regarding the war as one of liberation. Several entire Turkish regiments have been taken prisoners. The name of Constantinople has been replaced in the Russian press by the old Slavonic name of Tsargrad."

WAR SURPRISED THE TURKS.
Russian Consul General Says German Action Caused It.

PETROGRAD, Nov. 6.—The Russian Consul General at Constantinople stated on arriving at Odessa that the Turkish officials were as surprised as Russia by the sudden offensive taken by the Turkish fleet in the Black Sea. He added: "The news of the Turkish bombardment became known in Constantinople."

Some time after the occurrence. Admitting that Turkey was fully prepared for war, nevertheless, German action caused the crisis. I regard the extreme courtesy shown to Russian officials two days after the Turkish attack as proof of Turkish surprise at recent events.

An unusually large guard of picked troops was placed at the disposal of the Russian Ambassador, the Consul General said, and the Grand Vizier's private secretary personally superintended and facilitated the departure of the Russians.

DAMAGES A BRITISH WARSHIP.
Dardanelles Shot Effective—Steamer Sunk—Two Captured.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Nov. 6. (Via Sofia and London.)—According to a Turkish official announcement, one of the British warships bombarding the Dardanelles was struck by a shot from one of the forts and an explosion on board resulted.

The British steamer, it is also stated, has been sunk off Alvala (Kidonla), Asia Minor, after the crew and cargo had been put ashore.

TURKS MOVING ON EGYPT.
Troops in Sinai Advancing, Berlin Hears from Switzerland.

BERLIN. (By wireless) Nov. 6.—An advance of Turkish troops in the Sinai Peninsula in the direction of Egypt is reported in Berlin from Switzerland. The Turkish army operating against Egypt is said to number 100,000 men. This news was given officially to the press in Berlin today.

GERMAN APPEALS FOR JEWS.
Their Safety in Turkey Twice a Subject of Representations.

The safety of Jews in Turkey has twice been the subject of representations made to the Porte by Germany, according to a statement given out in New York last night by Count von Bernstorff, the German Ambassador to the United States. The statement reads: "Some time ago the German Imperial Government warmly recommended to Turkey the protection of Jews, of whatever nationality. Recently, prior to the outbreak of the war, this recommendation was renewed."

"It had been feared that the numerous Jews in Turkey would, in case of war, be endangered, not only on account of their religion, but also for their non-Turkish nationality. Many Jews who have resided in Turkey for years are not up to this day, Ottoman citizens."

"It is, therefore, reassuring to learn that Germany has warmly recommended to Turkey the protection of all Jews, irrespective of nationality."

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American Commission Will Now
Reach Out to Other Bel-
gian Districts.

COUNTRY IS DIVIDED UP

An Agent in Each Province Will
Sell to the Communes Through
Their Former Officials.

LONDON, Nov. 6.—Provisions sent to Brussels by the American Commission for the Relief of Belgium already are supplying 400,000 meals daily, and plans are now complete for carrying on a similar work throughout that part of Belgium occupied by the Germans.

The Dutch steamer Jan Block will sail some time tonight loaded with 2,000 tons of wheat, rice, peas, beans, and flour, and it is expected that the Dutch steamer Tellus will leave tomorrow with 1,700 tons of wheat. Both ships will proceed to Rotterdam, where their cargoes will be taken over by representatives of the American Commission.

Herbert Clark Hoover, Chairman of the American Commission, today received the following telegram from Capt. T. F. Lucey, the commission's representative at Rotterdam:

"Langhorne, Wyman, and Bell, (Mrs. M. Langhorne, Secretary of the American Commission, and Mrs. E. B. Wyman, member of the Relief Commission, and Edward Bell, Second Secretary of the American Commission at London,) have returned from Brussels, where 400,000 meals per day are being issued. Those people who are able to pay are being charged 5 cents for the meals. The meat costs 10 cents, and Bell says that rich and poor stand in line for these meals, as it is the only way they can get food."

"They state that very complete plans have been entered into by the Central Committee for receiving and distributing supplies throughout all Belgium. The country has been divided into provinces, each province handling its own distribution and being represented by two members of the Central Committee. All regulations on this office will come from the Central Committee through the American and Spanish Ministers."

"A sub-committee in turn will sell food to the communes, which will re-sell or distribute free to those in need."

"The sub-committees are formed generally by members of the town council, so that the whole organization has an official and unquestionable standing. They are all in accord and are holding meetings from time to time at Brussels and compiling data as to the needs of every district regardless of how remote. The people are elated at the shipments and the practical results given."

"Some uncertainty is here by Belgians as the result of quotations from the American press to the effect that supplies would be seized by the military authorities. They are afraid that this will stop the shipment of supplies. I have assured them that the supplies would come regardless of these unfounded suppositions."

"Whitlock (Brand Whitlock, American Minister to Belgium) is personally supervising and compiling the various districts, to be forwarded to you."

"That all emergencies are being met is evident from a note issued by the Central Committee in Belgium, in which it is stated that the commission will have a delegate in each province who will see that the shipment of food supplies will be intact, and that the German troops of any intrusion by the German troops of the guarantee given by Field Marshal Baron von der Marck, the Governor of the occupied portion of Belgium. If this delegate, protected by the American flag, learns of any such intrusion, he will verify it and immediately call attention to it, when the Ministers of Spain and America will make proper representations to the German authorities."

"At a meeting of the Belgian Central Committee, Ernest Solvay, the Belgian manufacturer, who is a member of this committee, in thanking the American and Spanish Ministers and the American commission for the service rendered Belgium said: 'The population of Belgium was at the point of famine and that fear of disaster was general in the minds of the people. It had been secured. Thanks to the Americans, he said, they had overcome, at least for the time being, the terrible famine which the country had been placed, and the future now looked more favorable.'

"Joseph Bontagne, Belgian Deputy and member of the Namur Town Council, and A. Journeux, Deputy and member of the Liege Town Council, signed a statement sent to the commission saying: 'We have suffered. After the atrocities and horrors of war we are now threatened by famine. The German armies since the beginning of the invasion have lived on our soil by requisitioning victuals of all nature. Our production of grain normally is hardly sufficient for fifth of the consumption. The maritime route being closed for the import of grain, our country would have been starved in a very short time. Solely for Liege and its environs 1,500 bags of grain are necessary per day. At the moment of writing we have hardly grain enough for a few days.'

"Without the generous assistance of the United States it would mean for this famine with its unavoidable consequences of riots and plundering. We have suffered enough. At least let this misfortune be spared us. We are convinced that you will sympathize with our undeserved miseries."

"In the province of Liege, the city has first been compelled to pay a war contribution of \$6,000,000. (\$6,000,000.) While the regulations which have been made so far exceed \$6,000,000. The City of Liege has a population of 117,000, and its ordinary annual budget hardly reached \$4,000,000."

"Emile Digneft and Paul Sties, members of the Liege Town Council, in a statement to the commission, say: 'To turn up the situation, an industrial population of high efficiency is entirely out of work and cannot earn its food. It has no reserves any more in

SUFFRAGISTS RAISE \$105,619 AT RALLY

Mass Meeting in Carnegie Hall
Opens Campaign for the
Vote in 1915.

PROMINENT WOMEN SPEAK

Dr. Anna Howard Shaw Tells of
Gains in West—Extols Men's
"Magnificent Work."

A fund of \$105,619 was raised at a suffrage mass meeting at Carnegie Hall last evening which opened the campaign of the women of the State to get the vote in 1915.

"It is \$30,000 more than was ever raised at any suffrage meeting in the world before," said Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, leader of the Empire State Campaign Committee, who presided.

"If we don't win in 1915, we will at least give the enemy a great run for the money."

It was one of the biggest suffrage meetings held in Carnegie Hall, which was filled to the top. The entire audience, including the men, was singing when Dr. Anna Howard Shaw, the suffragist National President, who had been campaigning in the Western States for the last two months, went on the stage.

The stage was filled with suffrage leaders, and addresses were made by Mrs. William Grant Brown, the State President; Miss Mary Garrett Hay, head of the Woman Suffrage Party which has organized the City of New York; Mrs. James Lees Laidlaw, head of the Manhattan Borough organization; Mrs. Emmet Smith, Devotee of the State of Washington, President of the National Council of Women; and Mrs. Mary C. Bradford, State Superintendent of Public Instruction in Colorado.

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Following one of the front orchestra seats with Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont was Miss Christabel Pankhurst, the little English suffragette, and among the persons who filled the boxes was Miss Alice Hill Chittenden, President of the New York State Association Opposed to Woman Suffrage. One of the donors to the collection was a Miss Chittenden, who called twice for the name from the platform, but the donation did not come from the anti-suffragist.

"I am all here except my voice," said Dr. Shaw, when she was introduced, the audience again standing. "I left my voice in Nebraska, but I am going back after it. All our States in the West have never will and never can lose. I have sympathy with the anti-suffragists, but I am all here except my voice."

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Heavy Support in Up-State Counties, Voters Say, Was Meant for Rebuke.

RAILROAD MEN HELPED

Times Correspondents Find That Sympathy for Ex-Governor Was Expressed at the Polls.

Students of the vote cast for the candidates for Governor on Tuesday have puzzled much over the generous support which ex-Gov. William Sulzer received in several of the counties.

Correspondents of the New York Times were asked to sound public sentiment in these counties and obtain the reasons which actuated the voters in supporting the ex-Governor. Most of the Sulzer support came from men who believed that he was treated unjustly when he was removed from office. They voted for him as a rebuke to Tammany which they held responsible. The prohibition support helped and the support of the railroad men was another factor. The reports of the correspondents follow:

SPECIAL TO THE NEW YORK TIMES.
BINGHAMTON, Nov. 6.—William Sulzer received 4,637 votes out of a total of 16,834 in Broome County. This astonishing vote caused much surprise among politicians. Levi Hoag, who led the prohibition party, asserts that Sulzer's support came from the element among the citizens who were for better government, and believed that Sulzer was free from entangling alliances. It was an indication, he said, that prohibition was gaining ground as was demonstrated by the strong no-license vote in the city. It was for this that Sulzer stood.

A. D. Wales, who led the fight in Broome County for the American party, said today that voters supported Sulzer because they thought he had been sacrificed for refusing to bow to the dictates of the Tammany leaders. His illegal impeachment by a biased court of politicians, Mr. Wales said, had aroused citizens as never before.

An analysis of the vote in Broome County shows that Sulzer carried wards and towns which two years ago gave Hedge substantial majorities, but none of the wards or towns carried by him in 1912. This was a strong feeling throughout the county against the Barnes machine following the primary campaign. Sulzer, at the White man meeting, spoke strongly in favor of the Whitman ticket, but the Republican rank and file preferred to vote for Sulzer. As the prohibition vote is 800, 3,200 votes came from laboring men and disaffected Republicans.

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ELMIRA, N. Y., Nov. 6.—The Sulzer vote, 3,890, came within thirty of equalling the Glynn vote in Chemung County. Menzo Beardsley, who directed the prohibition campaign, asserts that Sulzer pledged himself not only to eliminate Tammany control of State affairs, but also pledged himself to lend his aid in putting an embargo on the liquor traffic. These, he says, were the chief cause of the Sulzer vote here.

Others say that Sulzer owes his large vote in the county to the fact that several thousand railroad men live here. Just before election a strike vote was taken among a number of railroad men. Sulzer had the support of 35, Glynn 6, and Whitman 1. The county election day gave Glynn 361 votes, of which 523 were Independence League votes.

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MILWAUKEE, N. Y., Nov. 6.—In Delaware County Sulzer polled 2,805 votes and the reason most frequently advanced by Democrats, as well as Republicans, is that Sulzer was unfairly removed from office. It is also true that Glynn was not popular here, as is shown by the primary vote, which was 4 to 3 in favor of Hennessy. The Progressives also have become dissatisfied with the party management.

The strongest Republican town in the county, Warren, gave nearly two-thirds of its entire vote to Sulzer. This town, however, has been fresh on election days for years. Whenever Sulzer made speeches he received a flattering irrespective of party, but otherwise his following was not particularly Democratic. The conclusions drawn from a careful inquiry into the subject are that this anti-Tammany vote was bitter at the punishment meted out to the Governor last year and it rankled in the minds of Democrats.

SPECIAL TO THE NEW YORK TIMES.
ONEOTA, N. Y., Nov. 6.—In Otsego County Sulzer polled 3,322 votes. Here are typical replies received from men who were asked today why they supported the ex-Governor:

"I voted for Sulzer because he was impeached for refusing to obey the order of Murphy; he was the friend of the laboring classes, signing the Pull-Crew bill, and we stand by our friends." "I voted for Sulzer because I believed he would remove the crooks, stop grafting, and clean house." "I voted for Sulzer because he fought the bosses, and I am against the bosses who try to run things for the benefit of their own pockets."

Deep-seated resentment at Sulzer's removal was quietly but firmly raised between Whitman and Glynn, and the large vote given Sulzer was an expression of protest and a desire to rebuke the men who inspired his impeachment.

HICKS TO ASK A RECOUNT.

Brown Appears to Have Won by One Vote, but Courts Will Decide.

Leander B. Faber has been retained to represent Frederick C. Hicks, who is going into the courts to try to obtain a recount of the vote for Congressmen, First District. Mr. Hicks and Lathrop Brown, the present Democratic representative, are seeking to the unofficial canvasses, are only one vote apart.

Brown has the odd vote. Mr. Hicks and his friends want a recount of all the votes cast under the eye of the court after the ballot boxes have been opened.

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to play at that game," said Mr. Whitman, and he did not deny that the way he had in mind was the turning out of the present State Civil Service Commission. "I respect and believe in Civil Service," said Mr. Whitman, "but I will see to it that the Civil Service laws are not used under me to keep incompetent officials in office. At the same time there will be no ex-convicts appointed to or allowed to remain in any State department. A number of appointments to which I have given power to make are Civil Service appointments or appointments which properly should be made by the State in the various departments, and there are really very few appointments for me to make before the present incumbents are out."

No Fear of the Old Guard.

Mr. Whitman said he expected the full co-operation of the Legislature in his plans to destroy graft and make the right kind of appointments. When he was informed that there was talk that the Old Guard, which antagonized Governor Hughes, was laying plans to establish itself in the State Capitol, Mr. Whitman said he did not think any such plan would be attempted, and that, if such was the case, he felt sure he could put a stop to it. He remarked that the people by their overwhelming vote had evidently intended that he should control the government of the State, and did not intend to allow any clique to cheat the people of their desire.

Asked as to what action he intended to take if any effort should be made to interest the Legislature in the teacher-mother agitation with the view to have a law enacted to prohibit the Board of Education from peremptorily removing teachers who obtain leave of absence to become mothers, Mr. Whitman said: "I would rather not discuss that matter now."

He said he would not attend the trial of Henry Siegel in Livingston County next week or participate in the prosecution. He said he had had a conference with President Justice Ingraham of the Appellate Division.

Courts regarding the matter, and he made this statement: "The President Justice and his associates on the bench advise me that it is their opinion that I should not personally appear at the trial, and I shall be guided in my conduct entirely by the opinion of this court."

The State case will be handled by Arthur C. Train, assisted by Robert S. Johnston and William D. Embree, all Assistant District Attorneys.

No Offer to Tanner.

Republican State Chairman Frederick C. Tanner went to Boston yesterday to attend the Harvard-Princeton football game today. He said he intended to resume at once his legal practice, which had been neglected since he started in to elect Mr. Whitman. Asked if he would succeed Mr. Whitman as District Attorney, he said:

"The place has not been offered to me."

Between the time that Mr. Whitman resigns as District Attorney and the appointment by the new Governor of his successor as prosecutor an acting District Attorney will be designated by the judges of the Court of General Sessions as provided by law. Four of the Judges—Crain, Swann, Mulqueen, and Malone—Democrats, and three—Rossak, Nott, and Wadhams—are Republicans. It is understood that Mr. Whitman would not be designated when the designation is made.

Brown Wins Congress Seat.

William G. Brown, Jr., a Democrat, was elected to Congress from the Second District of West Virginia by a plurality of more than 2,000 last Tuesday over G. W. Bowers, his Republican opponent. The first returns received by the Times indicated that Mr. Bowers had won.

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Scopolamin Reduces Danger of Mental Derangement, One Says—Controversy in Germany.

Hospital authorities who have introduced in this city "twilight sleep," the new method of painless childbirth, took issue yesterday with Dr. Menas S. Gregory, alienist in charge of the psychopathic ward of Bellevue Hospital, who said that three New York women recently became deranged owing to the treatment. They declared the charge that insanity was likely to result was one of the first made by opponents of the treatment when it was introduced in Germany, and that long ago it had been disproved by eminent authorities in that country.

Dr. Gregory said last night that he had been misquoted in some quarters but that he was willing to stand by his original statement. This was that the delirious condition of the three women was due to the effects of the "twilight" drug, scopolamin, and not to other causes, as contended by the practitioners of the treatment. The three women had been taken to him for observation at Bellevue, Dr. Gregory explained, and one of them recovered after a few days. The others had to be committed to the State Hospital for the Insane.

"I am not attacking the treatment," Dr. Gregory added, "because I don't pretend to know all about it. But as an alienist who has thousands of cases of insanity before him each year I think I can say that these women had been rendered delirious by the drug used to produce twilight sleep. This was not only my own diagnosis but that of the hospital staff. It is true that children born under ordinary conditions sometimes cause delirium or insanity—call it what you please—but the part of the mother, but no alienist would confuse this with drug cases. The difference is readily recognized. Any number of cases of the ordinary sort come to us each year, but these three women were not of this class."

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"This hospital has been here eight years," said Dr. Gregory, "and we have had twelve cases of post partum psy-

chosis in that time. There is nothing unusual about the two cases referred to by Dr. Gregory. They occurred three weeks ago, and one of the women has since recovered and gone home. We have some of the best cases of post partum psychosis out of 250 twilight operations performed at this hospital. We have some of the best results in every way a success, and the results are the best proof of the absurdity of Dr. Gregory's charge."

Dr. Kurt E. Schlosinger, a German physician, who brought the treatment over from Freiburg, is the "twilight" specialist in charge of the work at the Jewish Maternity Hospital. Dr. Schlosinger, who studied in Freiburg under Dr. Konig, said that he had made a study of 5,000 "twilight" cases, and had found no evidence that the treatment increased the danger of insanity.

Used Throughout Germany. "As a matter of fact," he declared, "it is a common practice throughout Germany to use scopolamin in all kinds of surgical cases as a preliminary anesthetic. It certainly would have been stopped long ago if the danger, which Dr. Gregory speaks of, existed."

In New York, members of the Jewish Maternity Hospital staff explained, the treatment was too new to enable them to furnish accurate statistics. The total number of "twilight" births here had not reached 1,000, it was said. For purposes of comparison with the old method, at least 5,000 cases would be needed.

Dr. A. J. Ronky, attending physician of both the Jewish Maternity and Lebon Hospital, said he had foreseen trouble from the opponents of the new treatment, and he had been taken to him for observation at Bellevue, Dr. Gregory explained, and one of them recovered after a few days. The others had to be committed to the State Hospital for the Insane.

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FLAGG PLEADS HARD TO AVOID SENTENCE

Convicted Speculator Tells the Court His Methods Were Like "Other Brokers."

ASKS WHY HE'S SCAPEGOAT

Says the Government Counsel, in Summing Up, Dealt Him Many Blows Below the Belt.

Jared Flagg, pale and nervous, made a final effort yesterday to escape the sentence which is hanging over him for having used the mails to defraud in connection with his stock speculations. With Miss Madeline Russe, his confidential stenographer, sitting behind him and prompting him, he argued his own case for half an hour before Judge Rudkin in the Federal District Court, and made application for a new trial.

What he said was largely of the nature of a personal appeal, and an assertion that what he had done did not differ from the methods of a hundred other brokers. The purely legal side of his application had already been treated at length by J. M. Coleman, his counsel. He had attacked the action of the Government in seizing Flagg's books and papers, and had asked the court to order a new trial, because, he said, it had been held that to take information from a prisoner's papers in a criminal case was as directly contrary to the Fifth Amendment of the United States Constitution as to make him give evidence by word of mouth against himself.

Flagg had broken in once or twice to his counsel to make a statement of his own. He had said that he was a speculator, and that he was not a broker, and that he was not a dealer in securities, and that he was not a member of the New York Stock Exchange, and that he was not a member of the New York Clearing House, and that he was not a member of the New York Board of Trade, and that he was not a member of the New York Chamber of Commerce, and that he was not a member of the New York Association of Banks and Trust Companies, and that he was not a member of the New York Association of Real Estate Brokers, and that he was not a member of the New York Association of Insurance Brokers, and that he was not a member of the New York Association of Lawyers, and that he was not a member of the New York Association of Physicians, and that he was not a member of the New York Association of Dentists, and that he was not a member of the New York Association of Engineers, and that he was not a member of the New York Association of Architects, and that he was not a member of the New York Association of Artists, and that he was not a member of the New York Association of Musicians, and that he was not a member of the New York Association of Actors, and that he was not a member of the New York Association of Writers, and that he was not a member of the New York Association of Publishers, and that he was not a member of the New York Association of Editors, and that he was not a member of the New York Association of Journalists, and that he was not a member of the New York Association of Publicists, and that he was not a member of the New York Association of Politicians, and that he was not a member of the New York Association of Statesmen, and that he was not a member of the New York Association of Diplomats, and that he was not a member of the New York Association of Ambassadors, and that he was not a member of the New York Association of Ministers, and that he was not a member of the New York Association of Secretaries, and that he was not a member of the New York Association of Clerks, and that he was not a member of the New York Association of Laborers, and that he was not a member of the New York Association of Farmers, and that he was not a member of the New York Association of Merchants, and that he was not a member of the New York Association of Traders, and that he was not a member of the New York Association of Dealers, and that he was not a member of the New York Association of Brokers, and that he was not a member of the New York Association of Speculators, and that he was not a member of the New York Association of Scapegoats.

"I want a new trial," he said, "because I did not have a fair trial. I cast no reflection upon your Honor, but 999 men out of 1,000 do not understand the difference between an indictment and a verdict, and how the first moment I was considered a guilty man."

"I have no complaint to make of the trial itself. It was as fair as any I have heard of, but I have this to complain of: For a time I could swap blows with the prosecution without hindrance, but at the end, with my hands tied down, without power to defend myself, I was forced to receive blows on my body or my face but beneath the belt."

Then Flagg quoted some of the charges Assistant District Attorney Thompson had made in his address to the jury, which he asserted were unsupported by the evidence. They were written on a sheet of paper, and as he hesitated Miss Russe prompted him in a whisper, and pointed out points he had omitted. As he spoke Assistant Attorney General and Assistant District Attorney Thompson sat grim and silent, and listened to his allegations without a word of protest. His methods next were explained by

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Miss Burkhardt, Who Had Favored Convict's Confidence, Before Grand Jury.

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Synagogue Manager Asked About Mortgage Held by Bank Wrecker's Dummy.

BOOK MEN GET TWO YEARS.

Counsel for Farmer and Hartley Files Writ of Error.

James J. Farmer, President of the Anglo-American Authors' Association of 225 Fifth Avenue, and Col. William J. Hartley, convicted for using the mails to defraud in connection with the sale of so-called "rain books," were sentenced yesterday by Judge Foster in the Federal District Court to two years' imprisonment in Atlanta. The corporation was also fined \$2,000.

Their counsel at once filed a writ of error, which acted as a stay of sentence. They were then held in \$10,000 bail each, and having to the Judge, they left the courtroom.

With Farmer and Hartley alone others were indicted for a similar offense of these, two, Willis M. Cooper and George M. Fisher, were ordered by the court to be acquitted. Samuel T. Warfield was acquitted at the same time, but he was arrested on a State warrant and now awaits trial in General Sessions on the charge of grand larceny in connection with the sale of \$20,000 worth of books to Mrs. Edward Crombie. Winfield Scott is now in a Long Island asylum. Thomas P. Dunn was acquitted at the same time that Farmer and Hartley were found guilty, and Romeo W. Nathan and E. J. Rosenthal, who were indicted at the beginning of the trial, "The Government has not yet moved for sentence upon them."

The two, Glenn Farmer, son of J. Farmer, and Sam Rosenthal, were convicted for a similar offense. Farmer was convicted in 1912, and Rosenthal was convicted in 1913. Both were sentenced to prison for from two to four years, and Rosenthal for from four to six years.

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Miss Louise D. Burkhardt of Yonkers, who is supposed to know much about the business transactions of David A. Sullivan, the bank wrecker, since he has been in Sing Sing Prison, was the star witness yesterday in the Kings County Grand Jury's investigation of the convicted banker's reported property dealings.

When Sullivan was President of the Mechanics and Traders Bank of Brooklyn, afterward known as the Union Bank, Miss Burkhardt was his secretary, and exercised a power of attorney from him. It is believed that she continued to act as his agent after his conviction and that Sullivan consulted her about his affairs on several of his reported automobile trips to Yonkers from Sing Sing.

District Attorney Cropsy, who is investigating a complaint that Sullivan has been collecting money from alleged concealed assets of the Union Bank, hopes to obtain from Miss Burkhardt important information as to the convict's business activities.

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Scourge Is Spreading and Two More States Are Put Under Quarantine.

POULTRY'S PRICE RISING

State Authorities Aroused at Situation Here—Commissioner Huxon Declares a General Quarantine.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 6.—Further spread of the live stock foot and mouth disease caused the extension of the Federal quarantine today to two more States, Massachusetts and Iowa. Reports to the Department of Agriculture announced the presence of the epidemic at South Attleboro, Mass., and at Parnell, Iowa. Cattle, sheep, and hogs cannot be moved out of Michigan, Indiana, Illinois, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Maryland, New York, Massachusetts, or Iowa.

In addition to the States already quarantined, a suspected case exists at Como, Miss., where it is reported a herd owner himself has contracted the disease. The Federal authorities are advising State officials to impose strict quarantine against infected herds and even to prevent children from leaving the farms to attend school.

New cases were found today in Lancaster County, Penn., and in three more counties in Illinois. The spread of the disease makes it certain that a huge sum must be spent to put down the epidemic. It would not surprise officials if the cost would be nearer the \$2,000,000 expended by the German Government to eradicate the disease a few years ago. That the \$200,000 spent by the American Government in fighting the 1908 outbreak of the disease, a few more inspectors were sent today to Wisconsin, Iowa, and Massachusetts.

CHICAGO, Nov. 6.—The Chicago Stock Yards were closed this afternoon and will remain closed until Nov. 10. In the interval, the city will be unable to stamp out the germ of the foot and mouth disease. The packers to-night sent to Kansas City and other western branches one thousand butchers to kill and dress animals which ordinarily would have been sent to the city. They announced that the products from their western plants would be sufficient to supply the market without any change in prices. A. G. Leonard, President of the Stock Yards, said that the city would not have been killed and the thousands of miles of water troughs will have been cleaned and disinfected.

It was discovered today that 216 more cattle and 600 hogs had been infected. No sheep so far have been infected. The 500 cattle might have been the last week's dairy show from twenty-eight states and Canada are still held in quarantine. Fifteen of the hogs have been infected.

Anticipating a stronger demand for poultry because of the epidemic, the price of live fowl has advanced 4 cents a pound in the last forty-eight hours. The price of dressed meat has not changed, and assurances are given by the packers to the effect that it will not.

J. Ogden Armour of Armour & Co., in a public statement today, said: "Meat buyers need not be afraid from the foot and mouth disease. No particle of meat from an infected animal is used even for soup or fertilizer. Every such animal is shot and buried in quicklime at once. Government inspectors have examined carefully every bit of meat sold by the packers and the vigilance has been doubly watched for a week."

ROCHESTER, Nov. 6.—The State authorities are seriously aroused over the situation in this State, are bending every effort to find the centers of infection. Calvin J. Huxon, State Commissioner of Agriculture, late tonight telephoned the following order of quarantine against the disease from temporary headquarters at Seneca Falls:

To whom it may concern:

In order to prevent the further spread of foot and mouth disease in the State of New York and pending an investigation to determine the various points of infection and the extent thereof, I do hereby order and direct:

1. The bringing of cattle, sheep, and swine from the Dominion of Canada into the State of New York is hereby prohibited until further notice.

2. Trailing, driving, or herding of cattle, sheep, and swine upon the public highways within the State of New York or their transportation by common carrier or otherwise within the State is hereby prohibited for the period of ten days from the date hereof unless otherwise ordered.

BUFFALO, Nov. 6.—Live-stock commerce from Buffalo, both interstate and intrastate, was prohibited by action of the Buffalo Live Stock Association, taken this afternoon. Under the ruling no cattle, sheep, or hogs will be admitted into or shipped out of New York State.

BOSTON, Nov. 6.—An indefinite suspension of shipment of cattle in and out of Massachusetts was ordered today by Fred Walker, Commissioner of Animal Industries, on account of the prevalence of foot and mouth disease.

CONCORD, N. H., Nov. 6.—Andrew L. Felker, Commissioner of Agriculture, today issued a proclamation establishing a quarantine against cattle from New York, Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, and Massachusetts.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Nov. 6.—Because of the outbreak of the foot and mouth disease in Massachusetts, the State Board of Agriculture today declared a quarantine against all cattle, sheep and swine from that State.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Nov. 6.—The State Department of Agriculture today announced that all cattle and sheep coming into the local stock yards would be detained until inspected for foot and mouth disease by a State or Federal inspector.

BUTTE, Mont., Nov. 6.—The foot and

mouth disease has been discovered in Montana. A carload of cattle was out of a train at Glendive today and quarantined under orders of Government officials.

PLAQUE IS A MYSTERY.

Has Ravaged Europe in the Past—Its Cause Unknown.

The foot and mouth disease among cattle, which now is epidemic, is known by veterinarians as aphthous fever. It is a virulent infectious disease peculiar to cloven-hoofed animals. The cause is unknown, but it is established that it may be transmitted to cats, fowls, and human beings. Foot and mouth disease in the past has ravaged Europe and South America. The last outbreak here, was in 1908, in Michigan, and it was quickly stamped out.

The disease is characterized by a condition of fever and by blisters on the mucous membranes and on the outer skin. In cattle these blisters are now on the lips, muzzle and pads of the hoof and around the coronary band of the hoof. There is also another form of the disease, known as swine vesicular disease, which spreads rapidly among animals confined in the same stable, infected with the disease from the means of dissemination. The period of incubation after infection is from two to six days.

INDICTED FOR TRAIN TRIP.

Railroad Accused of Not Charging Full Rate for Private Car.

CHICAGO, Nov. 6.—A trip taken by the late Edward Morris, the packer, and seven members of his family to Hot Springs, Ark., Jan. 26, 1912, in a private car was made the basis today of Federal indictments against the Chicago & Alton Railroad and W. L. Ross, its former Vice President, now President of the Toledo, St. Louis & Western Railway.

It is charged that six full fares and two half fares were paid for Mr. Morris, while the statutes require the payment of eighteen full fares for the use of a private car.

POLICE SET TRAPS IN VAIN FOR SLAYER

Von Krebs's Former Wife Hides and Others He Threatened Fear Attacks.

AVOIDS SISTER'S FUNERAL

Lunatic Supposed to Have Telephoned Undertaker—Search Goes On in Two States.

Richard von Krebs, the madman who killed Mrs. Hedra Riehl and seriously wounded her husband in New Brunswick, N. J., last Wednesday, and who was reported by his former wife to have threatened her at Fifty-second Street and Ninth Avenue, Manhattan, all day yesterday, remained at large. The police of New York and New Brunswick searched for him. The wife who divorced him six years ago remains so securely hidden that no one save the police knew her whereabouts. Other persons in both New Brunswick and New York whom von Krebs at one time or another had threatened were wary in their movements and were constantly on the lookout for an attack from the maniac.

A mysterious telephone call which the police thought was made by von Krebs was the only trace of the man yesterday. His sister, Mrs. Edna Brehm-Mahn of 222 St. Nicholas Avenue, who died her home on Tuesday, was buried yesterday morning from the undertaking rooms of Philip Zugner at 185 East 110th Street. The police thought the maniac might go to the funeral, so a watch for him was set.

"Who is your wife?" Zugner replied. "It's all right. I'll find out. I'll be there soon!" the man shouted, and then hung up his receiver.

Think He Seeks ex-Wife.

The police were unable to trace the telephone call, but were convinced that von Krebs had been talking to the undertaker. It was their theory that while they were looking for him to prevent his committing another murder he was looking for his former wife to kill her. Fearing that the man might meet the funeral cortege, two detectives went with it to the Lutheran Cemetery at Midland Village, L. I., where the body of Mrs. Brehm-Mahn was interred.

Detectives Brenner, Myers, and Mills of the Third Branch Detective Bureau, and six detectives from New Brunswick who knew von Krebs by sight, conducted the main search for him. They watched Mrs. von Krebs's rooms on the third floor of 94 Ninth Avenue, near Fifty-third Street, the home of von Krebs's deceased sister, and Mrs. von Krebs's hiding place which was said to be in Harlem. At the same time detectives in New Brunswick watched for the man in the vicinity of the first, second, and third avenues.

A general alarm for the man was sent out Thursday night as soon as Mrs. von Krebs reported that he had threatened her near her home, and yesterday police all over the city were on the lookout for him.

Von Krebs's enmity towards his

former wife is thought to have grown in his diseased brain from resentment over the divorce to murderous hatred.

For three years Mrs. von Krebs has been living alone at 734 Ninth Avenue, where she has three rooms. It is said that in the last few months von Krebs has gone to the house several times and made unsuccessful efforts to see his former wife. On one occasion, according to a tenant in the house, he tried to break in her door, but was convinced that she was not at home and went away.

It was only after diligent searching that von Krebs learned his wife's address, for she took every precaution to hide. She made her living by housework.

Escaped from Asylum.

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VALUE OF HEINZE ESTATE IN DOUBT

**Says It Will Be Three Years
Before It Is Definitely Known.**

One That He Made Several Years Ago Left All to His Mother, Who Has Since Died.

The value of the estate left by F. Augustus Heinze, who died in Saratoga on Wednesday, will not be known for at least three years, according to Jacob J. Schwebel, who was Mr. Heinze's attorney. Asked if he had any idea what

"I have not and I don't think there is a soul on earth who does. The first thing we are going to do is to make a careful search of all of Mr. Heinze's papers to see if he left a will. I am fairly certain he did not. The last will

Mr. Schwebel said that in 1906 Mr. Heinze came here with \$15,000,000 which was paid him by the Amalgamated Copper Company of Montana, in settlement of his claims against them. While the publisher attending this big payment

He possessed great wealth that induced well known financiers to approach him on the subject of interesting himself in banking affairs.

Concerning the dead man's liabilities Mr. Schwebel said that Mr. Heinze probably owed money to various banks.

for more than \$1,200,000 that Edwin Gould won against him a few weeks ago in the suit involving the purchase of shares of the Mercantile National Bank. The case is now on appeal.

"Mr. Heinze was interested in a number of industrial enterprises," said Mr. Schwebel. "He owned large tracts of

mining interests in Montana, Idaho, and Utah. He also owned a block of stock of the State Savings Bank in Butte, Mont."

Charles Saacke, who was Mr. Heinze's secretary for many years, said yesterday that the report that Mr. Heinze's estate would be very small was absurd.

40 per cent. dividends, and that last year paid an extra dividend of 12 per cent. He was also largely interested in the Ohio Copper Mining Company, and he controlled the Bingham Central Railroad."

Woman Elected Senator In Arizona.
PRESCOTT, Ariz., Nov. 6. — Mrs. Frances Munda, Democrat, of Yavapai County, will be Arizona's first woman State Senator. In Tuesday's election

**Marriage and death notices intended
for insertion in The New York Times
may be telephoned to 1000 Bryant.**

West 57th St. engaged to Mr. Max Hertz.
Reception at Ellsmere Hall, 80 West 126th
St., Sunday, Nov. 8, from 2 to 6.

FINKELSTEIN-COHEN.--Ada Cohen to
Charles Finkelstein.

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daughter of Mrs. Louise J. Hutchinson,
to Waldo M. Coons of White Plains, N. Y.

Brooklyn.

BREIDING-MULLER—Nov. 5, Anna Muller
to Theodore Breiding.

KNOX-HAWKINS—Nov. 4, Florence C.
Hawkins to Stanley B. Knox.

DEAD.

BELL.—Entered into life eternal at his home at Balmville, town of Newburg, N. Y., Nov. 5, 1914. Marshall Bell. Funeral services will be held at his late residence.

BRITT.—On Nov. 6, 1914, J. Gabriel, beloved son of John J. and Ellen A. Britt and brother of T. Louis A. Britt. Funeral from his late residence, 453 East 57th St., Monday, Nov. 9, at 9:30 A. M.; thence to the Church of St. John the Evangelist, 55th St. and 1st Av., where a solemn mass of requiem will be offered for the repose of his soul.

BRUCKNER.—On Nov. 5, 1914, John Bruckner, beloved husband of Barbara Bruckner. Funeral Saturday, 9:30 A. M., from late residence, 1,808—Amsterdam Av.; thence to St. Catharine's Church 15th

BULL—On 441 Park Av., on Friday, Nov. 6, 1914, Robert Macclay Bull, in his 57th year. Funeral service at Calvary Church, 4th Av. and 21st St., on Monday, Nov. 9, at 10:30 o'clock. Interment at Woodlawn Cemetery. The Members of the Delta Psi Fraternity are requested to meet in the vestibule at 10:15.

COLLEEN—On Nov. 5, 1914, Norton Park Col-

7, at 10 A. M. Interment private. Kindly omit flowers.

DEVINE.—Andrew, suddenly, on Thursday morning, Nov. 5, beloved son of the late Andrew and Elizabeth Devine. Funeral from the residence of his sister, Mrs. Edward N. Burns, 821 Carroll St., Brooklyn, on Saturday morning, Nov. 7, at 9 o'clock.

DUNKLE.—At the home of her daughter, Mrs. Charles W. Demarest, 191 Elm St., New Rochelle, N. Y., Nov. 6, 1914. Lydia S., wife of Charles W. Dunkle, in her 72d year. Funeral service at her late residence on Saturday, Nov. 7, 1914, at 8 P. M. Chicago (Ill.) papers please copy.

HAIRS.—Henry, aged 53. Services "THE FUNERAL CHURCH," 241 West 23d, (Campbell Building,) Sunday, 1 o'clock.

HEINZE.—On Nov. 4, at his late residence in Saratoga, in his 45th year, after a short illness, Frederick Augustus, son of the late Otto Heinze and Eliza Maria Lacey. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral services at the residence of his sister, Mrs. William M.

HYMAN.—At Nashville, Nov. 3, at his residence, 2 West 94th St., Israel Hyman, dearly beloved father of Bernard, Louis, Victor, and Rose. Funeral private. Kindly omit flowers.

KEAN.—At Ursino, Union County, N. J., on Wednesday, Nov. 4, 1914, John Kean in the 62d year of his age, son of the late John Kean of Ursino. The funeral ser-

Station, 32d St. New York, at 1:24.
KING.—Nancy Maria, widow of Rev. Dr.
James Marcus King, on Friday, Nov. 6,
1914, at Cambridge, N. Y., in 75th year
of her age. Notice of funeral hereafter.

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Southern District of New York
In re
Estate of
AETNA BAKING
Company
Notice is hereby given that an order of the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York, undersigned, receiver in bankruptcy, Aetna Banking Co., Inc., offering for sale, at public auction, the property, assets and effects of the bankrupt, both in one bulk and in

separate parcels:

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chinery, motor, all the merchandise and fixtures used in the manufacture of biscuits on premises 404-406-408 East 32nd Street, New York City.
Parcel B: All office furniture of the bankrupt located at the above address, New York City.
Parcel C: All right, title and interest in the lease 404-406-408 East 32nd Street, New York City.
Parcel D: Right, title and interest in the lease of any, of the bankrupt and her estate, to the good-will and trade of the Aetna Building, New York City.
Parcel E: All wagons, horse-drawn or otherwise, owned by the bankrupt.
The above-described property is specified on the premises of the lease 404-406-408 East 32nd Street, New York City, from November 9th to November 12th, 1914.

Sealed bids for the above date

erty either as an entirety or parcels as hereinafter enumerated submitted to the receiver at 63 William Street, New York City, 11 o'clock in the forenoon of November 13, 1934, at which time the bids will be opened by the creditors may attend and express in preference thereto. Each bid must be accompanied by cash or at least 10% of the amount of the bid. The receiver reserves the right to reject any or all bids, in which event the same may be sold at public auction on the same future date.

FREDERICK W. S. ROSENBERG, Receiver in Bankruptcy
63 William Street, New York City.
ROSENBERG, LIAISON ATTORNEY
for Receiver, 170 Broadway
New York City.

NO. 2206-U. S. DISTRICT COURT

Southern District of New York

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT
United States for the Southern

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ment of HERMAN FINKELST

Notice is hereby given that the herein is held at public sale on the 12th day of November, 1914 at 11 o'clock A. M., at Brooklyn Bridge, New York City, and immediately thereafter at the Cold Storage Warehouse, 200 Water Street, Manhattan, thereat for the purpose of selling the following:—
1. One lot of frozen fish and canned sardines. MAX SCHEENMAN, Auctioneer.
JULIUS H. ROSEN, 277 Broadway, New York City.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In re CARBONDALE SPONGE CO., Debtor. Notice of Sale. Auction. Southern District of New York. The United States Bankruptcy Court, Southern District of New York, will sell Monday, November 23, 1914, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., at public sale, the following:

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solicitor, 302 E'way, New York

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THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 6.—There has been no rain in the last twenty-four hours except in the State of Washington.

A maximum temperature of 50 degrees was registered on Friday at Omaha, Neb., the highest November temperature of the United States in the last forty-three years.

Record-breaking maxima were also recorded at Kansas City, Mo., and Concordia, Kan.

The Northwestern depression is now central in Minnesota. The average temperature precipitation, except in the lake region.

Higher temperatures will prevail on Saturday in the Ohio Valley and the lake region and on Sunday in the Middle Atlantic States and New England. Elsewhere the changes will be unimportant.

Winds along the North and Middle Atlantic Coasts will be light northwest on Saturday and Sunday; South Atlantic Coast, light northeast.

FORECAST TODAY AND TOMORROW.

Eastern New York, New Jersey, New England, and Eastern Pennsylvania—Fair Saturday and Sunday.

Western New York—Partly cloudy Saturday and Sunday.

The temperature record for the twenty-four hours ended at midnight, taken from the thermometer at the United States Weather Bureau, is as follows:

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NEU COUDERT IN A WAR OF WORDS

State Civil Service Chairman
Orders Counsel from
Hearing.
FRANK MOSS IS ATTACKED
Lawyer Says His Questions Are
Simply Specious to Discredit
Charities Department.

Frederic R. Coudert, who was privately retained as counsel for the Municipal Civil Service Commission and for John A. Kingsbury, Commissioner of the Department of Charities, in the present investigation by the State Civil Service Commission, is being subjected to a procedure of investigation yesterday. His complaints were centered on Jacob Neu, Chairman of the State Commission, and on Frank Moss, Special Deputy Attorney General assigned to conduct the investigation. At the height of the argument which followed his objections, Chairman Neu ordered Mr. Coudert from the hearing.

Mr. Coudert did not leave the room, however, and he was not ejected. His reply was a continued objection to the irrelevance of the proceeding, and in the argument he held his own. The incident emphasized the hostility between the State Commission and the Municipal Commission, which has been increasing daily since the investigation began about two months ago.

Dr. Max G. Schlapp, head of the clearing house for mental defectives in this city, was on the stand when the storm broke. Mr. Neu tried to get admission from Dr. Schlapp that Mr. Kingsbury's policy as to the discharge of mental defectives from the public institutions was all wrong, and Dr. Schlapp, despite protests from Mr. Coudert, said that mental defectives were a menace to a community, and that they ought to be kept in the State Hospital.

Chairman Neu also permitted the expert psychologist to say that the State Commission was not to be recommended by Commissioner Kingsbury's expert charity investigators without the submission of a careful and serious examination.

Orders Coudert from Room.
"I object to this line of questioning," said Mr. Coudert, after Chairman Neu had permitted the admissions of considerable testimony as to what Dr. Schlapp considered the best treatment of mental defectives. "Mr. Moss's questions are simply a series of specious made for the purpose of discrediting the Charities Department, and I object to them as utterly unfair."

The objection is overruled, and this is not a proper line of questioning, the questions, retorted Chairman Neu.

When this charge was made between Mr. Coudert and Commissioner Neu, both shouting loudly:

Mr. Coudert—That is the way I characterize the Charities Department.
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At this point Chairman Neu's voice rose louder and he shook his finger as he shouted:

That characterization I repeat to the utmost and you may leave the room now. Mr. Coudert—Do you order me out?
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WARD & GOW \$11,400,000 GRANT

Service Board Disapproves Contract for Advertising on Traction Systems.
PROPOSED RIGHTS ABRIDGED
Separate Agreement to Cover New Lines When Finished—No Plan of Competition.

The \$11,400,000 contract for the advertising and news stand privileges on the subway and elevated lines which the Interborough had granted for fifteen years to Artemus Ward, as the successor of the late Charles H. Ward, yesterday by a unanimous vote of the Public Service Commission. This contract dated from Jan. 1 last, and had been the subject of many protests on the part of magazine proprietors and rival vending companies, such as the News Company, which had a fair chance of competing for the privileges.

Ward & Gow had a contract covering the existing subway and elevated lines and expiring on Dec. 31 last. There was a five year renewal clause which Mr. Ward asserted had been assigned to him. When the matter came up before the Interborough directors, other firms expressed a desire to bid for the concessions, and the Interborough itself questioned Mr. Ward's right to enforce the renewal clause. The opinion was maintained at a meeting of the directors that, if any other firm should be awarded the contract, Mr. Ward would have the opportunity to meet them.

A new contract, with greatly increased rates, was proposed for the subway and elevated lines, and Mr. Ward and the Interborough, according to the opinion presented to the Public Service Commission, was a compromise or readjustment. As soon as the contract was awarded, Mr. Ward's storm of criticism. Not only did the State Commission protest at the award, but many magazine proprietors complained of the way in which the contract was handled. Mr. Ward, under the old contract, they asserted they had to pay too much for the advertising space, and that the new contract would be a further increase in the price of the space.

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AGED MAN BEATEN, DYING.

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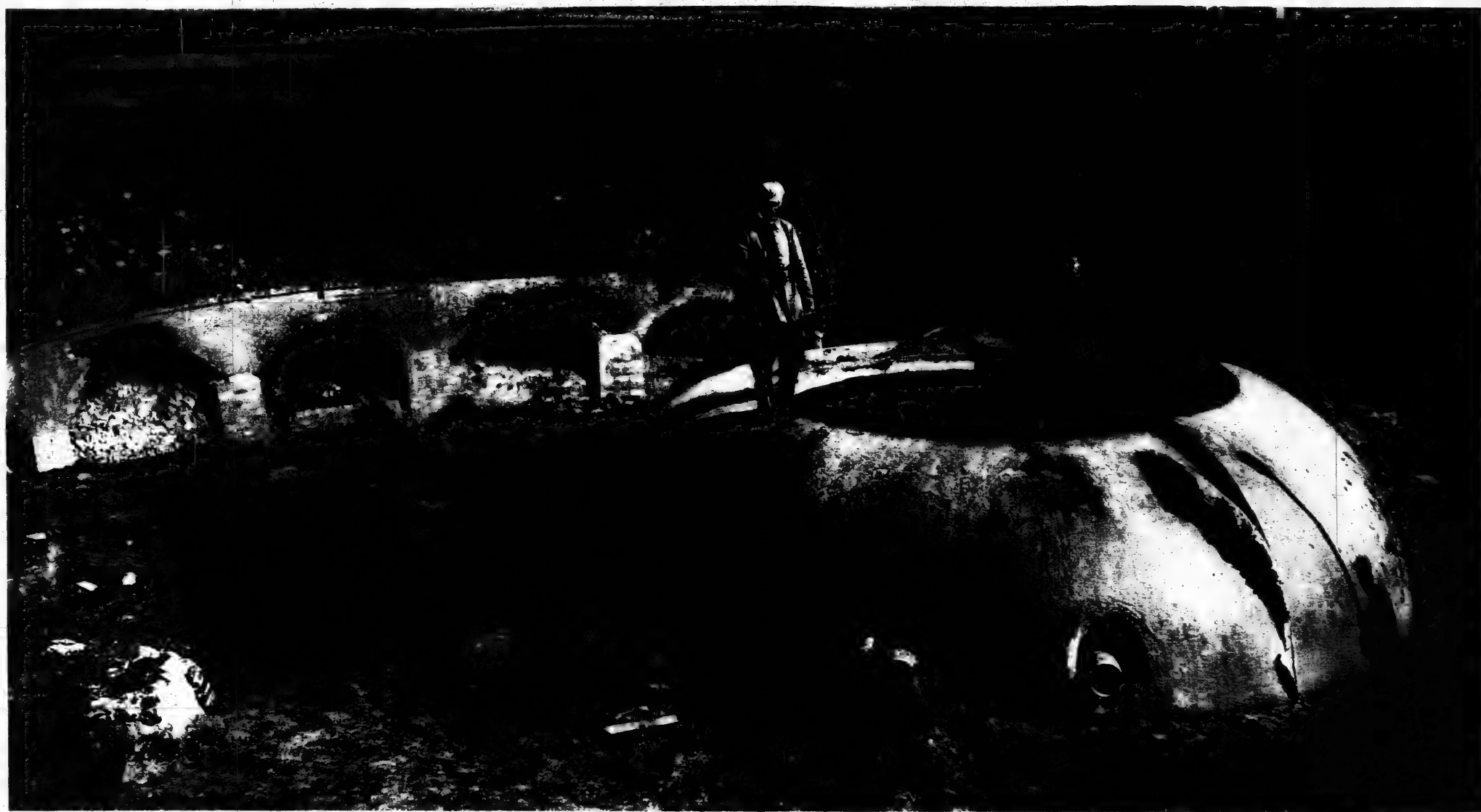
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DUCHESS OF VERDOME, SISTER OF KING ALBERT OF BELGIUM, PINNING A ROSE ON A LONDON
POLICEMAN'S COAT. With Her, on the Right, Are Her Daughters Princess Genevieve and Princess Marie
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RED CROSS NURSES
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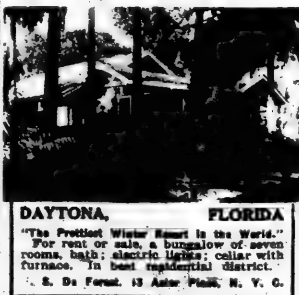
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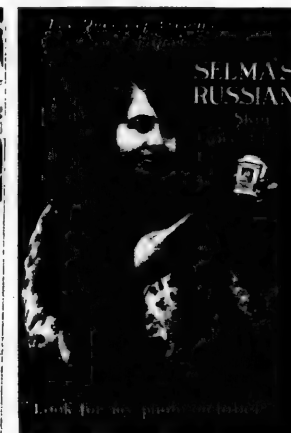
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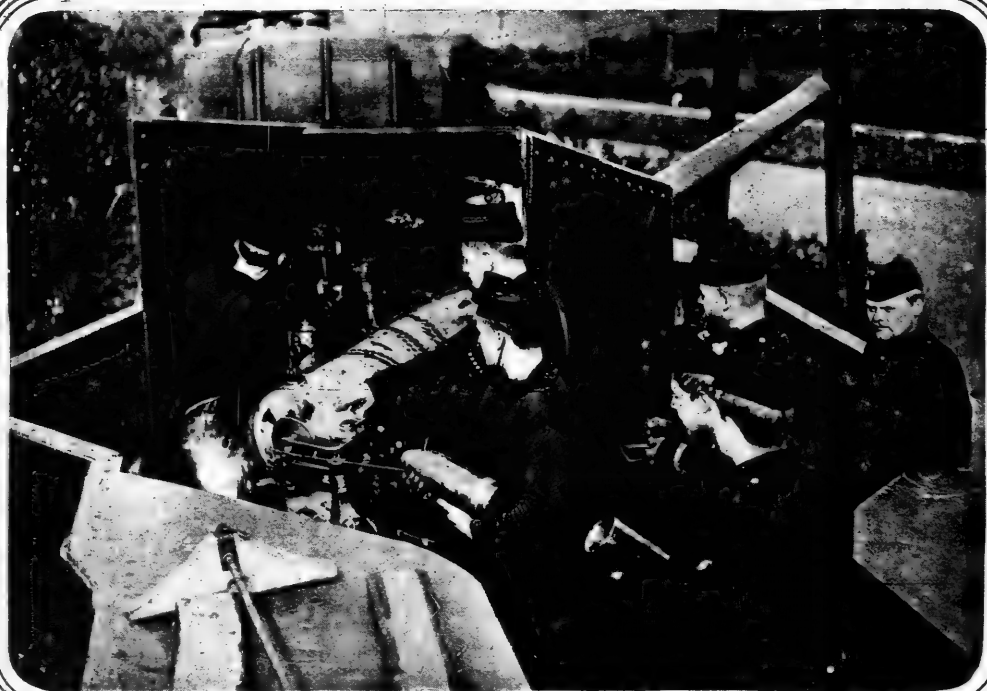
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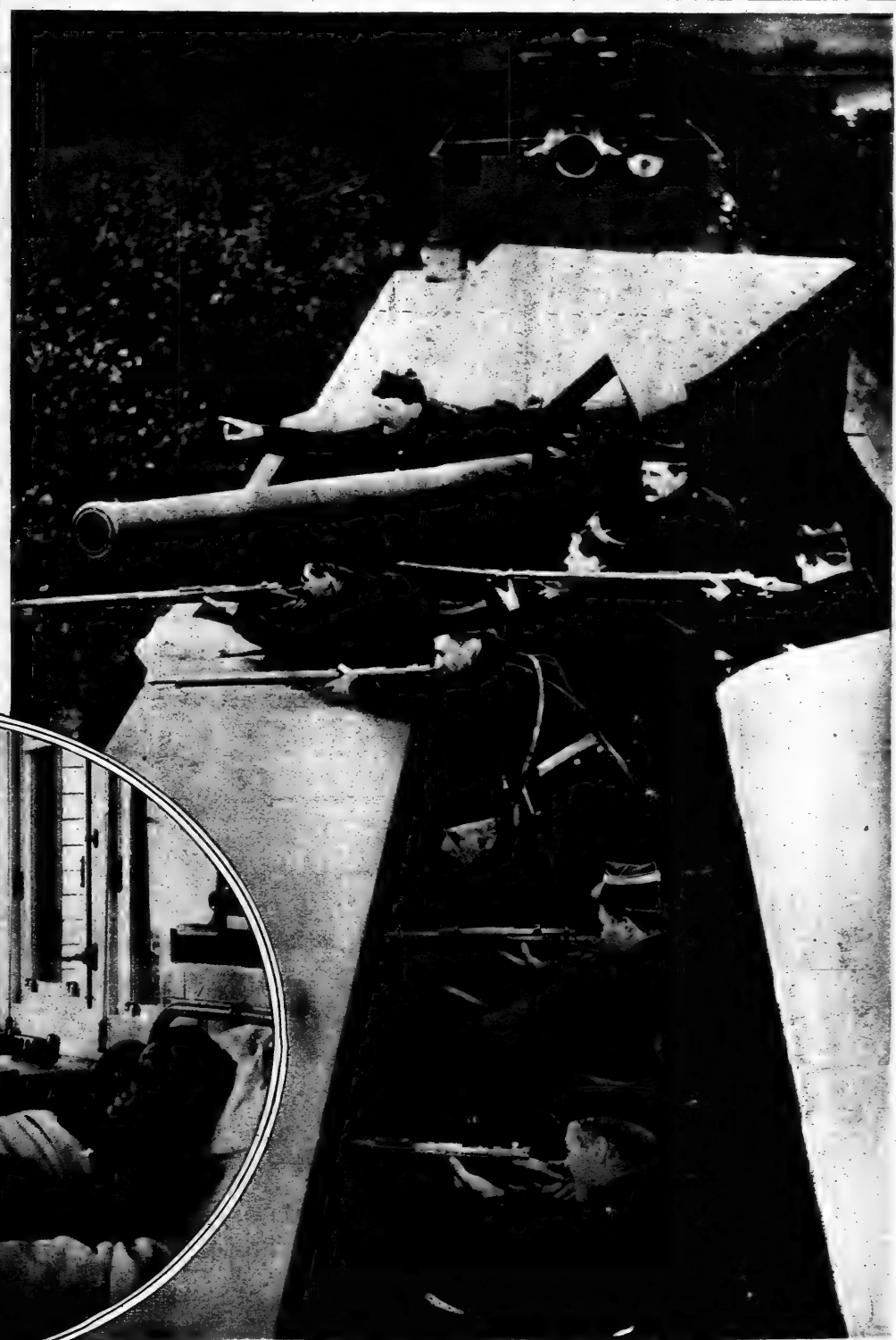
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A BELGIAN OUTPOST IN ACTION ON THE BATTLE LINE
NEAR THE FRANCO-BELGIAN FRONTIER.
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BRITISH NAVAL GUNNER ON AN AR-
MORED TRAIN AT YPRES FINDING
THE RANGE WHILE THE BELGIAN
CREW STAND READY TO LOAD.
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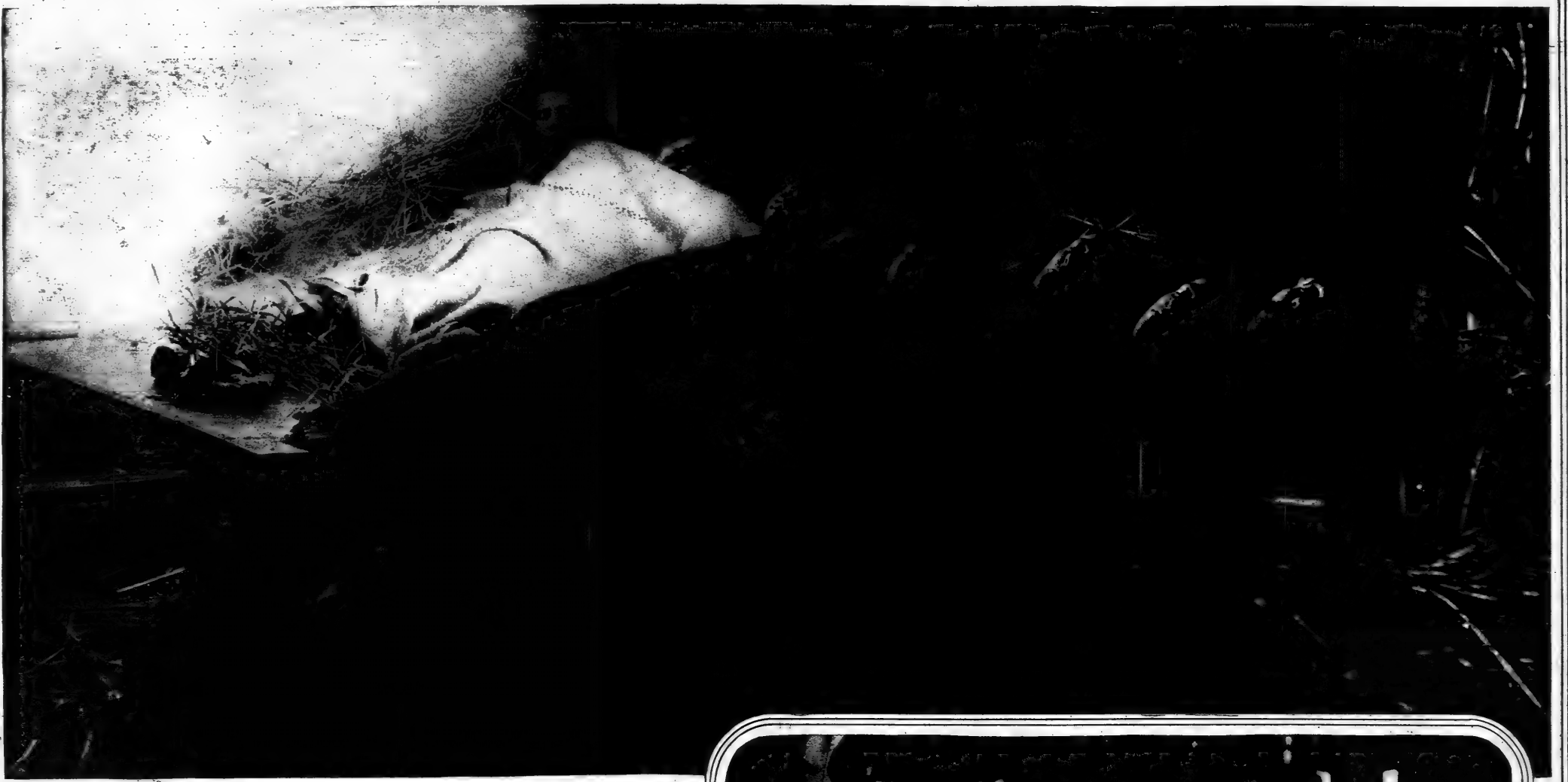
BELGIAN SHARPSHOOTERS ATTACKING FROM AN ARMORED
TRAIN IN THE VICINITY OF YPRES.



BELGIAN SOLDIER FROM THE CONGO
WITH A GERMAN TROPHY.
(Photo from L. N. A.)



MME. PATTI AT THE BEDSIDE OF A WOUNDED BELGIAN
IN SWANSEA HOSPITAL, LONDON
(Photo from Underwood & Underwood.)



BELGIAN MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN SLEEPING ON STRAW AT ROSENDAAL, HOLLAND
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HARBORNE HALL, BIRMINGHAM, ENGLAND, MANSION OF WALTER CHAMBERLAIN, BROTHER OF THE LATE JOSEPH CHAMBERLAIN, GIVEN OVER TO BELGIAN REFUGEES



BELGIAN REFUGEES REACH ENGLAND IN SAFETY. The Children Little Realizing the Tragedy of Their Condition
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OSTEND FISHING SMACK, WITH ITS CARGO OF REFUGEES, REACHES DOVER!
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OSTEND WOMAN WHO, WHEN SHE HERSELF COULD NOT ESCAPE, SAVED HER NEIGHBOR'S DESERTED PETS
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GERMAN SOLDIERS AT MALINES DISTRIBUTING FOOD TO DESTITUTE BELGIANS
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WOUNDED GERMAN SOLDIER OUT FOR A WALK IN BERLIN WITH HIS NURSE

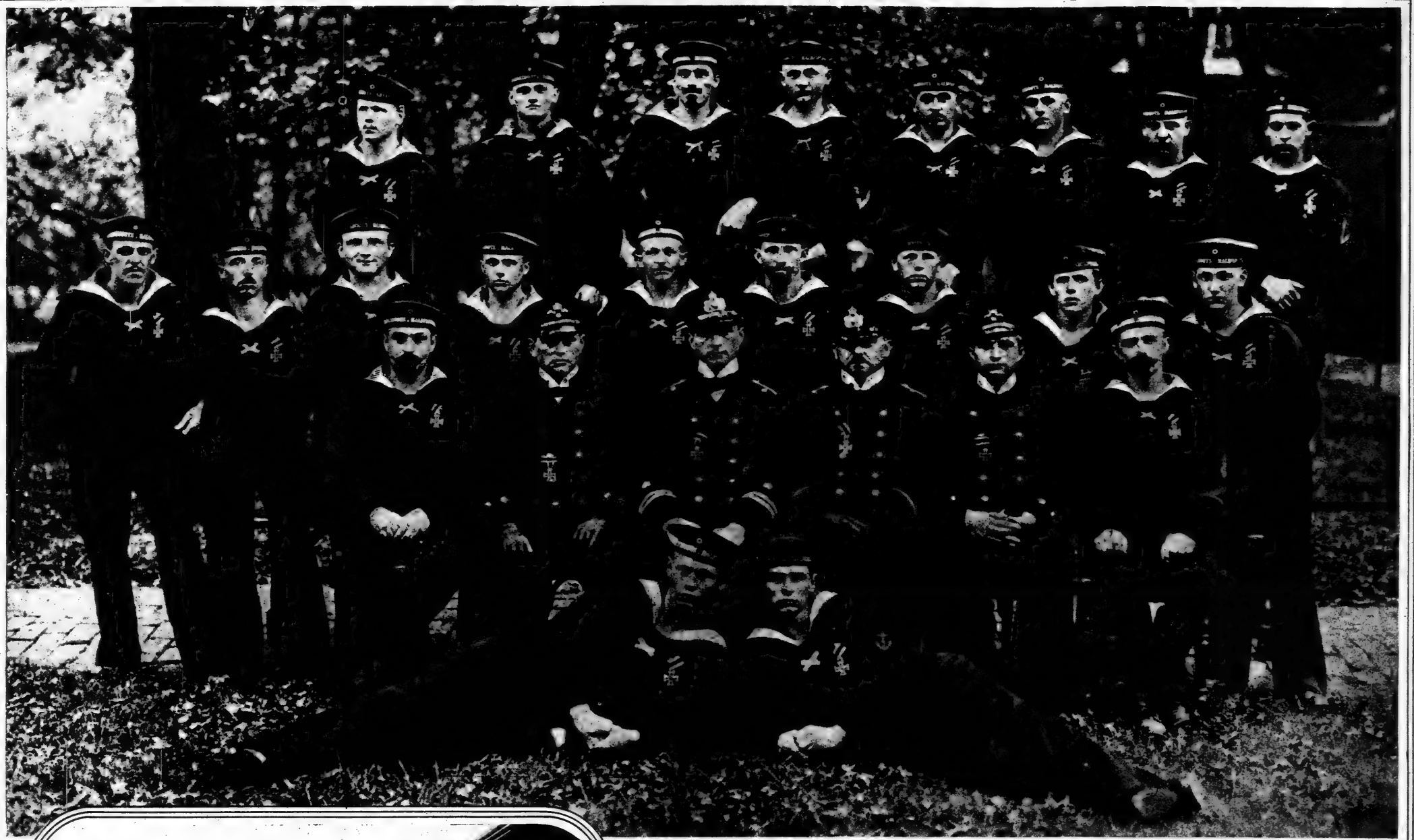
ROUNDING UP GERMAN RESIDENTS IN LONDON



GERMAN ENGINEERS RECONSTRUCTING A RAILWAY BRIDGE NEAR LA FERÉ DESTROYED BY THE FRENCH
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RUSSIAN EQUIPMENT CAPTURED BY THE GERMANS AT ALLENSTEIN
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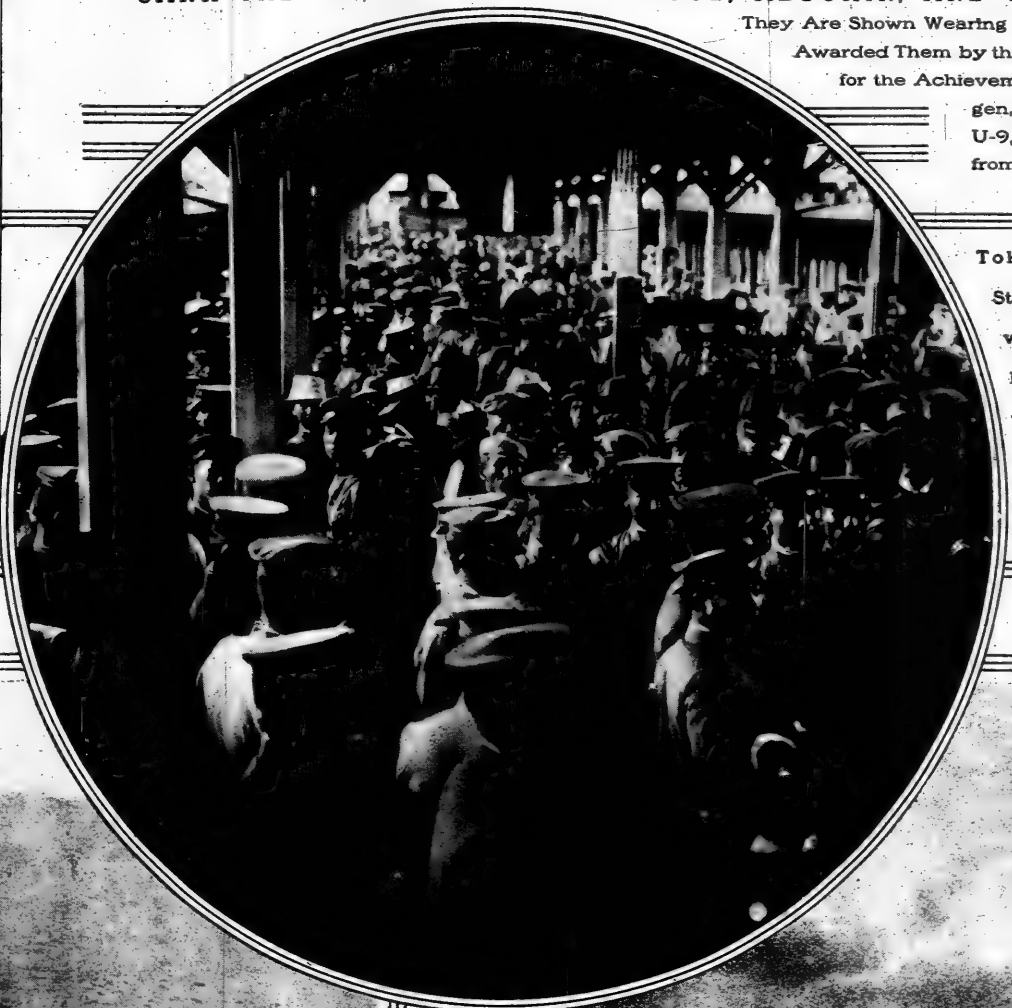


OFFICERS AND CREW OF THE FAMOUS GERMAN SUBMARINE U-9, WHICH SANK THE BRITISH CRUISERS HOGUE, ABOUKIR, AND CRESSY.

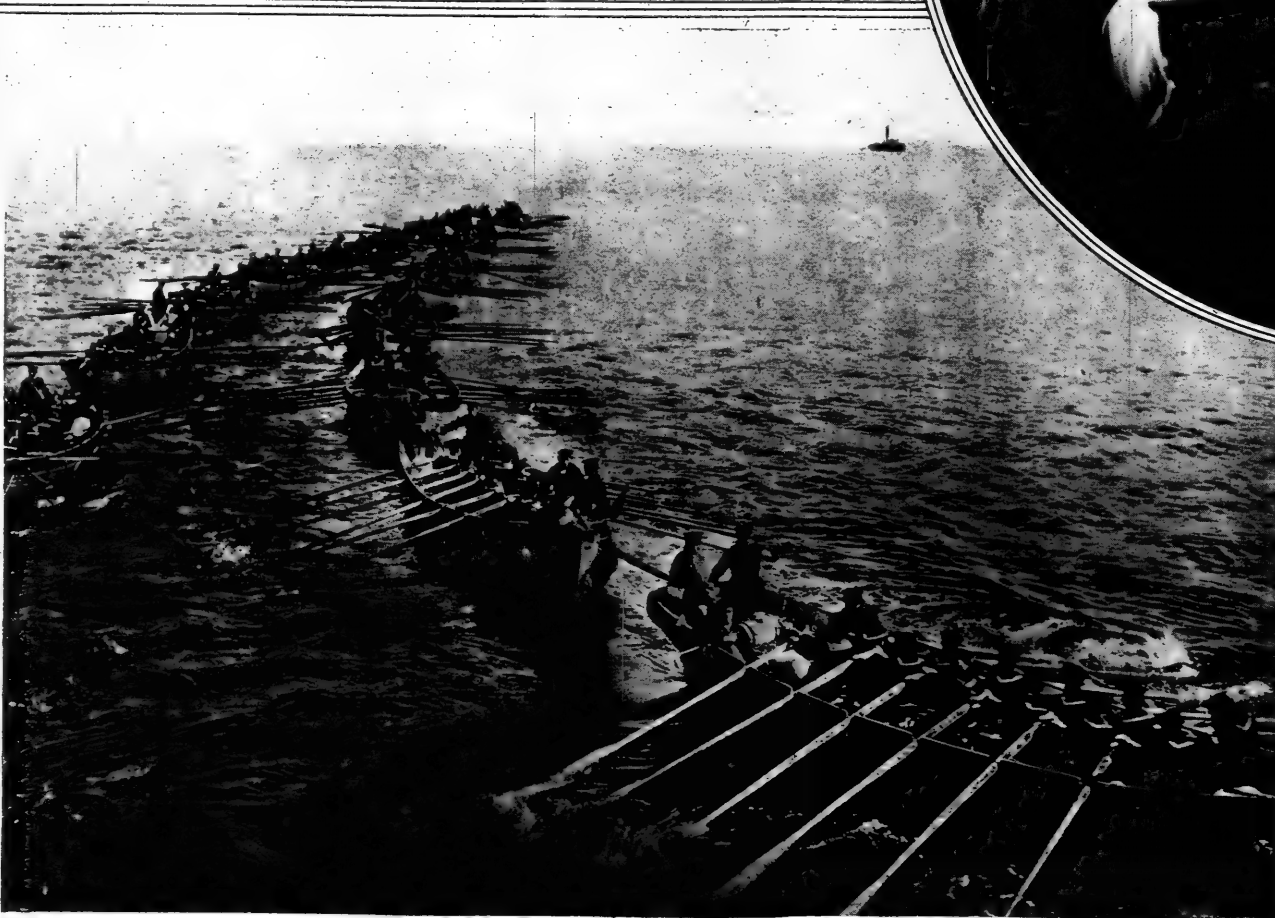
They Are Shown Wearing Their Iron Crosses Awarded Them by the German Emperor for the Achievement. Lieut. Widdigen, Commander of the U-9, Is Seated Third from the Left.



JAPANESE TROOPS MANIFESTING ENTHUSIASM AS THEY LEAVE FOR THE WAR.



Tokto Railway Station Crowded with Japanese Infantry About to Entrain for the War with Germany in China.



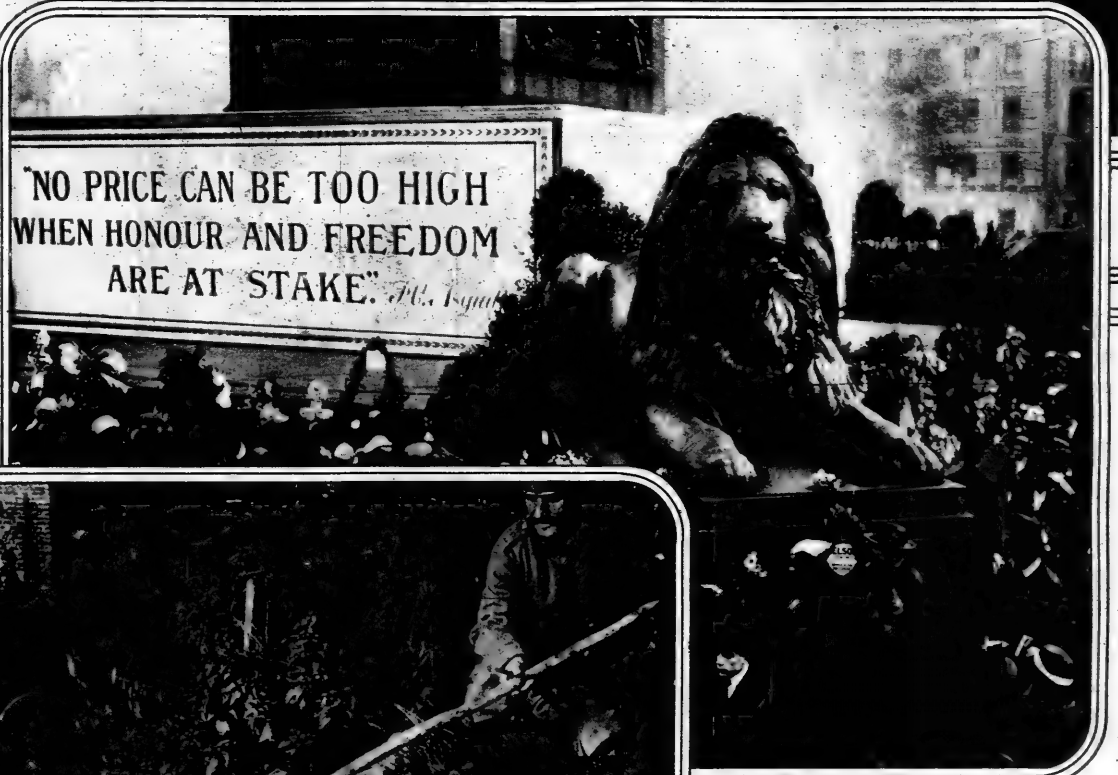
JAPANESE BLUEJACKETS COMING ASHORE NEAR TSING-TAU.
(Photos from Paul Thompson.)



German Infantry in the Eastern Theatre of the War Shooting from the Trenches at a Russian Aeroplane.



THE GERMAN ADVANCE FROM ANTWERP CROSSING ONE OF THE CANALS IN WESTERN BELGIUM.
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NELSON COLUMN IN LONDON INSCRIBED WITH PATRIOTIC MOTTOES FOR THE TRAFALGAR DAY CELEBRATION.



Two Soldiers and an Organist of St. Paul's Cathedral Visiting Nelson's Tomb in the Crypt of the Cathedral, Which Was Thrown Open to the Public Free on Trafalgar Day.



GERMAN SOLDIERS HOOKING A DUCK FROM THE RIVER NETHE, NEAR ANTWERP.



CANADIAN SOLDIERS LISTENING TO A SERMON ON THEIR FIRST SUNDAY IN ENGLAND.
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RHEIMS
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IN
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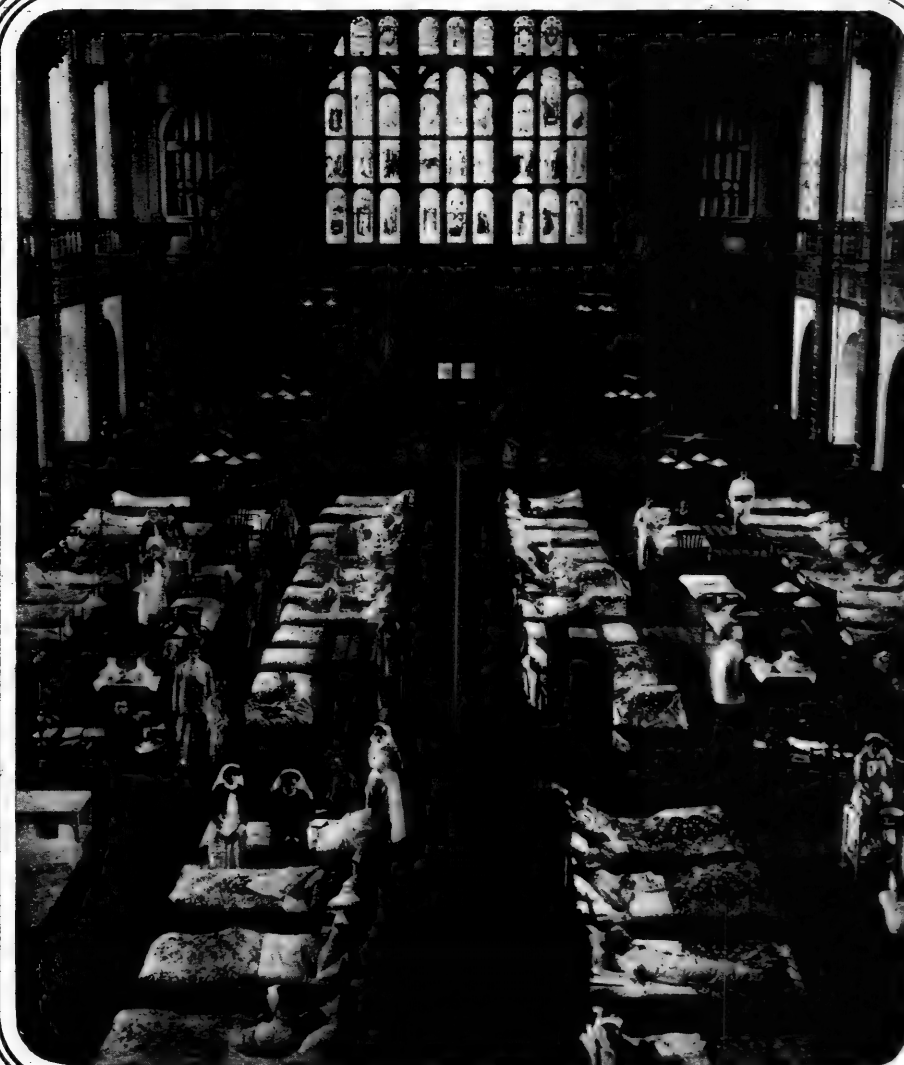
CEMETERY
NEAR
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BRITISH
TROOPS
IN THE
TRENCHES
ON THE
FRANCO-
BELGIAN
FRONTIER.

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WOUNDED BRITISH SOLDIERS IN THE GREAT HALL OF
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BRITISH AIRMAN IN FRANCE HAVING HIS WOUNDS
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LONGWY, FRANCE, LAID WASTE BY THE BOMBARDMENT.
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MEXICANS BATTLE NEAR VERA CRUZ

Three of Huerta's Former Gen-
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RUMORS DISTURB OFFICIALS

Gen. Funston Is Asked if There Are
Any Signs of an Impending At-
tack on American Forces.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 7.—Ex-Federal soldiers who have been operating more than a month in the Mexican State of Puebla, between Vera Cruz and the Mexican capital, have captured the town of Tehuacan, State of Vera Cruz, in a battle in which 200 men were killed. The battle was fought between Carranza troops and the ex-Federals operating under the command of three former Huerta Generals, who are understood to have a working agreement with Gen. Francisco Villa.

These Generals are Higinio Aguilar, Benjamin Argumedo, and Almazan Ruiz. The official news of the battle was received late this afternoon by Acting Secretary of State Lansing in a dispatch from W. W. Canada, the American Consul at Vera Cruz, who said the battle was fought several days ago, but accounts of it were delayed in reaching Vera Cruz. No details were given. When this dispatch was received it was recalled in official circles that Gen. Funston on Sept. 26, in an official dispatch to the War Department, had furnished a line on the character of the movement led by Aguilar and Ruiz.

Higinio Aguilar, who figured in this battle, should not be confused with Gen. Candido Aguilar, the Carranza General at Tequila, who has been delegated by Carranza to accept Vera Cruz whenever the American forces are ready to evacuate.

In his dispatch of Sept. 26, Gen. Funston described Higinio Aguilar and Benjamin Argumedo as "revolted ex-Federals" who had at that time destroyed telegraphic and railway communication between Vera Cruz and the Mexican capital. This destruction was accomplished by the ex-Federalists at the same time that Villa executed his coup of seizing the Custom Houses and other Carranza offices in Northern Mexico.

Gen. Funston estimated the force of Higinio Aguilar and Benjamin Argumedo at from 3,000 to 6,000 men, and said they probably would be joined by others from Cordoba, Orizaba, and elsewhere as "agents of Villa have been here recently conferring with ex-Federal officers and furnishing them with funds."

At that time efforts were being made by the Aguilar-Argumedo forces to isolate Gen. Jesus Carranza, brother of Provisional President Venustiano Carranza. Jesus Carranza had been sent to the southeastern part of Mexico with a large number of troops. This movement failed, and Gen. Jesus Carranza was forced to bring his troops back to the Mexican capital by another route to strengthen the position of his brother.

Gen. Villa, according to official advice to the State Department, to-day from Consul Canova at Aguascalientes, is now at Aguascalientes, where his forces, Villa, it is understood, is soon to lead his forces against Carranza, upon whom he has served notice that unless Carranza accepts the action of the convention by Nov. 10, armed force will be used against him and his followers.

Consul Canada today notified the State Department that the Aguascalientes Convention officially proclaimed Gen. Eulalio Gutierrez Provisional President of Mexico at 11:30 o'clock yesterday morning and that he would take the oath of office on Nov. 10.

American Government officials manifested both interest and concern today over the reports from Mexico of anti-American demonstrations of one sort or another and intimations that the American forces under Gen. Funston at Vera Cruz would be attacked unless they evacuated that port in the immediate future. But this apprehension was based wholly on press dispatches from Mexico City and not on any official information received by the State, War, or Navy Departments. It was insisted by high officials that there was no official apprehension here based on known facts, because neither Gen. Funston nor any other American representative in Mexico had given any intimation that Vera Cruz might be attacked.

The reports which aroused the interest of the State, War, and Navy officials were the press dispatches printed in this morning's papers from Mexico City saying that Carranza had gone to Soledad, near Vera Cruz, and that men were busily engaged placarding Mexico City yesterday with broadsides in the form of a proclamation headed "Citizens, to Arms!" calling on Mexicans to drive the foreigner from their shores.

The Secretary of State said tonight that some of these things had been officially reported to the War Department.

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PENNSYLVANIA SEES BUSINESS REVIVING

Some Towns Even Report Booms
Amid a General Renewal
of Prosperity.

Special to The New York Times.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 7.—Reports from all over the State indicate an improved business sentiment. In Chester the American Steel Castings Company will resume full operations Monday. The Federal Steel Company starts full time today. At Reading notices were posted in the Reading Railway Company's shops that, beginning next week, the shops would work fifty instead of forty hours a week. The Oley Steel Mills will resume Monday after a month's idleness.

Big Government orders given to the Bethlehem Steel Company, with many orders from the English and French Governments, have started the mills on full time and promise a boom all through the winter. The company is adding a new plant to employ 500 more men. The Pullman Motor Car Company at York is operating under full time, with many extra employees. This concern has big orders for French delivery. From all over the State come similar reports of orders due to the European war.

From the Conestoga coke region come the announcement tonight that the H. C. Frick Coal & Coke Company and the W. J. Dalney Company, the largest coking concerns in Western Pennsylvania, will fire in more than 21,000 ovens within the next two weeks. Thirty thousand ovens are now idle. It is expected that all will resume within a month. Thousands of men will get steady employment.

In the anthracite coal belt all the collieries are working overtime, with unlimited orders filed. Scranton reports the textile industries, particularly the silk mills, resuming full schedules. At Coatesville the Worth Brothers Tube Mills, one of the largest in the State, will resume Monday. Lukens Iron Mills are running at 50 per cent., and expect to resume full capacity shortly. Altoona, Harrisburg, Williamsport, Allentown, and Easton report business booms.

McGOVERN ASKS RECOUNT.

Governor of Wisconsin Asks That
Ballots Were Wrongfully Cast Out.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Nov. 7.—Gov. Francis E. McGovern began here today his campaign for a recount of the ballots cast in Milwaukee for United States Senator in Tuesday's election. The Governor, who was the Republican candidate, is 1,378 votes behind Paul O. Husting, Democrat, according to complete official returns from sixty-four counties in Wisconsin, and contends that unofficial returns from the seven remaining counties.

Gov. McGovern asserts that enough ballots to change the result probably were thrown out in Milwaukee and its suburbs by mistaken election officials, who thought they were defective. The demand for a recount of the Milwaukee ballots probably will be followed by a demand for recounts in other cities, it was stated today at Republican headquarters here.

Copies of the official demand for a recount, which it is necessary to serve on the other candidates on the ticket for United States Senator, were sent to Madison this afternoon for verification. They then will be served on the different candidates.

ANIMALS HUNGRY AT SEA.

Wireless Call for Food for Some
Coming to the Brooklyn Zoo.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 7.—Wild animals, starving and fighting in their cages on board the British steamship *West Point*, bound to this port from London, will be relieved by fresh meat which will be sent to them on a fast tug early Sunday morning.

A wireless received late today from the West Point said that the supply of food for the cargo of bears, deers, wolves, lions, monkeys, and other animals was exhausted several days ago and that the hungry animals were now fighting among themselves. The consignment of animals is the largest ever bound for this port. It is intended for the Brooklyn Zoological Gardens.

The relief of the hungry animals is a brand new use for the wireless. The message received today did not give the position of the West Point, but told of the plight of the ship was in, and said that she expected to arrive at the Delaware Breakwater tonight. The West Point was due to arrive last Thursday, but it is believed that heavy weather delayed her.

GOELT'S HOME IN DANGER.

Forest Fires Nearing \$1,000,000
Mansion at Glenmere Lake.

MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., Nov. 7.—Fires which had been smoldering in the woods around the Glenmere Lake section during the past week broke out furiously on Wednesday and spread very rapidly. A large area has already been burned. This fire is now nearing the new million-dollar home of Robert Goelt, which he built about a year ago for his wife. Shortly after its completion his wife left him.

A large force is out fighting the blaze, and it has been checked to some extent. The damage so far reaches \$100,000, as near as can be estimated.

Special to The New York Times.

TRENTON, N. J., Nov. 7.—Although admitting that the situation is still critical and still remains so until rain falls, State Forester Alfred Gaskill today asserted that the reports respecting the forest fires in North and South Jersey have been exaggerated. He said he could not yet estimate the damage or approximate the area covered by the flames.

Earth Shocks Felt in California.

CHICO, Cal., Nov. 7.—Two distinct earthquake shocks, fifteen seconds apart, were felt in the town of Vina, twenty miles north of here, last night, their general direction being from east to west. So far as known no damage was caused.

REMARKS BY SENATOR—Senator in time quality states that the United States is in a position to handle any situation that may arise.

NEW LAMAR CHARGE NAMES LAUTERBACH

Lawyer Included in Indictment
Served on "Wolf of Wall
Street" in Court.

KEPT SECRET FOR A YEAR

Defendants Charged with Conspiracy,
Involving Impersonation of Offi-
cials—Lamar in Tomb.

David Lamar, the so-called Wolf of Wall Street, learned yesterday when he was arraigned before Judge Rudkin in the Federal District Court to plead to the two indictments found against him for impersonating an officer of the United States that there was a third indictment against him. As his counsel was arguing that it was impossible to arrest him in this district, as he was out on bail granted by the United States Supreme Court, Marshal Henkel stepped up to him and served a warrant based upon an indictment for conspiracy, which had been returned against him on July 31, 1913, but had been kept secret.

With him in this was named Edward Lauterbach, the lawyer, whose services were pressed upon Robert S. Lovett, Chairman of the Union Pacific; Lewis Cass Ledyard, Paul D. Cravath, and others by Lamar. According to his own admission, Lamar, while impersonating a Congressman, had told the Union Pacific officials that Lauterbach was the best man to save off a Government investigation of Union Pacific affairs. Not until yesterday was it known that for more than a year Mr. Lauterbach had been under indictment. District Attorney Marshall said that the lawyer would surrender tomorrow to plead to the conspiracy charge.

The effect of the new indictment was to knock down under Lamar's feet any chance of escaping from Marshal Henkel's custody on a technical point, and the only course left for him was to surrender. Judge Rudkin fixed this at \$30,000, and as Lamar was unable to get a bondsman he was locked up in the Tombs, where he must stay until this morning.

Prisoner Fashionably Dressed.

Lamar spent Friday night in a cell at the Greenwich Street Police Station, but he appeared in court yesterday well dressed in a black morning coat, with unusually long tails, and a large four-in-hand tie of dark green pattern bulging over his vest. He seemed perfectly at home in the jury box or moved restlessly about the court.

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ITALY MOVES FOR BALKAN FEDERATION

Negotiating With Rumania for
a New League of Neu-
tral States.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

MILAN, Nov. 7. (Dispatch to The London Daily Chronicle.)—The Giornale d'Italia states that Prince Ghika, the Rumanian Minister to Italy, has been in Bucharest for the past fortnight on a special mission.

This is intended to remove the last remaining differences between Rumania and Italy, so as to prepare the way for Italy's mediation between Rumania and Bulgaria and the subsequent constitution of a federation of Balkan neutral States under the auspices of Italy.

AUSTRIANS IN GALICIA CUT OFF, ROME HEARS

Only Line of Retreat Is Through
Carpathians, Which Are Im-
passable for Great Army.

ROME, Nov. 7.—A special dispatch to The Tribune from Petrograd says: "The Russians have cut off the Austrians from the Germans. The Austrians were encircled on their left flank and compelled to precipitately retreat, which surprised the Carpathians into Hungary. But the Carpathians at this time of the year, and with the recent snowfalls, are almost impassable to a million and a half of men with provisions and munition trains and artillery."

Petrograd is rejoicing over the present victory, which surpasses all former ones because of its decisive character. Great demonstrations have been held at which the army, Grand Duke Nicholas, the Commander in Chief, and Emperor Nicholas were cheered, and in all the churches services to celebrate the event also have taken place.

Emperor Nicholas remains at the front.

MOLTKE'S FALL LAID TO COURT INTRIGUES

Crown Prince Blamed—Many
Germans Fear Consequences
of Chief's Removal.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

COPENHAGEN, Nov. 7. (Dispatch to The London Daily Standard.)—The dismissal of Gen. von Moltke, which was officially announced, has produced a significant and far-reaching effect on Berlin. Nobody, of course, believes that Gen. von Moltke has left his post on account of ill health, as the authorities declare. Everybody knows, too, that there was a rupture between the Kaiser and Gen. Moltke. Nevertheless, nobody believes that the Kaiser would decide at such a critical moment to dismiss the leader of the German General Staff.

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ALLIES CHECK NEW GERMAN ATTACK; BRITISH SEIZE FAO, A TURKISH PORT; JAPANESE FLEET CLOSE TO GERMANS

BATTLE NEAR IN PACIFIC

Tokio Hears Japan's Fleet
Is About to Engage
Germans.

PERU GETS RUMOR OF FIGHT

But Valparaiso Denies Capture
of the Cruisers Scharnhorst
and Gneisenau.

VAIN SEARCH FOR GLASGOW

Freighter Arriving at San Francisco Confirms Reinforcement
of Allies in the Pacific.

TOKIO, Sunday, Nov. 8, 9:30 A. M.

A well authenticated report is in circulation here to the effect that the Japanese Admiralty has received information that a battle in the Pacific between the Japanese and German fleets is impending.

No indication has been given as to the present whereabouts of either the Japanese or the German men-of-war.

Report Germans Captured.

LIMA, Peru, Nov. 7.—It is reported here that a Japanese squadron, cruising along the coast of Peru, has captured the German cruisers Scharnhorst and Gneisenau.

These are the cruisers which led the German fleet in the fight with the British squadron off the coast of Chile last Sunday night, in which the British flagship Good Hope and the cruiser Monmouth were reported to have been sunk.

Four warships were reported to have passed Callao, Peru, southbound, yesterday.

They kept far out from the coast and their nationality could not be made out.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LIMA, Peru, Nov. 7.—The renewal of Japanese steamship sailings from Callao for Yokohama yesterday apparently confirmed the presence of a Japanese fleet in these waters.

Discredited at Valparaiso.

SPECIAL CABLE TO THE NEW YORK TIMES.

VALPARAISO, Chile, Nov. 7.—The reported capture of the German cruisers Gneisenau and Scharnhorst, as advised from Tokyo, is generally disbelieved here because the Japanese squadron, whose approach was reported from Easter Island, was only today sighted off Callao, Peru.

The Chilean transport Malpo and a scout were sent to Santa Maria Island and the coast at Punta Carranza, where it was rumored that the British cruiser Glasgow straggled. No sign of the vessel was found. The English cruisers, Defense and Canopus, are likewise searching these waters for the missing ships.

The Chilean transport Rancagua passed from Carranza to Mocha Island and without getting any trace of the Glasgow. The English authorities hired two steamers under Red Cross colors, sending them out equipped as hospital ships, but without result. No wreckage or other signs of any of the vessels has been found, probably owing to the fact that the battle took place too far from the coast.

The rumor to the effect that the Monmouth is still afloat although on fire is baseless. It would be impossible to confuse her with the Good Hope, because she had three funnels, and the Good Hope four.

Saw the Monmouth Sink.

The first version of the sea fight of last Sunday was based on statements made by Admiral von Spee, who arrived here on Tuesday, and was confirmed with more details through Chilean naval officers, whose interviews with the Admiral were published by El Mercurio. The Monmouth undoubtedly was sunk, for she was seen capsizing, while the Good Hope was badly damaged and was set afire through an explosion. Her fate remained unknown to the Germans, who saw her flee with the Glasgow. The British Admiralty's statement is probably due to the Glasgow's wireless messages. It is supposed that the Glasgow was the only ship that survived.

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Summary of War News.

The British Admiralty announces the occupation of Fafo, an Asiatic seaport, by a military force from India and a naval detachment from the sloop Odin, after silencing the Turkish guns.

An unofficial report from Athens states that the Dardanelles forts have been smashed by the bombardment of the allied fleet.

The Japanese announce that their Pacific squadron is pursuing the German cruisers which, on last Sunday, defeated the British cruisers off the coast of Chile. Reports of the capture of the German cruisers Scharnhorst and Gneisenau, off the Peruvian coast, are not credited.

The French War Office announces that the Germans resumed their furious attacks along the whole battle front yesterday, but were repulsed everywhere. Trenches which were taken by the Germans several days ago were again in the possession of the Allies after the day's fighting, and progress was made at several points, especially along the heights of the Meuse.

The Germans report that their attack is progressing favorably, especially southwest of Ypres, where 1,000 French soldiers and three machine guns have been captured. The evacuation of Soupir and the western part of Sapigneul, on the centre, are admitted, while other French attacks are said to have been repulsed.

The Russians report that their offensive on the East Prussian front is developing and the Germans are being dislodged from their entrenched positions. Minor engagements are said

GERMANS DEFEND LINE OF WAR THE

Russians Begin Attack on the
Last Fortified Position
in Poland.

RUSH ON TOWARD CRACOW
Say They Have Taken 16,500
Prisoners Near There and
Large Number of Guns.

BERLIN REPORTS A CHECK
Repulse of Russians Across River
at Kola—Czar's Forces Still Hold
Offensive in East Prussia.

PETROGRAD, Nov. 7. (via London).—Russian forces are making a new Russian position at Sieradz, on the Warthe River, in Russian Poland, southeast of Kola, and about fifteen miles east of the German border, according to information reaching Petrograd today.

This engagement marks the beginning of the Russian advance against the last fortified German position on Russian soil.

The Germans are heavily entrenched at Sieradz and appear determined to dispute the crossing of the River Warthe.

The left wing of the Russian Army, in engagements taking place between Oct. 23 and Nov. 4 on the front in the vicinity of Cracow, took prisoner 274 officers and 18,500 men of the enemy.

This information was given out semi-officially in Petrograd today.

In addition to these prisoners, the Russian forces captured three howitzers, forty pieces of artillery, thirty-eight rapid-fire guns, and a large quantity of material for the manufacture of cartridges.

The Russian General Staff has issued the following:

On the East Prussian front the Russian troops are developing with success an offensive in the region of the forest of Rominten and Lyck (East Prussia).

The German rear guard was dislodged by us from Milawa on Nov. 4, suffering great losses.

Beyond the Vistula the enemy continues to fall back. A German column passed through Czeszotowa, Russian Poland, moving west.

Minor engagements have occurred near the Warthe and on the road from Androwicz to Mielow, near Marnia.

In Galicia the Austrians in their retreat left behind them many soldiers ill with cholera at Jaroslaw, Przemyśl and villages on the San.

General Retreat of Austrians.

Paris, Nov. 7.—An official statement by the Russian General Staff is given in a Petrograd dispatch to the Havas Agency. It says:

"Fierce combats on the River San and south of Przemyśl, which have been going on for more than three weeks, resulted on Nov. 5, in a general retreat of the Austrians."

On the preceding night the Austrians made a last effort to resist our troops who were crossing the San. Until a late hour the enemy attacked on an extended front, taking the offensive in dense, successive lines, but everywhere they suffered enormous losses and were repulsed.

On Nov. 5 the enemy's columns commenced to move from the San in the direction of Dukla Pass, across the Carpathians, and south of Przemyśl, seeking everywhere to leave the battle front. We pursued them energetically all along the line.

The abandonment by the main Austrian forces of the line of the San is the result of the victorious battle fought at the end of September, the objective purpose of which was to block the offensive of the Austro-German armies against Warsaw and Lvov.

At the beginning of October our troops were engaged along a front extending for 350 miles and passing through Warsaw, Kozienica, Przemyśl, and Czembova. Forward Oct. 20, we succeeded in gaining a decisive success over the Germans on the left bank of the Vistula, in the region of Warsaw, that is to say, on the right wing of our general strategic front.

Our next object was to strike from the north those portions of the enemy's forces still holding positions on the Vistula and the San. In the fighting, which lasted from Oct. 20 to 22, we succeeded in breaking the stubborn resistance of the Austro-German army in the Kozienica-Lvov region, and in the danger of being turned beyond Pilsa, this army fell back, pursued by our troops.

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THE WAR SITUATION.

BY THE MILITARY EXPERT OF THE NEW YORK TIMES.
(An Associate Editor of The Army and Navy Journal.)

The arrival at the battle front of the Belgian border of three new corps of German troops means the continuation of the German aggressive campaign in this field with increased vigor.

By shifting their attacks from the swampy district along the coast to the higher rolling country, south of Ypres, the Germans get the advantage of the better roads and the firmer ground for the manoeuvres of their artillery.

In spite of the fact that they are advancing straight against entrenched lines, they can do this with chances of success, provided they can mass sufficient artillery at their point of attack.

By moving their guns at night to concealed positions, within range of the enemy's line, they are able to start the fighting with a sudden burst of shells that so sweeps the trenches of their opponents as to force every one to keep under cover.

It is conditions like this that test the staying power of troops. They must crouch down in their bomb-proofs, watching the havoc that is spread by the shells as they burst in the rear of the positions. This impresses upon them most vividly the danger that awaits them when they are called to man the parapets, that they must be ready to spring forward promptly when the command comes in order to deliver the rifle fire that will check the assaulting columns in the last stages of their attack.

It is this use of artillery and of the protection of the bomb-proofs, or, as they are called in the trench, that has so often brought the troops to close quarters in the present war.

The fighting in Cuba during the Spanish war gave very few chances for bayonet work, while the battles of the Boer war in South Africa were decided with 300 to 500 yards distance between the fighting lines.

By 1903 the bayonet was believed by many military authorities to be obsolete for fighting in open country, and the United States abandoned the rifle bayonet for the use of her armies.

The stubborn fighting of the great war in Manchuria in 1905 showed decisively that determined troops would wait for an actual clash of forces before the outcome could be decided. All nations that went back to preparing bayonet fighting and armed their infantry with long bayonets to be fastened on the ends of their rifles.

France made the greatest effort to give her soldiers the advantage of longer reach in this infighting and provided a bayonet and rifle that together have a reach of six feet. The Germans came next with a weapon only four inches shorter. The weights of the respective arms are the same, but the French gain their extra length by supplying a thin blade that is easily snuffed off. Accounts from the battlefields state that the French often lost their bayonets at the first thrust and have to continue the fighting with clubbed guns. The British rifle and bayonet are much shorter than the Germans, but the soldiers of their regular army are rated the best fighters of the world.

Just as in any other form of close fighting long reach gives an advantage, but in bayonet fighting particularly it is more than offset by alertness in parrying the thrusts and in strength to make a quick riposte. Just as the Roman soldiers, armed

against Warsaw forced the Russians behind the Vistula. Their deployment, however, was delayed by the bloody and successful attacks of the armies of Gen. von Hindenburg and Dr. Driess.

After calling the already reported Austrian successes in Galicia by which they have driven back the Russians from the Vistula, the report continues:

"The situation brought about superior numbers in Russian Poland into action, but were forced to direct them in a southwesterly direction instead of contemplated against Germany. Hindenburg and Dankl retired before the Russians, who kept pressing in fresh corps. The Russians followed, but did so slowly."

Our advance in Russian Poland brought it about that the Russians were diverted from their contemplated main attack on German Poland, and all their forces were engaged in operations on a front contemplated by us.

VIENNA DENIES DEFEAT.

Withdrawal Made with Entire Success, Embassy Here Is Told.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 7.—Summarizing dispatches received from Vienna since Nov. 1, a statement issued tonight by the Austrian Embassy states that the Austrian forces which withdrew from Ivanogorod now hold new positions in Galicia which have been successfully defended against all Russian assaults.

The statement follows:

"On the Vistula-San line, because of encountering superior Russian forces, first the German left wing at Ivanogorod, and then our army in action near Ivanogorod, voluntarily withdrew. The withdrawal was accomplished with entire success and without any disorganization."

The new grouping of these forces, carrying out the retirement, established the line through Kutno, Rawa, and Radom, and the junction of the San and Vistula Rivers.

"In Galicia, the positions occupied were held at all points, despite violent attacks by the Russians, which were repulsed with heavy losses to the attackers."

"In Serbia we took strong Serbian positions in the district between the Save and Drina Rivers. Otherwise the situation is not altered."

In Bosnia the province has been cleared of the enemy.

The bombardment of Cattaro (by the Allies) continues without success. It is characteristic of the unscrupulous conduct of the Russians that a price of 80,000 rubles has been offered for the capture or assassination of the commanders of our army. As a result, an attempt was made on the life of one of our commanding Generals, which, however, was fortunately frustrated."

ALL REARGUARD ACTIONS.

Russians on the Heels of the Retreating Austro-German Force.

with their famous short swords were able to conquer the world, so will expert soldiers of the present day win the victory in the bayonet fighting, regardless of the length of their weapons.

The new attacks of the Germans, northeast of Nancy, can hardly have been made in sufficient strength to check the French in this district unless they have been sending to this region some of the reinforcements that have recently been reported as moving to the aid of their Western allies.

Climatic conditions call for them to make a great effort during the next month to break down the resistance of the Allies in France. The two regions where they can best mass their troops for this purpose are near Arras in the north, and near Nancy in the south. It may be that the German plan includes strong aggressive moves in both of these fields.

The reports from the fighting in Poland indicate that the Russians are again concentrating their main efforts upon crushing the Austro-German armies. The German Army along the East Prussian border is for the present allowed to retain its position.

The Russians aim only to hold this force to the border while they send to the south every man that can be spared in order to make sure of success in their theatre selected for their principal operations.

During their seventy-five-mile retreat in Poland the Germans have destroyed all the railroads and highway bridges. A rapid pursuit by the Russians would land them opposite the German armies with largely reduced strength and deprived of the support of their heavy artillery.

The Russians are apparently going slow and taking precautions to have their full strength in hand before they move against the German line near the Polish border. Meanwhile they are pressing their main attacks to the southwest in the effort to drive the Austrians back from Kielce to the Vistula River. Already the Russian advance in this district has forced the Austrians again to abandon their defensive lines along the San River.

The Austrians are now falling back toward Tarnow, where they checked the Russian advance in the campaign of September.

If the Russians are able to carry out their strategic move by way of Kielce, however, the Austrians will be unable to make a stand on the Donajec River at Tarnow, but will have to make a rapid retreat to Cracow in order to obtain the strong support of their fortifications in the effort to stop the Russian invasion.

These continued Russian successes in Poland are having a direct influence on the campaign in France. Germany has been counting throughout the war on massing her strength first in one direction and then in the other. While the Russians are so closely following up her troops on the east, it is impossible for her to make any large shifts to the west without inviting disaster during the transfer of troops when both borders are deprived of their services.

If Russia succeeds in ousting the Germans from Poland and capturing from the Austrians their Galician province, these successes are likely to influence the attitude of the nations that are now hesitating as to taking part in the present war.

REPORTS THE CAPTURE OF 15,000 SERBIANS

Austrians Now Operating in Their Territory, to the Southwest of Belgrade.

LONDON, Nov. 7.—An official statement issued in Vienna, and reaching here by way of Amsterdam, says:

"On the 7th, in the southern war theatre, the Austrians made a great success, strongly fortified behind barbed wire entanglements in the district of Complanine and south of Shabatz (Serbia), are progressing slowly. The strategically important Heights of Misar were captured and 200 prisoners taken."

"Together with these operations we began yesterday an attack on the position near Kropotnik, some 20 miles south of Belgrade. The details cannot yet be published. Yesterday some Serbian reinforcements were taken prisoner, 15,000 men, four cannon, and six machine guns were taken."

GERMANS OCCUPYING THEIR WINTER LINES

Falling Back Everywhere to Strong Defensive Positions Near Their Border.

By Percival Gibson.

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LONDON, Nov. 7.—The Evening News, which began the recent campaign against the employment of Germans in London hotels, today says:

"We are receiving complaints from Englishmen in New York as to the attitude of the Ritz-Carlton Hotel there, now the centre of the anti-British propaganda in the United States."

"We shall be glad to receive in confidence information as to the finances and personnel of the Ritz-Carlton group both in Great Britain and in the United States. We have already much information in our possession."

Regarding the charge that the Ritz-Carlton hotels were the centres of anti-British propaganda, this statement was given out at the Ritz-Carlton in New York last night by an officer of the company.

"No anti-British propaganda has gone out from the hotel here with the sanction of the operating or owning companies. What has happened is easily explained. Many of the Ambassadors in Washington, including those from Germany, Austria, Russia, Turkey, and Holland, and several attaches of the British Embassy have rooms in the Ritz-Carlton, and when the war began most of them came to the hotel because New York was the centre of activity in the United States."

"In many cases the embassies were practically transferred from Washington to the Ritz-Carlton. Now, many of these foreign representatives issued statements from their rooms setting forth the claims of their respective sides, and it is quite possible that fanatical Englishmen, seeing statements coming, for example, from Count von Bernstorff at the Ritz-Carlton, have classed the statements as 'propaganda.'"

"We have connected them with the hotel company because the hotel was mentioned as the German Ambassador's temporary address. But the utterances of foreign representatives and other guests of the hotel have been the only ground for complaint of any violation of neutrality on the part of the Ritz-Carlton Company."

"Furthermore, contrary to general belief, the Ritz-Carlton hotels in New York and Philadelphia are not controlled by foreign capital. Robert W. Goetz, owner of the hotel here, and P. A. B. Widener owns that in Philadelphia. The operating companies are incorporated in the United States, and more than three-fifths of the stock in each company is owned by Americans residing in America."

"The remaining two-fifths in each case is owned sparingly by Englishmen, Germans, Swiss, and other foreigners. Both hotels are American hotels and are not connected with the English hotels except that there is co-operation between the management here and there."

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REPORTS THE CAPTURE OF 15,000 SERBIANS

Austrians Now Operating in Their Territory, to the Southwest of Belgrade.

LONDON, Nov. 7.—An official statement issued in Vienna, and reaching here by way of Amsterdam, says:

"On the 7th, in the southern war theatre, the Austrians made a great success, strongly fortified behind barbed wire entanglements in the district of Complanine and south of Shabatz (Serbia), are progressing slowly. The strategically important Heights of Misar were captured and 200 prisoners taken."

"Together with these operations we began yesterday an attack on the position near Kropotnik, some 20 miles south of Belgrade. The details cannot yet be published. Yesterday some Serbian reinforcements were taken prisoner, 15,000 men, four cannon, and six machine guns were taken."

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The correspondent adds that the Persian Government and the American Minister at Teheran, John L. Caldwell,

have protested to Russia against this alleged infraction of international law.

PETROGRAD, Nov. 7.—The entire northern part of Persia is being flooded with placards, printed on Turkish presses, urging the Persians to unite with the Turks in the present warfare against Russia, according to dispatches reaching Petrograd from Teheran. These placards refer to the Persians as "brethren in the Faith," and make use of the term, "The Holy War on Russia."

The Persian Government, however, is strongly opposed to any action at the present time on the part of Persia. The Government's object is to safeguard Persian territory against permanent occupation by Turkish or Russian troops. This view is shared in parliamentary circles.

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The English Church in Berlin has not yet been closed. Service will be held there as usual in the English language.

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Large four skin-muff and animal scarf to match

38.00

BRITISH CIVILIANS INTERNED.

Males Between 17 and 56 Sent to a German Detention Camp.

BERLIN, (via London), Nov. 7.—The police at 6 o'clock Friday morning notified all Englishmen from the ages of 17 to 56 to report to the police stations for transportation to Ruhleben, near Berlin. They were advised to bring two blankets, sheets, and so forth. The exodus is now proceeding.

Ruhleben has hitherto been chiefly used as a camp for Russians, but about 100 Englishmen, subjects of suspicion

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BLOCK OF WOUNDED PASSING TO THE REAR

On They Come, Hundreds of
Them, All Bandaged, Filling
Road from Hedge to Hedge.

AND HUNGRY FOR TOBACCO

Friendly Motorists Dispense Cigars
and Cigarettes—Men of Many Na-
tions, from Scotland to Hindustan.

Special Correspondence of THE NEW YORK
TIMES.

PARIS, Oct. 30.—We were crossing a
battleground four days old. It was re-
markable how it resembled the ordi-
nary kind of field. The French had
conquered quickly at this point and the
dead had been buried. Except for fre-
quent mounds of earth headed by sticks
forming a cross; except for the marks
of shrapnel in the roads and on the
trees; except for the desolation of every
living thing, this country side was at
peace.

The sun was shining. The frost had
brought out flaming tints on the hills.
It was glorious Indian Summer. The
road we were motoring wound far
away through the battlefield. For the
armies had fought over a front of
many miles. We traveled slowly. As
we topped a rise we stopped and
searched into the valley below with
our glasses. A mile away in the cup
of the valley we saw a moving mass.
It filled the roadway from hedge to
hedge and appeared to be approaching
us. We drove more slowly and stopped
several times. We saw that the moving
mass stretched back a considerable
distance—perhaps the length of a city
block. We stopped our engine and
waited in the road.

As the mass came nearer it outlined
itself into men. We saw that they were
soldiers, but we could not distinguish
the uniform. So we waited. We even
got our papers ready to show if neces-
sary. Then we saw that the soldiers
were not of the same regiment that
their uniforms were conglomerate. We
saw the misfit of the French line reg-
iments, the gay trappings of the Spanish
and Chasseurs d'Afrique, the skirt
trousers of the Zouaves of Tunisia and
Sénégalais, the khaki of the English
Tommyes, and the turbans of the Hin-
dustanis. But all these men in the varied
costumes of the Army of the Allies
wore one common mark—a bandage.
Arm or head or face was wrapped in
white cloth. For these on whom we
waited were the wounded who could
walk. They were going from the battle
trenches to the rear.

The men in the front rank glanced
wonderingly at the big motor that
blocked the middle of the road and
moved aside in either direction. Those
behind did likewise, until there was a
lane for the car to pass. But we waited.
As the front rank came level with us,
a dust-coated British Tommy, with a
bandage over one eye, winked his good
eye at us and touched his cap in sal-
ute. We took our hats off at the
tragic crowd surrounded us. The Tom-
my sat down on our running board and
I handed him a cigarette.

"Is this France or Belgium?"

The cigarette established cordial re-
lations at once. Tommy's lean face was
browned by the sun and streaked with
dirt. About the bandage which encir-
led his head and crossed his right eye
were cakes of dirt. He asked me, "Is
this France, or is it Belgium?" At my
answer he squirmed around on the
running board, called to a companion
in khaki just coming up, his arm in a
sling. E says his France. The
other shrugged his shoulder indiffer-
ently and saluted us.

I asked the man concerning the battle
but again he only shrugged his shoul-
der. The man on the running board
turned his eye upward and said: "It's
all that war it is." I replied that my
question had to do with the course of
the battle—which side was winning; and
he, too, shrugged at that. Then he
arose and plodded on, and I gave a
cigarette to his companion.

A score of men stood about the front
of the car, where the chauffeur was
busy handing out apples and pears. My
companion was busy on the opposite
side with a dozen French infantrymen,
telling the latest news from Paris and
giving out newspapers. I leaned over
them, the box of cigarettes still in my
hand. A tall Senegalese standing back
from the group caught sight of the box
and called out: "Cigarettes, eh?" I
motioned him to my side of the car. He
came running weakly, followed by fifty
others. I handed out until that box and
several others that I dug from my
valise were exhausted. I called several
times that I had no more, but still they
crowded about, stretching out their
arms and crying: "Cigarettes, eh?"

One of my companions warned me
that we might ourselves feel the want
of tobacco—that money would not buy
it in the country we were traversing,
because it did not exist. We still had
a box of cigars, and I had several loose
in my pocket.

The black face of a Turco appeared
at the car window. One arm was in a
bandage and a bandage was wound about
his brow. But his eyes shone brightly
at the thought of tobacco, and at the
smell of it now arising on all sides.
He was tobacco hungry. He was more
than that. He was tobacco starving.
He poked his other arm into the car.
He motioned him to crowd his entire
bulk into the window so that the others
would not see.

Then I gave him a cigar. He hung over
the car frame as I held out the lighted
tip of my own cigar. He puffed a
cloud into the interior. He looked at
his cigar fondly and seemed to meas-
ure its length. It was a good cigar. If
it had been a miserable cheroot his
regard would have been directed toward
another puff and drew a complete
mouthful into his lungs. His cheeks
bulged and his eyes glittered inward as
though he looked at the tip of his
nose. Again he held the cigar close
to his eyes and seemed to measure its
length. Finally he poured forth the
smoke from nose and mouth and ejacu-
lated the only English word he knew,
"Good!"

Simply knew they'd been fighting.
I nodded and asked in French where
he had been fighting. He cocked his
head toward the fore part of the car
and took another puff. I asked him
where he had been wounded, and he
replied that he did not know, but that
it occurred in the trenches "la bas."

I asked him how long he had been
fighting in France—how long since he
had left Africa—and he spread his arm
far out to indicate that the time had
been long. I asked him where he was
going; he rolled his eyes to the rear of
the car and said that he did not know.
I sank back in my seat and he climbed
down into the road. Most of the troop
had limped off to the few still linger-
ing we indicated that our stock of
things to give away was exhausted.
They eyed us wistfully and then passed on.
The chauffeur asked if he should
start the car, but some one said: "No;
let's wait until they all pass." The
rear guard struggled up; many were
ready to drop with fatigue and pain
and loss of blood. I asked a Britisher
how long they had been on the road.
He replied, "since sunrise," and poked
stolidly on. It was then between the
sank down for moments under the trees
by the road side. The chauffeur stopped
and asked our chauffeur to tighten a
thumb of his bandage. We asked him
where they were going and he replied
vaguely: "To the rear."

"And what then?" one of us asked.

"Oh, I hope we will all be fighting
again soon," he replied.

They were all like that. They wanted
to be fighting again soon. They were
not happy. They were not unhappy.
They were indifferent, more or less,
made so by utter fatigue and the pain
of their wounds. But they all wanted
to be fighting again soon.

We watched them top the hill and dis-
appear down the long road "to the
rear."

The last straggler, his head
bound with white and red, vanished.
They were all privates—common men of
all the world from Scotland to Hin-
dustan. The majority were coming from
and going they knew not where, and
wanting to fight again.

It's strange how the car



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Union Suits. regularly 1.00, 75c
Extra Sizes. regularly 1.25, 1.00

Extraordinary Reductions
DRESSMAKING DEPARTMENT

Imported Models—also Exclusive Styles, originated in our own workrooms

Suits 65.00 to 175.00
formerly 95.00 to 275.00

Gowns 65.00 to 250.00
formerly 125.00 to 450.00

WOMEN'S DRESSY WRAPS & COATS

Smart Coat, as illustrated,—No. 5, of
Corduroy Velvet with fur collar; hand-
somely lined. value \$22.00, 32.00

Dressy Coat of Duveltyne, as illus-
trated, No. 2—collar and cuffs of "Tiger-
ette" Plush or self colored Velvet. value 45.00, 32.00

Evening Wraps of Imported Plush
or Broadtail Cloth, lined and prettily
trimmed. 25.00, 29.50 and 39.50
value 45.00 to 65.00

Afternoon and Evening Wraps of
Imported Chiffon Velvet, copies of
latest Foreign models, 38.00 and 49.50
value 65.00 to 69.50

Theatre Wraps of Chiffon Velvet, with
fur collar; full lined and interfaced.
values 65.00 and 85.00, 38.00 and 55.00

Smart Coats of Corduroy Velvet,
prettily lined. value \$22.00, 23.50

Evening Wraps of Imported Chiffon
Broadcloth, with collar of Iceland Fox;
warmly lined and interfaced. 25.00
value 35.00

Dressy Model in Wool Fabrics, suit-
able for street and afternoon wear.
22.50, 25.00 and 35.00
value 32.50 to 47.50

Black Broadcloth Coats,—lined; pret-
tily trimmed. 16.50, 19.50 and 24.50
value 25.00 to 35.00

Smart Afternoon Coats, in the newest fabrics value 12.50, 9.50

Travel and Motor Coats, with fur collar; a variety of materials. 18.50 and 25.00

Afternoon and Street Coats, in Broadtail or Persian Lamb Cloth. value 27.50, 19.50

Practical Coats of Black Broadcloth, silk lined; some trimmed. For stout figures. Sizes 44 to 55
bust measure. value 35.00, 28.00

Street Coats of various fabrics. Sizes incomplete. value 17.50 to 25.00, 7.50, 9.50 and 12.75

Smart Utility Coats of Seal Plush, with fur collar; suitably lined. 19.50 and 24.50

Utility Coats of Broadtail Cloth, beautifully marked. value 29.50, 19.50

Raincoats of Showerproof Cloth. values 16.50 and 19.50, 9.50 and 12.50

Raincoats of Imported Rubberized materials, guaranteed. value 9.50, 7.50

"McCREERY'S SILKS"

Famous Over Half a Century
The Finest Silk the World Produces

Prevailing weaves and colors in fashionable Silks, Satins, Chiffons and Velvets. Elaborate
new Period designs in Pompadour Silks. Exquisite Novelties in Metal Brocades for Evening
Wear; latest tones of subdued colors for afternoon wear. Black Silks of Standard Qualities
for general utility wear at Reasonable Prices.

The following Weaves in Double Width Dress Silks are shown in our usual wide range of
latest colors, also White, Cream or Black:

Genuine Crepe Meteor. values 1.50 and 2.00, yd. 98c and 1.35
All Silk Crepe de Chine. values 1.25 and 1.75, yd. 88c and 1.35
Satin Messaline. values 1.25 and 1.75, yd. 95c and 1.25

Velvet Department

Another Shipment of Superior Quality, Double Width
Chiffon Dress Velvet

A Parisian selection of this season's most fashionable colors, including
the new Bordeaux series of shades and Black. value 5.50, yd. 2.85

Colored & Black Dress Goods

5,000 Yards of the newest Brown and Green Woolen Dress Fabrics in a large variety of
styles especially adapted to this season's coat-suits. yd. 1.10 to 1.95

Imported Tartan Plaid Suitings. value 1.25, yd. 88c

Imported Black Broadcloth,—sponged and shrunk. value 5.00, yd. 1.95

ENGLAND TO FIND WORK FOR BELGIANS

Relief Committee, Government,
and Labor Organization Work-
ing Together on the Problem.

YIELDS TO PUBLIC OPINION

Fear That Continued Idleness Will
Have a Bad Effect on the
Refugees.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
LONDON, Nov. 7.—Those in charge of
the Belgian refugees in England have
at last yielded to the public opinion
that some consideration should be given
to employing these people, on the ground
of the unhappiness and degeneration
which would follow the complete idleness
for an indefinite time of the work-
ing population.

Hitherto the Belgian Relief Com-
mittee has resisted the idea of employing
the refugees, on the ground that it
would unsettle the English labor mar-
ket and that Belgians might not be
anxious to return to their own country
and take up the hardships of rebuild-
ing the invaded territory if they were
comfortably settled and employed in
England. Lady Lugard, from the first,
was one member of the Belgian Relief
Committee who favored finding employ-
ment for the refugees, and she has
been instrumental in organizing the
"Belgian Employment and Repatriation
Committee," which at present is
working upon this problem in conjunc-
tion with the committee of the Govern-
ment under the Chairmanship of Sir
Eugene Hatch. An advisory committee
consisting entirely of Belgians is also
in process of formation.

The object of these committees will
be to place the Belgian labor now res-
ident in England in those trades which
need workmen or workwomen, and to
do this in such a manner that it will
not arouse the jealousy of the English
working people. To this end a labor
representative has a seat on the Gov-
ernment committee which is looking
into this question. It is also planned
to employ as many Belgians as pos-
sible upon the land, because it is felt
their traditional skill in intensive cul-
tivation will be very useful. Other
trades in which many of the refugees
are skilled laborers are the zinc indus-
try, lacemaking, and diamond cutting.

BELGIAN RELIEF SHIP SAILS.

Jan Block Carries 2,000 Tons of
Supplies from London.

LONDON, Nov. 7.—The steamer Jan
Block, laden with 2,000 tons of sup-
plies for the relief of Belgians, which
were purchased by the American Relief
Commission, sailed from London today
for Rotterdam. Tomorrow the steamer
Tallus will depart with 1,700 tons of
wheat.

Herbert C. Hoover, Chairman of the
American Commission, has received a
report from Alderman Jacobson Maes
describing the relief work in Brussels.
The city has been divided into twenty-
one districts, in each of which a local
committee arranges for the distribution
of supplies. Bread and soup are de-
livered to these committees before 10
o'clock every morning from a central
kitchen, where thirty-six cooks and
fifty assistants begin preparing the soup
at 2:30 A. M. The soups are divided
into two squads, and their work is su-
pervised by a special committee, of
which Senator Cattaui and the Presi-
dent of the Brussels Hotel and Restau-
rant Society are members. While the
soup is being conveyed by fourteen trol-
ley cars to the distribution centres the
cooks immediately begin preparations
for the next day's supply.

WON'T BAR GERMAN STUDENTS

Rhodes Scholarship Trustees Will
Welcome Them After the War.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
LONDON, Nov. 7.—Dr. George R.
Parkin, organizing representative of the
Rhodes Trust, states authoritatively
that there is no intention of annulling

the codicil to Cecil Rhodes's will mak-
ing provision for the allocation of a
number of Oxford scholarships to Ger-
man students.
"We should be sorry to lose them,"
he says. "In future we would like to
see a new Germany arise which would
send men again, to justify Mr. Rhodes's
hope about the influence of his schol-
arships."

AMERICAN UNDER FIRE.

Richard Norton Describes German
Attack on French Village.

Elliot Norton of 2 Rector Street has re-
ceived the following letter, dated Le
Doulap, France, Oct. 28, from his
brother, Richard Norton, who is with

the American Volunteer Motor Ambu-
lance Corps at the French front:

Here we are some fifteen miles north
of Amiens, which town we reached
day before yesterday in the evening,
having left Boulogne in the morning.
In the afternoon we went to Albert, a
town the Germans laid flat about a
month ago. We were about a kilo-
meter from the town when a motor met

and stopped us. Out of it stepped the
Mayor of Albert, who said the Ger-
mans had just begun to bombard the
place again. Sure enough we heard
the guns. Along the road behind the
Mayor streamed all the poor villagers,
with their few pitiable belongings. One
had two small tables on a barrow,
others had bread and eatables in
cloths hung over their shoulders, ba-
bies in perambulators, and little chil-
dren and old people stumbling along as

fast as they could. They had during
the last days begun to return to the
ruined town, and now were driven
into the fields again. They were
without plan of where to go, but were
footing it across the fields, settling for
the night under the haystacks. They
were not sure who was left in the
village, or whether there were any
wounded, so we left the motor and
went on.

The Germans were shooting with
their big guns and field artillery and
were apparently trying to hit a sugar
factory and the railway station. At
the first houses we found an old peas-
ant behind a thick holly tree, who said
there was no one left, so the shells
were falling about 150 yards off. We
withdrew, filled the car with some ten
women and children and took them to
a village. That was my first experi-
ence of war, and in many ways it was
less unpleasant than having Arabs pot

at me by night down at Cyrene.
This morning we received orders to
come here, where many wounded are
being brought from the firing line a
few miles away. The officers here are
a very pleasant lot, and greatly
pleased at the evidence we give of
American sympathy.
The work we have started is a good
one, so go on and get all the money
you can and any food, sound volun-
teers. Pass this letter on, will you?

Broadway

Saks & Company

at 34th Street

An exceptional sale tomorrow of Women's Fancy Tailored & Three-Piece Costume Suits

reproducing the most advanced styles in tailored modes, at prices which
are substantially lower than the customary reproduction figures
for tailored garments of such character and distinction.

Suits at \$23.50 Suits at \$28.50 Suits at \$37.50

Customary price, \$35
Fur or broadtail trimmed

The newest short and medium length
coat suits, with circular flare or double
ripple skirt, tailored in broadcloth, gabar-
dine, wool faille and chevots.

Customary price, \$45
Fur-trimmed

Short coat, sport coat and military
models, with new flare or circular skirt,
in broadcloth, corduroy, gabardine, wool
faille and Duveltyne.

Customary price, \$65
Velvet-trimmed

Three-piece costume suits, made of chif-
fon broadcloth, with fancy chiffon blouse,
velvet trimmed, fancy skirt and a stylish
medium length coat. Fourth floor

A most important sale tomorrow of 550 pairs of Women's

\$7.00 Buckskin Overgaiter Boots at \$4.85

This is the finest value this season in polite footwear

A new button model, made with vamp and heel foxing of patent coltskin, or black
Russia calf; leather Louis heels, and genuine buckskin overgaiter tops in gray or faun.

We have prepared specially for tomorrow

An important sale of Women's Party and Dancing Frocks

and the savings prove it!

New models that will lend lustre to the occasions for which they are
designed—distinctive creations, chosen especially because they are
divergent and unusual. Developed in those most wanted of even-
ing materials, crepe de Chine, satin, and crepe meteor, and shown
in festive pastel shades. Fourth floor

Dancing Frocks of Crepe de Chine \$15.00
Value \$20.00.....special at

Made of excellent quality crepe de Chine, with very full pointed envelope
tunic, 3½ yards wide and surplice draped waist. Sleeves of net. In light
blue, maize, white, pink and Nile green. Sizes 34 to 42.

Evening Gowns of Crepe Meteor or Satin \$18.50
Value \$25.00.....special at

The newest full circular tunic skirt, lace waist pointed with silk, and shirred
girdle with sash. The neck trimmed with rhinestones. Crepe de meteor or
satin, in white, Nile green, maize, pink and light blue. Sizes 34 to 42.

Callot Model Frocks of Satin Charmeuse \$18.50
Value \$25.00.....special at

Designed with V neck of net, sleeves and underbust of silk lace, and smart
draped tunic skirt, flower-trimmed. The assortment includes pink, light
blue, white, maize and Nile green. Sizes 34 to 42.

Lace and Satin Dancing Dresses \$25.00
Value \$35.00.....special at

Tunic skirt of lace on band of satin, with two accordion pleated flounces of
net. Satin surplice waist, and sleeves and front of waist of net. Entire dress
over pink, light blue or Nile green. Sizes 34 to 42.

The Saks Blouse Shop Announces for tomorrow

An unusually important sale of Fine Blouses

comprising the prettiest conceits of the hour and
marked at prices which are the event of the moment.

Shadow Lace Blouses
Special at \$3.95

White over flesh chiffon, or black
over white, daintily trimmed with
shadow lace and silk soutache braid.

Crepe de Chine Blouses
Special at \$5.00

Handsomely embroidered crepe de
Chine styles, designed with the new
button-up collar.

Crepe de Chine Blouses
Special at \$5.95

The crepe de Chine of a heavy
quality, hand-embroidered in Wall of
Troy design. Newest collar effects.

Crepe de Chine Blouses
Special at \$3.95

Double-breasted model, with mil-
itary collar and revers, the front of
blouse bound with soutache braid.

Embroidered Net Blouses
Special at \$5.95

Made of embroidered net, com-
bined with navy, green or brown
chiffon—new, novel and smart.

Sand Color Blouses
Special at \$5.95

Of crepe de Chine in a smart
model, trimmed with soutache braid
and large novelty buttons. 3rd floor

Black Velvet Blouses at \$5.95

The very newest mode in black blousewear

Model No. 1

Of black chiffon velvet,
with military collar,
black chiffon sleeves
and smart jet buttons.

Model No. 2

Of panne velvet, with
long chiffon sleeves,
and collar, cuffs and
revers of white satin.

Model No. 3

Of panne velvet, in
sleeveless model, with
double-breasted front,
and soutache braid.

Sale of Hair Goods

Every three months we reassemble our hair stock, and close
out a limited number of switches and transformations at re-
duced prices. These are the reductions tomorrow:

\$4 and \$5 Wavy Switches.....reduced to \$3.50
\$4 and \$5 Wavy Gray Switches.....reduced to \$3.50
\$5 and \$6 Wavy Transformations.....reduced to \$4.50
Obtainable in practically all shades. Experts in attendance.

Special for Monday only

Superior quality Silk Petticoats

\$4.00, \$4.50 & \$5.00 values
at \$2.90

Five of the season's latest models.
Two styles developed in Silk Jersey.
Three styles made of peau de cygne.
All in black and the new street shades.
Fresh merchandise made expressly for this sale.
And values that are unequalled anywhere. 3rd floor

For Monday only

Boys' Norfolk Suits

With extra knickers,
Value \$7.50—special at \$5.00

Made of fine all-wool cassimeres and chevots, in the
newest designs and colorings, and tailored into natty
Norfolk models. Style in the cut, service in the cloth,
and sanity in the value. Ages 7 to 18 years.

Boys' \$7.50 Chinchilla Overcoats at \$4.95

Made of an all-wool chinchilla cloth, in double breasted
Balmacaan and half-belted models, with convertible
collar and lining of plaid wool flannel. Splendidly
tailored garments that will outwear expectations.
Ages 3 to 10 years. Second floor

A special Fur feature tomorrow

Seal Muskrat Coats

worth \$90 and \$120

at \$75 and \$90

We have reproduced two new flare skirt models in this
fine muskrat fur—one 38 inches and the other 45
inches long. But this cursory designation is totally
inadequate to convey the singular beauty of their lines,
and only examination can disclose the fine workman-
ship and finish which our own furriers have put into
them. They are made of choice selected skins and
are handsomely lined. 6th floor

Matched Sets of Natural Skunk—Special

\$40.00.....Four Skin Muffs.....at \$24.50
\$65.00.....Six Skin Muffs.....at \$49.50
\$27.50.....Two Skin Neckpieces.....at \$19.50
\$48.00.....Four Skin Neckpieces.....at \$34.50

Sale of Cotton House Dresses

Desirable models, made of percale, gingham and pop-
lin, both light and dark colors. Sizes 34 to 50.

Regularly \$1 & \$1.50.....special.....at 69c
Regularly \$2.00.....special.....at \$1.00
Regularly \$5.00.....special.....at \$2.50

Children's \$10 to \$12 Coats—\$7.50

Warm Winter coats for little people. Made of Zibeline, chin-
chilla and corduroy, in various colorings, and in a selection of
pretty, practical models. 2 to 6 years. Second floor

Sale of Children's Sweaters

\$1.50 value at \$1.00 \$3.50 value at \$2.00
\$2.50 value at \$1.50 \$5.00 value at \$2.95
Gray, brown, navy and white. Not all sizes in any style,
but complete sizes in the lot as a whole. 2 to 5 years.

Looking forward to December 25th!

The Saks Leather Shop announces for tomorrow

A tremendous sale of Leather Novelties

which is nothing more nor less than an exhibition in leather,
presenting the cleverest, choicest conceits in leather craft,
at prices which tell their own story far better than we can!

\$3.50 Sewing Baskets at \$1.50

1,400 of them, in two sizes—
vachette leather cover on wicker
basket, with all necessary fittings.

\$5.50 Dressing Rolls at \$3.75

Black goat seal, with imitation
pigskin lining, fitted with military
brushes and 10 other toilet articles.

\$7.50 Watch Bags at \$4.75

1,000 fine velvet leather watch
bags, in the new pleated models
—no values ever like them.

\$2.50 Morocco Bags at \$1.65

Morocco bags on plain metal frame,
with four fittings—chiffon velvet
bags in new full shirred effect.

\$9.50 Party Boxes at \$5.95

Of fine beaver calf, in all colors,
moire lined; contain six gold-plated
fittings, mirror and moire purse.

\$8.50 Dressing Boxes at \$4.95

100 of them—of black long grain
Morocco, with violet moire lining,
mirror and 7 gold plated toilet articles.

\$6.50 Moire Bags at \$3.85

Just 150—deep pleated and oblong
pouch models, with inside com-
partments, mirror and purse.

\$6.50 Bags at \$2.95

A velvet leather bag, with self-
covered frame, inside compart-
ment and powder puff and mirror.

3,000 Leather Novelties

Regularly \$1.50 & \$2.00 apiece

\$1.00

Great!—both the values and the variety. Make a list of your Christmas requirements and
sail in. Jewel boxes, tie racks, sewing rolls, bachelor cases, telephone registers and leather
covered clocks, military brushes, cloth brushes, hat brushes and manicure articles

A Remarkable offering tomorrow of

Women's Coats and Evening Wraps

that are the six most
attractive values in town Fourth floor

Salts' Astrachan Coats
Value \$25.00

at \$15.00

Full flare models, large collar, revers
and cuffs of Salts' plush, and fasten-
ing with braid ornament. Full lined.

Ural Lamb Coats
Value \$35.00

at \$22.50

Full length model, with full collar of
kit fox or Hudson seal, and lined
throughout with yarn dyed satin.

Silk Corduroy Coats
Value \$35.00

at \$19.50

Full ripple model, with detachable
belt, and convertible collar. Lined
throughout with peau de cygne and
interlined. Selected in black, navy,
brown, taupe, white and beaver.

Fur Trimmed Coats
Value \$39.50

at \$25.00

Made of Albanian, Sylvanoff or
Matalam, with collar of leopard, nat-
ural or skunk raccoon, skunk opos-
sum, sable squirrel, civet cat or seal.
Full length and full lined.

Evening Wraps
Value \$37.50

at \$24.50

Circular ripple model of broadcloth,
with pointed sides, and collar and
cuffs of white moufflon. Lined with
brocade satin and interlined. Black
and the new colors.

Evening Wraps
Value \$50.00

at \$33.50

A Bernard model, made of broad-
cloth, with draped back and double
corded belt, the collar and cuffs of
white moufflon. Lined with peau de
cygne. Black and the new colors.

Special sale of Misses'

Fur-Trimmed Velvet Suits at \$35

And an intelligent comparison with prevailing prices for fur-
trimmed velvet suits will substantiate the statement that

the actual value of these suits is \$50

There are four models, all with the new wide circular flare skirt,
and each a novel and distinctive example of the vogue in short coat
suits. Very dressy styles, made of imported velveteen, in black,
Russian green, seal brown and navy, tailored with that excellence
which is the cumulative result of infinite pains, and

trimmed with natural or dyed,
raccoon and skunk opossum fur.

Plush Fur Coats \$19.50
Value \$29.50.....Special at

Dressy flare back, broad belted models, made of a fine quality fur plush, with
a smart new collar, which can be buttoned close to the neck. Lined through-
out with guaranteed satin. Sizes 14 to 18 years. Second floor

To close out—127 Misses' Dresses

\$16.50 Dresses
\$9.50

\$22.00 Dresses
\$12.50

\$29.50 Dresses
\$14.50

Just two or three of a kind, in many of the season's most favored models.
English serge, and satin and serge combined, in black and colors. 14 to
18 years. Second floor

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20 West 39th St.
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Special Sale
THIS WEEK IN OUR
Dress Department

Ground Floor
Seventy-five Distinctive
MODEL DRESSES

\$35.00 up
Regularly \$75.00 to
\$150.00

Assortment includes
Charmeuse trimmed
with Fur, Velvets, Nets
and Serges, combined
with Satin. All the
fashionable colors.

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Frocks, Evening Gowns
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Choice cut flowers, loose or
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Special City Delivery Service.
Street Floor

Exceptional Offerings of House Gowns, Negligees & Kimonos

At Less Than Usual Wholesale Prices

Jacquard and Flowered Silk, Flowered Satin and Novelty
Crepes, fitted or loose models

98c, \$1.25, \$1.95, \$2.95 & \$3.95

Imported Models of Albatross, very attractively hand em-
broided

\$2.95, \$3.95, \$5.95, \$6.95, & \$8.75

Crepe-de-Chine, fitted model.....\$3.95
Crepe-de-Chine, swansdown trimmed.....\$4.95

Odd Crepe-de-Chine House Gowns At About Half Their Former Value

Blanket Robes.....\$1.85
Japanese Elaborately Hand Embroidered Robes
\$7.95—Usually \$12.75

Very Attractive Imported House Gowns
Of Crepe-de-Chine, Albatross and Flannel
At Half Their Value

Muslin Underwear

Night Gowns of Fine Nainsook
Discontinued Models and Odd Sizes
At Greatly Reduced Prices
\$1.95, \$2.50, \$2.95 & \$3.95
The Former Prices Being \$3.25 to \$5.50

Envelope Chemises

Sheer materials, dainty lace trim-
mings.....\$1.25, \$1.95 & \$2.95

Embroidered Albatross Under Petticoats

Domestic.....\$1.25 & \$1.75
Imported.....\$1.95, \$2.65 & \$3.25

Under Bodices

Basque Bodices of Crepe-de-Chine.....\$2.65
Crepe-de-Chine, lace and elastic top.....\$1.95

Second Floor

Sale Beginning Tomorrow, Monday 10,000 Pairs Women's Gloves At Reduced Prices

Kayser Washable Leatherette Gloves
Two clasp, all white, and white embroid-
ered in black. Usually 75c per pair **50c**

Overseam Kid Gloves
Two clasp, black and white..... **87c**
Usually \$1.00 per pair

Mocha Gloves
All shades of grey, pique sewn..... **95c**
Usually \$1.25 per pair

Two Clasp Kid Gloves
Black with heavy white embroidery, and
white with heavy black embroidery..... **\$1.10**
Usually \$1.50 per pair

Extra Quality Velvet Finish Mocha Gloves
Full pique or pique seam sewn, in all the
shades of grey. Usually \$2.00 per pair **\$1.65**

16 Button Length Glace Kid Gloves
Overseam, 3 buttons at wrist..... **\$2.10**
Usually \$2.75 per pair

Street Floor

The First Big Clearance of Oriental Rugs

To Be Held in the New Fifth Avenue Store
To Give Even Better Values Than Heretofore

We have greatly reduced a number of lots taken from regular stock, among which

This Extraordinary Offering of Fine Kermanshah Carpets
At Half Former Prices

Sizes.	Former Prices.	Sale Prices.	Sizes.	Former Prices.	Sale Prices.
11.4 x 7.10.....	\$325.00	\$165.00	10.2 x 8.10.....	\$345.00	\$172.50
12.4 x 9.1.....	\$355.00	\$178.00	13.5 x 11.1.....	\$530.00	\$265.00
14.2 x 9.3.....	\$395.00	\$197.50	10.2 x 9.8.....	\$350.00	\$175.00
12.4 x 9.3.....	\$410.00	\$205.00	11.0 x 8.8.....	\$455.00	\$227.50
10.9 x 9.0.....	\$375.00	\$187.50	16.0 x 10.10.....	\$1200.00	\$600.00
10.7 x 9.8.....	\$375.00	\$187.50	22.5 x 13.5.....	\$1500.00	\$750.00
15.4 x 10.8.....	\$650.00	\$325.00	14.8 x 9.2.....	\$360.00	\$180.00

Fifth Floor.

Women's Winter Coats

Unsurpassed Values
Arranged for Monday

150 Smart Chinchilla Coats
For street or touring wear. Navy blue,
negre brown, gray, Oxford, Copenhagen
blue and black. Usually \$22.50 **\$12.50**

200 Street or Touring Coats

Smart models of fancy boucle, zibeline, wool plush, mixtures
and two-toned zibelines; many of them are lined throughout,
others are half lined.

\$19.50 & \$25.00

Fur Collared Corduroy Coats
Distinctive models, handsomely lined
throughout with peau-de-cygne and
warmly interlined. Black, navy, Rus-
sian green and negre brown. Usually \$45.00 **\$29.50**

Fur Collared Zibeline Coats
Two exceptionally good models hand-
somely lined throughout and warmly in-
terlined. Russian green, negre brown
and black. Usually \$39.50 **\$29.50**

Fancy Velour Coats
Suitable for street, afternoon or dressy
wear, lined with beautiful brocade and
warmly interlined. Usually \$35.00 **\$19.50**

**Fur Trimmed
Afternoon & Evening Wraps**
Of silk chiffon velvet richly lined and
warmly interlined. Black, amethyst,
sapphire, Copenhagen blue, white, rose,
taupe, brown and betrave. Usually \$85.00 **\$69.50**

**Fur Collared
Broadtail Cloth Coats**
Of a very fine quality, handsomely lined
and warmly interlined. Usually \$65.00 **\$45.00**

Third Floor

Important November Sale of "Lord & Taylor Linens"

Affording extraordinary inducements
for Thanksgiving Linen requirements
at Unusual Price Attractions.

Table Cloths & Napkins

in best Scotch and Irish Makes

At Less Than Today's Wholesale Prices.

Table Cloths

Sizes 2 x2 yards.....\$2.00, \$2.45, \$2.75 & \$3.10
Sizes 2 x2 1/2 yards.....\$2.50, \$2.95, \$3.38 & \$3.80
Sizes 2 x3 yards.....\$3.10, \$3.50, \$4.00 & \$4.50
Sizes 2 1/4 x2 1/4 yards.....\$2.75 to \$3.75
Sizes 2 1/2 x2 1/2 yards.....\$3.50 to \$4.75

Napkins to Match, \$2.60 & \$4.75 per dozen.

Some of the above cloths and napkins are hemmed ready
for use.

500 Dozen Hemstitched Huck Towels
\$2.95 per dozen—Usually \$4.20

**400 Dozen Madeira Hand Embroidered
Tea Napkins**

\$6.95 per dozen—Reduced from \$10.50 and \$12.00

French Hand Made Lace Trimmed Linen
Doilies, Centrepieces, Scarfs, Tea and Luncheon Cloths.
Averaging 50% Less Than Regular Prices.

Second Floor

An Attractive Offering of Women's Angora Sweaters

Very fine and very comfortable are these
sweaters with soft roll collars. They come in
all the leading shades—rose, Copenhagen blue,
tan, green and brown. The border and cuffs
being white, with a white sash striped at the
ends. Usually \$12.50 **\$7.00**

Fourth Floor

Elaborate Showing of Women's Waists

Introducing the most distinctive and latest models and
materials, both imported and domestic.

Special Values for Monday

Cream Lace & Net Combined
Over chiffon lining, dainty tie of black
moire finishing collar..... **\$3.95**

White Georgette Crepe Waists
Embroidered in black and white, collar and
cuffs of organdy or double frill of net..... **\$8.75**

**Cream Lace Combined with
Chiffon Cloth**
New ruche collar, front band finished with
tiny rose-buds..... **\$12.75**

Special Attention is called to

The Mourning Section for Blouses

Models in all black, and black combined with white
faile, organdy or batiste in Pussy willow, taffeta, geor-
gette crepe (plain and embroidered), chiffon cloth, crepe-
de-chine and net.

\$5.95, \$7.95, \$8.75 to \$58.50

Prices Ranging According to Materials (sizes 34 to 44)

Third Floor

Sale of Corsets

Remarkable Price Reductions

Mme. Irene Corsets

Silk Tricot Model
In pale pink and white, lightly boned, semi-
girder top and straight hips. Usually \$10.00 **\$5.00**

Successo Model
Of handsome brocade, medium low bust, free
over hip. Usually \$6.00 **\$2.95**

Closing Out Incomplete Sizes in
**American Lady, La Vida
Florida & Augustine Corsets**
\$1.25, \$1.95 & \$2.95
Usually up to \$7.50

Second Floor

An Interesting Display of Women's Dresses

Smart and effective models for afternoon and
evening wear are being shown in a large selection
of Silks, Velvets and Chiffons.

Excellent Values at
\$25.00 to \$235.00

According to style and material.

Sample Dresses
Therefore odd sizes and in some instances
only one of a model. Silk and a few in
velvet for afternoon or street wear. Special at **\$25.00**

Serge Dresses
in various models; good styles..... **\$15.00**

Third Floor

Semi-Annual Clearance Sale of Furniture At Great Reductions from Former Moderate Prices

**Adam Mahogany Dining Room
Suite** 10 Pieces..... Usually \$750.00 **\$500.00**



A highly artistic dining room suite, in which every
Adam detail is faithfully carried out. Buffet, 72
inches long; eight legs; swell front centre. China
Cabinet, 50 inches wide; bent front glass; four front
legs. Server, 46 inches wide; four front legs. Table,
54-inch top, 8-foot extension.

Sheraton Mahogany Suites
10 Pieces..... Usually \$275.00 **\$195.00**

Adam Mahogany Suites
10 Pieces..... Usually \$350.00 **\$240.00**

Georgian Oak Jacobean Suites
10 Pieces..... Usually \$500.00 **\$300.00**

Georgian Suite
10 Pieces..... Usually \$770.00 **\$500.00**

Elizabethan Suite
11 Pieces..... Usually \$1245.00 **\$1000.00**

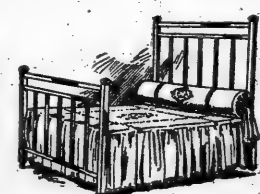
Suites and Separate Pieces that have played an important part in the most successful business the
Furniture Section has ever known will be closed out during this Sale.

We can only give a few examples here of the unusual values the sale affords.

Brass Bedsteads \$22.50

Usually \$40.00

Square tubing, 2-inch posts,
1-inch fillers, 1 1/4-inch top rods,
all sizes, bright or satin finish.



Box Springs, all regular
sizes..... **\$12.50**

**\$15.50 Layer Felt
Mattresses**..... **\$12.50**

Living Room Furniture

Buckingham Damask Suite
6 Pieces..... Usually \$1200.00 **\$900.00**

Solid Mahogany Suite
3 Pieces, brown velour..... Usually \$400.00 **\$300.00**

Large Mahogany Book Cases
Usually \$170.00 **\$125.00**

Handsomely Carved Mahogany Desk
Usually \$210.00 **\$125.00**

Sheraton Mahogany Book Case
Usually \$85.00 **\$42.50**

Red Morocco Leather Sofa
Large loose cushions..... Usually \$320.00 **\$250.00**

Arm Chair
To match the above..... Usually \$158.00 **\$100.00**

Early English Sofa
Upholstered in Spanish Leather..... **\$50.00**
Usually \$75.00

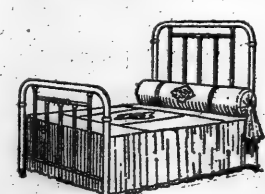
Fumed Oak Arm Rocker
Upholstered in Spanish Leather..... **\$35.00**
Usually \$47.50

Fumed Oak Arm Chairs or Rockers
Spanish leather spring seats. Usually \$27.00 **\$15.50**

Brass Bedsteads \$15.00

Usually \$25.00

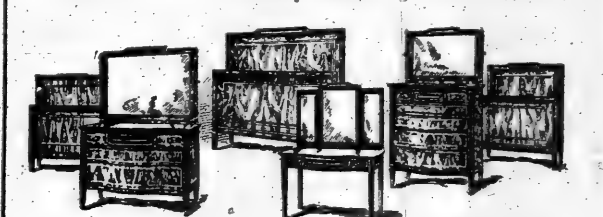
2-inch posts, 1-inch fillers; all
sizes; bright or satin finish;
square tubing in panels.



**\$31.50 Hair
Mattresses**..... **\$25.00**

**\$2.00 Pure Feather
Pillows**..... **\$1.50**

Bed Room Suite
4 Pieces..... Usually \$500.00 **\$300.00**



An elaborate Sheraton design in mahogany or Circassian wal-
nut. Dresser 52 inches long. Chiffonier 44 inches long, with
30-inch mirror. Toilet Table 44 inches long, with three mirrors.

Same Suite, with Twin Bedsteads, **\$360.00**
Usually \$575.00

Georgian Oak Bed Room Suite
Usually \$680.00 **\$330.00**

Antique Ivory Bed Room Suite
11 pieces, including twin bedsteads..... **\$395.00**
Usually \$608.50

Ivory Bed Room Suite
7 Pieces..... Formerly \$925.00 **\$500.00**

Bed Room Suites
Usually \$1200.00 to \$1350.00 **\$775.00**

Fine Adam Satinwood Suite
11 Pieces..... Usually \$2487.50 **\$1650.00**

CONSTRUCTIVE WORK DONE BY KINGSBURY

Winthrop D. Lane, in The Survey, Warmly Commends the Charities Commissioner.

REUNITED MANY FAMILIES

He Finds Special Examiners Men Particularly Qualified to Perform Department Labor.

The administration of the Department of Public Charities by John A. Kingsbury, which has been under fire during the investigation of the State Civil Service Commission, is warmly defended by Winthrop D. Lane in an article in The Survey of Nov. 7.

In obtaining the exemption from civil service examinations of forty-seven new examiners of charitable institutions, who began their work on July 13 as a "special investigation bureau," Mr. Lane argues that the work laid out for these new examiners was of an entirely different character from that done by the regular investigators. Mr. Lane says:

"Mr. Kingsbury had other plans for his prospective employees than merely ousting improper municipal charges from public and private institutions. He wanted to rehabilitate family homes in an effort to restore to them the dependents the city had been supporting. He wanted to dismiss from institutional care all those whose families or relatives, by a little constructive effort, could be put in position to support them. This might mean the reuniting of separated parents and the smoothing over of other family difficulties. It might mean finding suitable jobs for both men and women. It might mean any phase of the skillful case work done constantly by charity organization societies, but seldom attempted by the Department of Public Charities.

"The field work called for by his plan for the re-examination of dependents obviously required special training for and experience in social investigation. Workers would find it necessary to get accurate information with regard to family incomes, the mental condition of parents, records of unemployment, and many other facts calling for special information.

Mr. Lane says that sixteen of the special examiners were college or university graduates, twelve were high school graduates, and the remaining five had had an elementary school education. All but five had been students of social conditions and these five possessed either professional or technical training.

Mrs. W. J. Gaynor at Hotel Wolcott. Mrs. William J. Gaynor, widow of the late Mayor of New York, will spend the winter in this city, and has taken an apartment at the Hotel Wolcott. Her daughter, Miss Gaynor, will be with her. Their home at 20 Eighth Avenue, Brooklyn, has been closed.

WHITMAN OR WILLIS IN 1916.

President Said to Believe He Will Face One of These.

Special to The New York Times. WASHINGTON, Nov. 7.—Interest has been aroused here by statements wired out by Washington correspondents that President Wilson is convinced that either Charles S. Whitman, Governor-elect of New York, or Frank B. Willis, Governor-elect of Ohio, will be his Republican opponent for the Presidency in 1916.

Frank B. Willis, who already is being discussed by Republicans of the Middle West as a Presidential possibility, and President Wilson were both born on Dec. 23. But Mr. Willis is sixteen years the President's junior. He was born in Delaware County, Ohio, in 1872, while the President was born in Staunton, Va., in 1856. Eight Presidents have been born in Virginia, while six were Ohioans by birth.

Both Mr. Willis and Mr. Willis began life as schoolmasters. Before his election to Congress in 1902, Mr. Willis had served two terms in the Ohio Legislature. He was for several years a professor in the Ohio Northern University.

Special to The New York Times. CONCORD, N. H., Nov. 7.—Senator Gallinger today expressed the opinion that Charles S. Whitman of New York would lead the Republican national ticket in 1916.

"While I might personally prefer some other man," he said, "it seems to me that District Attorney Whitman's great triumph in New York makes him not only the logical but the inevitable Republican candidate for the Presidency in 1916. But a lot may happen politically in two years.

Mr. Roosevelt has been thrown into the political discard. The Progressive Party as a separate political entity has been practically eliminated, and thus has shared the fate of all third party movements."

Senator Gallinger added that the recent election showed that the American people were returning to "sanity." He called the direct primary law an "abomination" and announced that the New Hampshire Republicans, having regained control of the Legislature, would get rid of it at once.

"The people," he added, "have registered their disapproval of a tariff for revenue policy which will continue to disturb business till the end of the present Administration."

A. F. L. DECLARES FOR BEER. Holds That Prohibition Would Throw Brewery Workers Out of Jobs. PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 7.—Brewery workers affiliated with the American Federation of Labor won a victory today when the Union Label Trades Department went on record as opposed to prohibition. The resolution, which probably will be carried to the convention of the federation, which opens here next week, reads:

"Whereas, the principle of prohibiting the manufacture and sale of beer in America is fundamentally in contradiction to the principles of a free people, and

"Whereas, the passage of such laws will deprive hundreds of thousands of workers employed in this and closely associated industries of a livelihood, therefore, be it

Resolved, that the Union Label Trades Department of the American Federation of Labor, in convention assembled, declares its sympathy for and support of the Brewery Workers' Union in its efforts to defeat laws which tend to and do deprive its members of the means of earning an honest living at their trade and calling."

B. Altman & Co.



DESIRE to remind their patrons and friends of the advisability of beginning their Christmas shopping now. To those whose homes are situated in New York or its vicinity the recently enlarged Store—with its abundance of floor space and its incomparable facilities for the effective display of the large assortments of newly received merchandise appropriate for holiday gifts—offers every opportunity for discriminating selection and leisurely purchasing; while to those who reside at a distance the services of the Mail Order Department, with its staff of expert shoppers, are ever available whether shopping be done in person, by telephone or by mail, the merchandise offered is equally desirable, and the prices are equally reasonable. Suggestions for holiday gifts will be mailed if requested.

WORTH-WHILE MERCHANDISE AT SPECIAL PRICES FOR MONDAY:

1,500 Yards of 40-in. Black Chiffon Velvet

will be specially priced at
\$3.80 per yard

The Velvet Department is now displaying, at reasonable prices, a very generous assortment of Chiffon Velvets, Silk Plushes, Karakul, English Velveteens and Corduroys.

An Additional Shipment of Broadcloths

in black, dark green, tete de negre and navy blue, will be placed on sale at the special price of
\$1.35 per yard

An opportunity of rare occurrence in the Lace Department (on the First Floor) will be

An Important Offering of Real Laces

comprising Duchesse with Point combination, Duchesse, Bruges, Point d'Appique, Point de Milan and Carrickmacross, at the following unprecedented price concessions:

Duchesse with Point Lace combination, usually \$4.50 to \$40.00 per yard at \$2.90, 4.50, 5.75 to 22.50

Duchesse Laces, usually \$2.00 to \$9.50 per yard at \$1.10, 1.65, 2.85 to 5.75

Bruges Laces, usually \$1.25 to \$16.50 per yd. at 85c., 1.65, 2.90 to 8.75

Point d'Appique Laces, usually \$2.25 to \$40.00 per yard at \$1.25, 2.50, 3.75 to 22.50

Point de Milan and Carrickmacross Laces will be marked at equally interesting prices.

An Unusual Offering of French Hand-made Lace Curtains, Panels and Bedspreads

will comprise most desirable goods at very decided price concessions.

FRENCH LACE CURTAINS
per pair, \$3.75, 4.50, 5.50 to 12.50

FRENCH LACE PANELS
each \$6.00, 7.50 & 9.00

FRENCH LACE BEDSPREADS
each \$9.75, 14.00 & 17.50

A Sale will be commenced tomorrow (Monday), in the Department for Women's Ready-to-Wear, of

Smart Tailor-made Suits

of superior materials and workmanship, fur-trimmed and modeled on the latest fashionable lines. The fabrics include chiffon velvet, English velveteen, broadcloth and karakul.

Special Prices: \$65.00 & 75.00

being about one-half those usually asked.

An Important Offering of Women's Undergarments

(American-made) in crepe de Chine and the muslins in demand, will present special inducements to-morrow (Monday) and Tuesday at these prices:

Crepe de Chine Underwear
Nightrobes \$3.45, 4.90, 6.25 & 7.75
Combination Garments \$3.90 & 4.85
Corset Covers \$2.15, 2.90 & 3.85
Envelope Chemises 3.25, 3.90 & 5.25
Knicker Drawers 2.90 & 3.90

Muslin Underwear
Nightrobes, 95c., \$1.45, 1.90 & 2.90
Combination Garments 95c., \$1.10, 1.45, 1.75 & 1.90
Corset Covers 55c., 85c & \$1.10
Drawers 48c., 68c., 85c. to 1.45
Envelope Chemises 95c., \$1.15 & 1.45
Chemises 85c. & 1.10

Special Salespeople will, if desired, be detailed to accompany patrons to the Store's various departments; or goods will be assembled for inspection in a private showroom.

50,000 Pairs of Silk Hosiery

in desirable qualities, at special prices.

Women's Silk Hose, in black or white, per pair 85c.
Women's Black Silk Hose, including extra sizes per pair 95c.
Women's Black Silk Hose, with hand-embroidered clocks per pair \$1.50
Men's Black Silk Half-hose, per pair 1.10
Men's Silk Half-hose, in black, white, tan, navy and slate, per half-dozen pairs \$2.00

Women's French Lingerie (Hand-embroidered)

in a special selection, will be featured at unusually low prices.

Nightrobes at \$1.50, 1.95 & 2.75
Chemises at 95c. & 1.10
Petticoats at \$1.25 & 2.25
Pantalons at 1.10 & 1.45
Corset Covers at 1.10

Misses' and Small Women's Tailor-made Suits

in three distinct, attractive styles, will be specially priced at
\$19.50, \$29.50 & \$36.00
(Department on the Second Floor)

An Interesting Sale of Men's Shoes

now in progress, offers desirable Shoes featuring the seasonable leathers and a variety of shapes, including both conservative and ultra-fashionable models (formerly priced at \$5.00 to \$11.00 per pair)

at \$3.50, 4.75, 5.85 & 8.75

Department on the First Floor, Thirty-fourth Street Entrance.

A Special Sale in the Infants' and Little Children's Department, on the Second Floor, which will offer unusually tempting values, will comprise

Little Children's Coats (sizes 2 to 5 years)

of chinchilla, flannel-lined \$5.00
of broadcloth, fur-trimmed 6.50
of corduroy, silk-lined \$7.75 & 8.75

Infants' and Little Children's White Coats

(sizes 6 months to 2½ years), made of imported materials, hand-embroidered, lined with silk and interlined.

Long Coats \$5.30 & 7.75
Short Coats 5.50 & 6.25

Also Little Children's Hats

in colors to harmonize with the coats, at the special prices of
\$1.90, \$2.85 & \$4.25

A Sale in the Department for Women's Knitted Underwear (Second Floor) will consist of

Imported Swiss Ribbed Underwear at exceptional prices.

Wool-and-cotton Vests, low neck and sleeveless at 65c.
Wool-and-cotton Tights, in knee or ankle length at \$1.35
Wool-and-cotton Combination Suits, low neck, sleeveless and in knee or ankle length, at \$1.85

All Charged or Paid Purchases (including heavy and bulky shipments) will be forwarded Free of Charge by mail, express or freight to any point in the United States.



Kurzman
Importer
Fifth Avenue & 36th Street

INTRODUCES THE STYLE

At the Fashion Fête this was the only house to show a new style.

The new creation met with the instant approval of the fashion critics and the public as a distinctly original conception.

MISS ANNE RITTENHOUSE, who is recognized here and in Paris as America's foremost fashion authority, says:

"From the standpoint of originality, the Kurzman line has not only the first mention, but, in my opinion, the only mention. *** Again I repeat that I consider the Kurzman line the only one that is marked by originality, and that is, of course, what the exhibition was arranged for."

But I could not find a single detail that I had not seen in Paris design, either here or abroad, except in the line of Kurzman."

Similar expressions of approval and praise were voiced by such eminent papers as

THE EVENING SUN THE SUN
THE EVENING POST THE GLOBE
THE EVENING MAIL THE HERALD
THE TRIBUNE

EVENING GOWNS AND WRAPS

THE OPERA

and all social functions

Afternoon Dresses

Dancing Frocks

Tailored Suits

Exact reproductions that assure Correct Style, Perfect Fit and Superior Workmanship may be secured at reasonable prices.

Trimmed Hats

Furs

COATS, MUFFS, NECKPIECES

Fifth Avenue and 36th St.

Thirty-fourth Street

Fifth Avenue-Madison Avenue, New York

Thirty-fifth Street

LUCKY IN REALTY, UNLUCKY IN LOVE

Mrs. A. H. Stoddard of the
Biltmore Appeals to Domes-
tic Relations Court.

NON-SUPPORT HER CHARGE

Romance of Business Began When
She, as Corporation President,
Met Present Husband.

The romance of business which culminated in the marriage on Feb. 4, 1914, of Miss Mabel H. Cole, President of a real estate corporation at 500 Fifth Avenue, and Albert H. Stoddard, had an unromantic sequel in the Domestic Relations Court yesterday, when Mrs. Stoddard obtained a summons directing her husband to show cause why he should not be compelled to contribute to her support. At the Biltmore, where Mrs. Stoddard has lived since the hotel was opened, she admitted that the court proceedings were not intended solely to get money from her husband, but as a preliminary step for a legal separation.

Mrs. Stoddard, who came here from Montreal, Canada, in 1910, first attracted attention by her operations in Wall Street, where she subsequently organized the M. H. Cole Company, Incorporated, and was interested in many large real estate operations. She was then in a business transaction that she met Mr. Stoddard at the Waldorf. He then became a member of the firm of Stoddard & Van Horne. Shortly before their marriage he took an interest in the realty company and became one of its Vice Presidents.

When the Tercentenary Commission was organized Mr. Stoddard was appointed director of the pageants, continuing his office with the realty company. The chairman of one of the committees of the commission said last night that Stoddard had longer been connected with it, because the commission had objected to his making contracts for about \$40,000 worth of floats for the pageants. The commission repudiated these contracts, it was said. Mr. Stoddard brought suit and obtained judgment against the commission for \$7,500, part of his salary of \$10,000 a year.

Mrs. Stoddard is about 35 years old, tall, blonde, and attractive. It is said that she possesses independent means. When she was found with friends in the tearoom of the Biltmore she said she and her husband could not agree, and their separation had followed six weeks after their marriage. This was known to but few of their intimate acquaintances. She has retired from the realty company because of ill-health, she said.

At 500 Fifth Avenue the superintendent of the building said the M. H. Cole Company had closed its office there some time ago. After the company had withdrawn from the office Mr. Stoddard continued to occupy it until recently. He is now living at 30 East Thirtieth Street. He was not at home last night.

Mrs. Stoddard is the daughter of Robert Cole of Montreal, from whom she earned the real estate business. She was educated in a private school and at the Royal Victoria College of McGill University at Montreal. Her cleverness as a business woman was shown in successful real estate transactions. Her chief recreation is music, and she is a pianist. She is a member of the Harmony Club, the Latin-American Circle, and the Public Good Society.

SEE MERCURY CROSS SUN.

Observers Here Have a Clear View
of Planet's Transit.

Weather conditions were ideal yesterday for the observation of the transit of the planet Mercury across the face of the sun. Astronomers trained their telescopes on the sun and watched the passing of the planet. The sun's satellites across the lower part.

Fifty members of the Department of Astronomy of the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences gathered to make observations at daybreak. Albert J. Brooks, President of the Department of Astronomy, said that Mercury receded the edge of the sun between 4 and 5 A. M., but it was not visible to the observers here until the sun was seen clearly at about 6:30 o'clock. Two telescopes were used for viewing the transit. One was rigged with a projecting screen, upon which the progress of the planet could be followed. Through the other the observers looked directly at the sun through green glasses. When they got their first good view of the sun Mercury was well in the face of the disk. Conditions for making the observations were ideal, Mr. Brooks said. The distance between the sun and Mercury was about 36,000,000 miles.

The last journey of Mercury across the sun will be in May, 1924. Several groups of sunspots were observed yesterday by the astronomers.

CASUALTIES OF BRITISH OFFICERS REACH 1,598

50 Killed, 135 Wounded, 25
Missing in Last Week Cover-
ed by Statistics.

LONDON, Nov. 7.—A tabulated list of the casualties among commissioned officers in the various regiments composing the British expeditionary force in France between Oct. 20 and Oct. 27 raises the total number of officers killed, wounded, or missing to 1,598.

Among the regiments to suffer heavily were the Royal Welsh Fusiliers, who lost seven officers killed, eight wounded and two missing, and the Royal Field Artillery, ten of whose officers were wounded.

The list follows:

Regiment	Killed	Wounded	Missing	Total
First Life Guards	1	1	0	2
Second Life Guards	1	1	0	2
Coldstream Guards	1	1	0	2
Scots Guards	1	1	0	2
1st Dragoon	1	1	0	2
4th Dragoon	1	1	0	2
5th Dragoon	1	1	0	2
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British List Dated Nov. 1 Also In-
cludes Names of 60 Wounded.

LONDON, Nov. 7.—A casualty list dated Nov. 1, and issued here tonight, gives the names of fifteen officers killed and sixty wounded.

Among the killed are Col. Frederick Walter Kerr of the Gordon Highlanders, third son of the late Admiral Lord Frederick H. Kerr, and Lieut. Sir Gilbert Nevill Ogilvy of the Scots Guards, who married a daughter of the Earl of Elgin.

In the wounded list occur the names of Lieut. Lord John Wodehouse, well-known as an international polo player; Capt. Sir Victor Audley Falconer Macdonald of the Scots Guards, son-in-law of Viscount Knollys, private secretary to King George; Lieut. the Hon. G. E. H. Macdonald of the Scots Guards, son of Lord Macdonald; Lieut. the Hon. D. S. E. Howard of the Third Hussars. Seventeen officers are reported missing, including Lieut. the Hon. V. D. Boscawen of the Coldstream Guards, and Lieut. the Hon. C. Douglas-Pennant of the Coldstream Guards, son of Lord Penrhyn.

BELGIANS IN AFRICA AID BRITISH FORCES

Send a Column From the Congo
to Operate Against Ger-
man East Africa.

HAVRE, (via Paris), Nov. 7.—A report of the operations of the Belgians in the Congo, as published in the Courrier l'Armée Belge, says:

"Our troops have conducted themselves bravely in the colony of the Congo. A flying column has just taken Kisumu, a fortified point on the bank of Lake Kivu. The troops in their assault on the fort inflicted heavy losses on the enemy."

"A German attempt to take Albertville, on the west shore of Lake Tanganyika, failed. A Belgian column from Katanga has entered Rhodesia to aid the British forces from Abercorn in an operation directed against German East Africa."

Stern Brothers

42nd and 43rd Streets, West of Fifth Avenue.

Maillard Luncheon and Tea Room on the Fifth Floor

Tomorrow, Monday, Another Very Important Silk Event

Has been arranged, involving the most desirable weaves and colorings that accord with the present fashions, at unprecedented price concessions.

Black Satin Duchesse, 36 ins. wide,

Suitable for skirts and sleeves,

at 85c a yard

Regularly \$1.50 a yard

Plaid and Roman Striped Velvets, 40 inches wide,

In the latest Fall combinations and colorings, Regularly \$6.50 to 9.50 a yard, at \$3.95

Crepe de Chine, 40 inches wide,

in white, ivory, cream, black and all colors; Regularly \$1.50 a yard

at 88c a yard

Imported Plushes, 40 inches wide,

in a full range of this season's colorings,

at \$3.95 a yard

Regularly \$7.50 a yard

Black Dress Velvets, 44 inches wide,

erect pile, suitable for suits and coats,

Regularly \$7.50 a yard,

at \$3.75

Women's Coats and Wraps

LIBERAL reductions have been made in our entire stock of Evening, Street and Motor Coats, which afford a remarkable opportunity to secure the season's choicest models; reflecting the best ideas of the foremost Parisian modistes in design, material and coloring, at most advantageous prices, of which

These special inducements for Monday are notable examples:

Street Coats, at \$25.00

Of black broadcloth, full lined and warmly

interlined; trimmed with skunk opossum.

Very desirable and serviceable garments.

Evening Coats at \$59.50

Of chiffon velvet and silk plush, in black,

white and desirable evening shades; moufflon

collar and cuffs.

Fine Leather Goods

Reduced greatly below original cost.

Imported and Domestic Hand Bags,

in a variety of leathers,

silks and chiffon velvets, at \$2.95, 3.85, 5.00

Originally \$7.50 to 15.00

Imported Hand Bags,

of novelty leather or fancy

silks, attractive frames, at \$6.50, 8.75 to 19.75

Originally \$15.00 to 39.50

Limousine and Dressing Cases,

Originally \$6.00 to 14.50, \$3.95, 4.75 to 7.95

Imported Overnight Cases,

of fine morocco, French gilt fittings, at \$8.95

Originally \$12.50

Imported Cigar, Cigarette and Card Cases,

of leather and silk, sterling silver or gold mounted,

at \$1.75, 2.50 to 6.25

Originally \$5.95 to 15.00

The Glove Dept.

IS showing new importations of Women's Alexandre, Lupin and Babbette Kid Gloves, in all the correct styles and shades for every occasion. These gloves are manufactured exclusively for us in France and embody workmanship and skins of the highest excellence.

The leading standard American makes for Men, Women and Children are also maintained in complete assortments at moderate prices.

An unparalleled offering, tomorrow, of

Women's French Glace

Kidskin Gloves

at 75c a pair

2-clasps, with three rows of embroidery on backs; in black, white, and white with black embroidery.

Regularly sold for \$1.50 a pair

The Toy Shop

Which has been greatly enlarged

ON the Fourth Floor, is now displaying the latest Imported and Domestic Toys at prices that invite immediate attention. The novel features are

Aeroplanes that really fly;
Mechanical Battleships and Submarines,
Electric Trains, Moving Picture
Machines and Radiotronics,
Walking Dolls and Animals;

Electrically Lighted Automobiles and numerous other interesting toys suitable for boys and girls of every age.

The Mechanical Trains and Moving Picture Machines are being operated daily. Inspection is cordially invited.

The Most Desirable Articles in Sheffield Plated Silverware

For Monday and Tuesday, at about One-Half Less Than Regular Prices

Bread and Butter Plates,

6 and 7 inch, at 70c and 95c

Regularly \$1.15 and 1.50

Bread Trays, Single Vegetable

and Chop Dishes, at \$3.00

Regularly \$6.75

Gravy Boat and Tray,

Chop and Serving Dishes, at \$4.85

Regularly \$7.50

Vegetable Dishes, Meat Platters,

Large Chop Dishes, at \$6.75

Regularly \$10.00

Gallery Serving Trays, Well and Tree Meat Platters, Vegetable Dishes, Fish and Meat Platters,

Regularly \$18.00 each, at \$9.75

A Monogram of Three Letters will be engraved free of charge on Sheffield Ware only

Quadruple Plated Tableware

Coffee Sets, three pieces, at \$5.50

Regularly \$9.75

Pudding Dishes, at \$4.35

Regularly \$5.95

Tea Sets, four pieces, at \$7.25

Regularly \$11.50

Hot Water or Tea Kettles, at \$6.75

With alcohol lamp; Regularly \$12.00

Rogers' Silver Plated Flatware (sectional plated)

Tea and Coffee Spoons, half doz. 69c

Oyster Forks, " " 1.00

Dessert Spoons & Forks, " " 1.25

Dinner Knives, flat handles, " " 1.60

Table Spoons and Forks,

Soup and Bouillon Spoons,

round bowl, half doz. \$1.38

Butter Spreaders, " " 1.45

Fancy Needlework

THE Art Needlework Department, on the Main Floor, is showing an interesting variety of attractive novelties, appropriate for the adornment of the home and acceptable for dainty gifts, at attractively low prices.

A sale of unusual interest, tomorrow, will comprise

Brocade Picture Frames, at 75c and 1.25

Brocade Glove and Handkerchief Boxes, at \$1.10

Decorated Trays, in white and gold, at \$1.25 to 1.75

Brocade Book Covers, at \$2.25

Decorated White Enamel Baskets, at \$2.25 to 7.50

Parisian Model Dolls, Regularly \$8.50 to 13.75, \$5.00

Imported Fancy Boxes and Scrap Baskets,

Regularly \$10.00 to 20.00, at \$7.50 to 10.00

Artistic Fans

Tomorrow, at much less than ordinary prices:

Balloon and Pompadour Fans of net gauze, etamine, cloth of gold and silver; spangled, painted and embroidered, at

\$1.75, 2.50, 4.50 and 8.00

Regularly \$2.50 to 10.50

RESERVE BANK CALL IS PROMPTLY MET

First Installment of Capital
Stock of New System, \$17,-
947,106, All Paid In.

NEW YORK HEADS THE LIST

Makes Payment of \$3,320,380—
Banks Hold \$190,409,504 Cash
Above Initial Requirements.

Special to The New York Times.
WASHINGTON, Nov. 7.—The Federal Reserve Board announced this afternoon that practically the whole of the first installment of the capital stock of the Federal Reserve banks, called for Nov. 2, had been paid. New York heads the list with a payment of \$3,320,380. Chicago comes next with \$2,191,000, and Philadelphia third with \$2,068,530.41. Payments received so far total \$17,947,106.73, distributed as follows:

Boston	\$1,477,925.00
New York	3,320,380.10
Philadelphia	2,068,530.41
Cleveland	2,012,000.00
Richmond	1,938,438.55
Atlanta	1,772,248.68
Chicago	2,191,000.00
St. Louis	912,000.00
Minneapolis	784,500.00
Kansas City	618,000.00
Dallas	451,326.00
San Francisco	1,252,548.24
Total	\$17,947,106.73

The Controller's abstract of reports of the condition of national banks contains a table showing that on Sept. 12 the national banks held cash of \$190,409,504 above the sum required to put the new system into operation. The Controller estimates that on the showing made at this call the amount of reserve which would have been transferred to the Federal Reserve banks was \$248,262,708, the total reserve required in vault \$384,941,506, and the reserve required either in vault, or with Federal Reserve banks \$84,638,434, a total of \$172,542,948. The cash on hand for these needs was \$902,962,433, an excess of \$100,409,504. On this compilation, the banks in each of the twelve reserve districts show a surplus over the cash required. If all of the member banks heed the board's request that cash for subscriptions to the capital stock and for the reserve fund be taken from their own vaults the estimate will be realized. On the other hand, if banks in the country call on their correspondents in the reserve cities, making it necessary for them to turn to draw on the central reserve cities, banks in the latter districts would show a shortage of cash. While the banks were not ordered to contribute their quota out of their own vaults, the board expects that this will be in most cases, so that the central reserve cities will not be called upon to transfer an excessive amount to the new Federal Reserve banks.

Reports to the Federal Reserve Board indicate that the new banking system will go into operation a week from Monday with very little confusion. The short time allowed to the boards in the various cities to build up a working organization has made strenuous efforts necessary, but it is believed that the inauguration of the new system had the board waited until all of the banks were ready before setting a date for the opening.

Dr. James Bartlett Brewster.
Dr. James Bartlett Brewster, 78 years old, a descendant of Elder Brewster and Gov. Bradford of the Pilgrims, and a former State Medical Examiner of Massachusetts, died yesterday at his home in Phillips, Mass. He was graduated from Tufts College in 1862, from Bellevue Hospital in 1868, and from the University of Vienna in 1868. Dr. Brewster served with the Forty-fourth Massachusetts Volunteers during the civil war, and when mustered out was Acting Assistant Surgeon of the Second Division of the Ninth Army Corps. He was a former Acting Assistant Surgeon General of the United States Marine Hospital Service, and Surgeon General of the Department of Massachusetts of the U. S. A. Dr. Brewster belonged to the Boston Club.

Ex-Senator John Kean Buried.
ELIZABETH, N. J., Nov. 7.—Ex-United States Senator John Kean, who died at Liberty Hall, his home near here, on Wednesday, was buried this afternoon from St. John's Episcopal Church. The Rev. Lytleton E. Hubbard, rector of St. John's, and the Rev. Charles Lewis Slattery of Grace Church, New York, held the services, at which the choir of Grace Church sang. Prominent officials of the State and county, members of the Union County Republican Committee, and the Union County Bar Association, and many other acquaintances, friends, and relatives, attended the funeral.

Obituary Notes.
JOHN JAY GRIFFIN, for many years one of the best known agents of the Equitable Life Assurance Society, died at 140 Broadway, died on Friday at his home, 188 St. Nicholas Avenue, in his fifty-ninth year. Mr. Griffin was born in New York, and had been in the insurance business for more than thirty years. He was a Mason and a member of the Lambs and the Dunwoody Country Club.

WILLIAM ENDICOTT, a well-known business man of Boston, Mass., died yesterday, aged 88 years. He was a native of Beverly, a graduate of Williams College, and the recipient of the honorary degree of Master of Arts from Harvard University. Mr. Endicott was President of the New England Trust Company for twenty-seven years and had been prominent in Western railroad companies.



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SNEAK THIEF GETS \$2,000.

Steals Woman Depositor's Money
Bag in Jersey Bank.

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FIGHT THE WAR ON A LINER.

St. Paul's Trip Enlivened by Hot
Debates Among Passengers.

The St. Paul of the American Line, which arrived late last night from Liverpool, brought several Germans, Austrians, and Belgians among her 250 cabin passengers. Pursuer Thomas Kinsie said that there were more arguments among the passengers than he had heard since he was first made pursuer in the old Inman Line.

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Superior values at \$35 and \$55—Usually \$55 to \$75

Of chiffon, net, tulle and new shades of taffeta; in Grecian, pagoda
and drape effects.

Afternoon & Walking Dresses

Superior values at \$65, \$75, \$95—Usually \$95 to \$150

Of serge, gabardine, broadcloth, silk and velvet or in smart com-
bination styles, trimmed with embroidery, fur and beads.

Serge Dresses—Usually \$40 to \$65—at \$25, \$35, \$45

Fur-trimmed Wraps

Superior values at \$55, \$65, \$75 to \$95—Usually \$75 to \$135

Of fine chiffon velvets, trimmed with Japanese Sable, Fox,
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Fashionable Fur-trimmed Coats

At \$45, \$55 and \$65—Usually \$55 to \$85

In new flare effects, of soft vicuna, velours de lain, suede cloth,
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Smart mixtures and velvets.

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Dressy models for afternoon or theatre wear, of
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chameuse and various silks, richly hand emb'd.
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Afternoon or evening coats of broadcloth,
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CATTLE INSPECTORS ATTACK GIANT TASK

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from Infected Territory in
Last Two Months.

DISINFECT CHICAGO YARDS

Rats, Cats, Dogs, and Pigeons Being
Killed as Disease Carriers—Ar-
gentine Beef for New York.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 7.—With the Federal quarantine against the foot and mouth disease covering practically every suspected cattle market, officials of the Bureau of Animal Industry today ordered a force of inspectors to trace every shipment of cattle made from the infected area during the last two months. Officials believe the quarantine already established covers all herds at present affected, and that the strict maintenance of quarantine and the slaughter of infected cattle will stamp out the disease.

The bureau today had about 150 agents in the field, tracing every head of cattle that passed through the Chicago yards in the past sixty days, and every railroad car used to transport the cattle. With a single exception, the agents are destroying all herds where infection appears. The exception is the National Dairy Show at Chicago, where about 1,000 of the best-blooded breeding stock of the country are under quarantine. Thirty-four cases have been discovered in the show animals, but the department is endeavoring to prevent the sacrifice of the entire herd.

In all the States where quarantine has been declared State officials have joined with the Federal agents. In several States local quarantines have been established, and it is expected that States outside of the infected area will generally prohibit the shipment of cattle from quarantined States.

Chicago Stock Yards Empty.

CHICAGO, Nov. 7.—Men who have grown up with the great Chicago stock yards scarcely recognized the place today, the first of the absolute quarantine against the epidemic of foot and mouth disease. In all the vast acreage of cattle pens, ordinarily marked by tossing horns and eddies of sheep and swine, there was little life save where men handling the disinfecting machines waged battle against the germ of the costly malady—a germ so small that it will pass through a porcelain filter.

The twenty-five miles of streets and alleys were snow white with the lime spread over them. The detonations of shotguns emphasized the lack of usual sound. One hundred and fifty members of gun clubs were shooting pigeons which are numerous around the pens, and which carry the germ. Bad marksmanship, however, prevented much slaughter in this direction.

Unless the unforeseen intrudes, the yards will resume business Nov. 16, a nine-day quarantine having been declared.

A force of 1,000 men, working night and day in three shifts, is spreading disinfectant over the 340 acres of ground comprising the yards. In addition to miles of chutes, pens, water troughs and big packing buildings.

Professional rat catchers began to destroy the thousands of rats which infest the yards and trap shots blazed away at pigeons, thousands of which live among the cattle pens. Both rats and pigeons, Government experts said, carry the disease. All dogs and cats within the neighborhood of the yards were ordered killed.

No shipment of livestock will be made into the yards until the quarantine is released. Shipments of dressed meats, however, will continue as usual. A majority of the 40,000 employees will be kept at work during the enforced suspension.

PITTSBURGH, Nov. 7.—For the first time in many years no cattle, hogs, or sheep were received today at the Erie's Island stock yards. It was said that packing houses were well supplied with dressed meat and butchers with cattle, and higher retail prices were not expected unless the quarantine should be continued for a considerable period.

HARRISBURG, Penn., Nov. 7.—Philadelphia and York have been added to the counties under quarantine for the foot and mouth disease in Pennsylvania, making ten in all.

Reports reached the State capital that the disease had appeared in Wilmington, Del.

Federal Inspectors Busy.

JANESVILLE, Wis., Nov. 7.—Government inspectors arrived in this city today to fumigate 800 stock cars in the railroad yards as a result of the quarantine.

TOLEDO, Ohio, Nov. 7.—President A. P. Sandies of the State Agricultural Department today took personal charge of the work of exterminating the hoof and mouth disease among cattle. Two herds, one of 98 animals on the Caples farm, and another of 29 on the Taylor farm, were ordered quarantined and killed. Eight Government inspectors arrived today to aid in the inspection and enforce the quarantine.

WASHINGTON, R. I., Nov. 7.—Six cases of foot-and-mouth disease, the first to be discovered in Rhode Island, were found here today. The farm was quarantined and the thirteen head of cattle there will be killed. The infected cattle are said to be part of a shipment received from Brighton, Mass., Oct. 26.

BOSTON, Nov. 7.—After Gov. Walsh and the Executive Council had considered at a meeting today the situation arising from the outbreak of the foot-and-mouth disease orders were issued

that the permission of the Commissioner of Animal Industry must be obtained before any shipment of live stock is made in this State. The shipping of hay or grain from any of the quarantined premises, such as the stock yards at Brighton, Somerville, and Watertown, is forbidden.

WILL SELL ARGENTINE BEEF.

Immense Quantities Now Stored in
This City—Supplies from Albany.

It was said yesterday that in the event of meat becoming scarce in this city as the result of the cattle quarantine, wholesalers here would attempt to unload the heavy stocks of Argentine fresh beef, which have been arriving of late on refrigerator ships from South America. Stocks of this beef have been rapidly accumulating, and now more of this meat is stored here than at any previous time since the tariff removed the duty.

According to Customs House statistics available yesterday, imports of Argentine beef in the last six weeks aggregated 18,000,000 pounds, with a whole sale foreign value of \$1,772,949. Most of this beef is in storage in this city. The Lamport & Holt liner "Vandryck" captured and sunk off the South American coast ten days ago, by a German cruiser, had a large consignment of Argentine beef for wholesalers here.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, Nov. 7.—Five hundred head of cattle, billed from the West to points in New England, are held in the West Albany stock yards, under embargo. They will be sold tomorrow if no infection is found. Local butchers, with abattoirs to the capacity of 120 head of cattle a day, are buying up nearby cattle for slaughter for the New York market.

LORILLARD IN JAIL FOR UNPAID ALIMONY

Relative of Tobacco Family
Represented as a Hermit
in Westchester Hills.

TOO POOR TO PAY, HE PLEADS

Wife's Lawyer Says Hermitage
Story Is Only a Ruse to
Deceive Court.

Special to The New York Times.

WHITE PLAINS, Nov. 7.—Irving Lorillard, a relative of the Lorillard tobacco family, joined Sheriff William J. Doyle's "Alimony Club" in the County Jail here tonight. Lorillard is behind in his alimony to Mrs. Lenora A. Lorillard of 381 Throop Avenue, Brooklyn, and his arrest tonight was at her instigation. Lorillard offered no objection to going to jail, but remarked that he couldn't pay the amount he had been directed to pay by the courts, no matter what happened to him.

Lorillard has been represented as living the life of a hermit in the hills below Scarsdale, but friends say that he has been very different from a hermit, attending church regularly and numbering most of his neighbors as his friends.

His home is a small cottage, which he is said to have built himself out of field stone, but it is equipped with a telephone and, as the residence of a recluse, would be something of a hermitage de luxe.

He has been separated from his wife since 1901, and it was last August that she started her first action to recover back alimony. At that time she said she had waited nearly fourteen years for the sake of her two small daughters, now grown to young womanhood, one of them being a school teacher, and the other a finished musician. Through her lawyer who first applied the term hermit to Lorillard, she accused him of living in retirement so as to impress the court with his inability to carry out its orders though, actually, there was another household, well supported, which often sent him and gives him well come.

Lorillard's neighbors say that he has never been wealthy, but has always been friendly and anything but a hermit.

TWO WIDOWS CLAIM ESTATE.

Relatives of Robert Steen Deny Pretensions of Both.

Special to The New York Times.

PATERSON, N. J., Nov. 7.—Two women, each declaring herself the widow of Robert Steen, who died in Acquackanonk in 1911, appeared before Surrogate Beggs today to claim the estate of Steen, who formerly conducted the Clinton Race Track Hotel, died intestate and left personal property valued at \$28,000.

The claimants are Nellie Steen, who says she was Steen's legal wife, and Lena Steen, a common law wife. The relatives protest the claims of both women.

WOMAN DIES IN AUTO CRASH

Motor Van Collides with Touring
Car on Hudson Boulevard.

John F. Tucker, negro chauffeur for Mrs. Catherine Wirtz of 99 Van Winkle Avenue, Jersey City Heights, whose husband, G. W. Wirtz, died two weeks ago, was guiding her automobile south in Hudson Boulevard, North Bergen, N. J., late yesterday afternoon when

a big automobile van belonging to the Eagle Van Company of 28-44 Fulton Street, Brooklyn, and driven by J. E. Weed, started across his path to turn into Twenty-sixth Street. In the touring car were Mrs. Wirtz, her daughter, Clara, and Frank Healey of 1022 Washington Street, Hoboken.

Instead of waiting for the van to clear his path Tucker tried to swing past it by circling far out to the left. The truck and car came together with great force. Mrs. Wirtz was sent flying out of the car and struck on her head.

Healey and Tucker ran to the aid of Mrs. Wirtz and, finding her unconscious, called an ambulance from the North Hudson Hospital. The elderly woman—she was 60 years old—was hurried to that institution, but she died within ten minutes. Her skull had been fractured.

Her daughter was unhurt, though Healey's left leg and left elbow were cut and bruised. Tucker and Weed were arrested by Chief of Police Marcy and Sergt. Simmen.

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Women's Crepe de Chine Negligees, in popular pastel colorings, elaborately hand embroidered and shadow lace trimmed. Regular 8.75 Values 5.90

Imported Japanese Crepe de Chine Kimonos, in pink, light blue, Copenhagen, rose, navy and lavender, elaborately hand embroidered; China Silk lined. Actual 16.50 Value 9.75

Especially Prepared Sale for Monday

Misses', Juniors' and Small Women's Suits

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Many smart, youthful models, featuring latest coat lengths, including suits with trimmings of fur.

About 275 Suits of Broadcloth, Gabardine, Cheviot and other fashionable materials, some of this season's best tailored and semi-dress models, including fur-trimmed. Regular Values to 35.00 20.00

Misses' Suits of Corduroy and other fashionable materials, including models of cloth, trimmed with fur. Regular 35.00 Values 25.00

Misses' Fur-Trimmed Velvet and Cloth Suits, new short coat models, in Black, Brown, Green and Blue. Regular 49.75 Values 29.75

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An extra special discount of 10 per cent. will be allowed on the following, provided uncut lengths are purchased:

INSERTIONS, white, cream and ecru in an extensive assortment of very choice patterns, including Venise, Oriental, Silk Run and Lierre, ranging in width from 2 to 12 inches.

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To Close 20c to 2.95

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TELLS POLICEMEN TO BE GENTLEMAN

Inspector Cahalane's Book Instructs Members of the Force in Behavior.

STUDY PEOPLE ON POST

Importance of Knowing Automobiles—How "Dutch Housemen" Do Their Work.

Inspector Cornelius F. Cahalane has written a book called "Police Practice and Procedure," designed to help policemen in their work. It is an illustrated book of 241 pages, and discusses police work in all its phases. More than 10,000 copies of the book have been printed. Commissioner Woods has had these books distributed to all the policemen in the department. Inspector Cahalane offers this advice to policemen on discipline and deportment:

When in uniform, whether on or off duty, you are a target for the eyes of the public, and if you do not conduct yourself in a gentlemanly manner you will be quickly observed. Do not do anything that is not gentlemanly. Do not spit on the sidewalk, run, talk loudly or too much, or make unnecessary noise. Excellent physique alone does not make the perfect policeman. He must possess sufficient strength of character, will power, and moral courage to successfully resist any temptation to do wrong.

Occasionally persons engaged in undertakings requiring police supervision or individuals of unwelcome reputation will endeavor to induce you to overlook a violation of law, and may, if arrested, seek either directly or through friends to have you drop or evade testimony in court so that justice may be defeated. Be cautious of your character and reputation. Social companionship and intimate acquaintance with such persons should be carefully avoided, for the majority of cases they seek your friendship with an ulterior object in view.

The author has this to say on patrol duty:

Much of the success of the department depends upon the manner in which patrol duty is performed. At night be suspicious of strangers who loiter about, and engage you in conversation. They may be interested in the commission of a crime on your post, and endeavoring to hold you in conversation so as to permit their exit to escape.

In using your pistol to summon assistance great care must be exercised for the safety of innocent persons. It is better to have the guilty person escape than to kill or injure an innocent bystander. Do not brand or persecute ex-convicts. If a man has been convicted of a crime and has paid the penalty he is entitled to start life anew and should receive assistance and cooperation in his endeavor to live a decent life. If he lives on your post do not tell his neighbor of his past; if he is seeking employment or is employed, do not inform the employer for the purpose of having him discharged. Tell your superiors or members of the Detective Division so that they may keep a watch on him. If he is hounded by the police and prohibited from engaging in a lawful vocation there is only one door open to him, again to become a criminal.

The best detectives are those who possess a keen sense of observation. In the Detective Division there are two grades—first grade, paying a salary equal to that of a lieutenant of police; second grade, at the patrolman's ordinary salary. To sharpen your observation, when assigned to a post for the first time, scrutinize the persons passing and try to gather from their dress, actions, and manner of dress what their occupations are; then make discreet inquiries to verify your deductions.

Do not be satisfied with simply taking the number of an automobile. If it has been used for the purpose of committing a crime or as a means of escape, the first thing you should do is to have it impounded. Do not allow it to be driven away. Familiarize yourself with the characteristics of the different models. It will in most cases narrow a search down to about a per cent. of the machines in the city if you report, for instance, that the car wanted is a five-passenger 1914 X. Y. Z., blue, with top.

Inspector Cahalane devotes a chapter to arrest, in which patrolmen are told about the summons and the warrant and how they should be served. In making arrests he tells them that they must be in the right, as it is a serious offense as well as a great injustice to the person accused to make an illegal arrest. Writing of blackmailers he says:

There are organized bands of blackmailers, who terrorize business men and shopkeepers by demanding large sums of money, and threatening to do some injury to them, their property, families, or reputations, if the money is not paid. The victim is usually directed to leave the money at some place where one of the gang will call for it, and is warned that if he refuses or notifies the police his house will be blown up, his children kidnapped, or his horses poisoned. A great many persons submit to this form of extortion when their children are in danger. The principal sufferers are foreigners not familiar with the English language or customs. Similar methods are also used by unscrupulous merchants to drive competitors to move, and if they refuse hire bomb throwers to place explosives near the places of business to scare them. The material used in the manufacture of such bombs is generally stolen from contractors who make use of explosives, by the laborers employed on their work.

Discussing the different types of thieves he says:

There are many different types of burglars, who resort to various means in plotting their callings. The burglar most dangerous to society are those known as "Dutch housemen." They are the most desperate. They always work heavily armed, and to accomplish their purpose or to avoid capture will take life under the slightest provocation. They usually operate in an inhabited dwelling, and to gain entrance secret themselves in some part of the building or grounds until they think the occupants have retired; then, if necessary, they make their way to a roof, fire escape, or porch, and get in by trying to pry open a window or a door. As a rule house-holders fasten windows leading to fire escapes or porches, but are careless about the other windows.

"Dutch housemen" know this falling, and often take advantage of it. They enter one end of a room, and then, from the roof, and drop the other end over the ledge. One of them will lower himself to the desired window, and the other will enter. They generally seek the place where it is most likely that valuables will be found, before the owner retires, such as the tops of dressers or the pockets of clothing.

Going from room to room they usually place some obstruction, a table or a chair, in such a position that if the occupants should awaken and attempt to leave the room they would trip over the object, and make enough noise to warn the burglar that his presence had become known. Usually they are sure that the burglar will not be seen, and they will seldom leave by way of the street. Usually they escape themselves on the roof or in the backyard, and

remain until there is an opportunity to escape. Your strict vigilance is called for in this kind of crime. Have your pistol drawn ready for instant use around the building before entering. When the place is securely guarded make a systematic search of every part of the building.

DEFENDED BY PRENDERGAST

Tirrell and Adamson Deserve More Pay, He Contends.

Controller Prendergast yesterday came to the defense of George Tirrell and Tilden Adamson, heads of the Bureau of Contract Supervision and the Bureau of Standards of the Board of Estimate, respectively, who were criticized because of the 1915 city budget had provided for an increase of salary for each from \$5,000 to \$7,500. Several members of the Board of Estimate had received letters signed by city employees saying that it was an outrage to increase the two salaries, while the wages of laborers were being cut down. Controller Prendergast said: "These proposed increases in salaries came before the Board of Estimate last Saturday afternoon and were debated for a long time. The general feeling was that as these two gentlemen had accepted their positions early this year at salaries less than those paid to other officials of the Board of Estimate and in the Mayor in the absence of Mayor Mitchell, and the same amount in excess of the salaries of the Presidents of Queens and Richmond."

SEEKS SULLIVAN'S PAPERS.

Grand Jury May Get Documents from Miss Burkhardt.

Miss Louise D. Burkhardt, formerly private secretary of David A. Sullivan, the Union Bank wrecker, is expected to throw much light on the business dealings of Sullivan after he was sent to Sing Sing when she takes the stand tomorrow in the Kings County Grand Jury investigation of the ex-banker's affairs. It is expected she will produce documentary evidence of Sullivan's property transactions.

District Attorney Crosey, it was said, had been unable to serve a subpoena on Thomas J. McCormick, the deposed Warden of Sing Sing, to tell what he knows of the activities of Sullivan. Mr. McCormick left his home in Yonkers a week ago yesterday with his family. His friends said he would be back in a few days, and that he went away for a rest. At his plumbing and heating establishment at 6 Wells Avenue, Yonkers, William J. Watson, who was his secretary at Sing Sing, is back at work as bookkeeper. There was a report in Brooklyn yesterday that Sullivan had recently written to District Attorney Crosey stating that he knew a way by which the depositors of the Union Bank could get much of their money. Mr. Crosey was asked to have Sullivan to make known his plan, but to have received no reply. No one connected with the District Attorney's office would discuss this report.

TABLET GIVEN BY REFUGEES.

Capt. Baron and Holland-America Line Rewarded.

A bronze tablet has been presented to the Holland-America Line and Capt. Jan Baron, commander of the Nieuw Amsterdam, by passengers who reached New York on the liner after she had been held up seven times by British cruisers. The tablet, which is three feet long and two feet and three inches high, was executed by the Gorham Company. At the top are shown the crossed flags of Holland and the United States, and on either side of the flags are sprays of laurel. The inscription reads:

"This tablet is presented to the HOLLAND-AMERICA LINE and CAPT. JAN BARON by the Passengers who sailed from Rotterdam on the Nieuw Amsterdam, S. S. Nieuw Amsterdam, Aug. 8-17, 1914. In grateful appreciation of the successful efforts of both the company and the Captain, to render safe, comfortable, and pleasant a hazardous voyage when American citizens were compelled to leave Europe upon the outbreak of the war. The formal presentation was made on Monday afternoon, and the tablet will be placed in the main compartment under a portrait of the Prince Consort of the Netherlands. Among those who took part in the presentation were Joseph Elias, Consul of the Netherlands, Philadelphia; E. D. J. Luning, W. Van Doorn, W. Piek, Jr., A. C. Ward, Edward Holbrook, Hiram A. Bliss, E. Hathorne, Louis Seibold, Charles W. Troughton, Leopold Zimmerman, J. Arnstein, Rudolph Block, George de Vries, F. E. Kaley, and J. C. Harvey.

HELD FOR GIRL'S DEATH.

Maine Physician Charged with Murder of Miss Sullivan.

HOULTON, Me., Nov. 7.—Dr. Lionel E. Doudley of Presque Isle was arrested today and charged with the murder of Mildred Sullivan, a young girl of this town, who has been missing since Sept. 4.

Dr. Dudley and Kate Michaud of Wallingford, a nurse, have been awaiting Grand Jury action on the charge of performing an operation on Miss Sullivan, who was last seen alive at Presque Isle, where she had gone ostensibly to visit a county fair. Fire Pelletier of Presque Isle was held as an accessory after the fact of the alleged operation. All three were arrested at Boston more than a month ago.

The authorities gave no intimation of any developments in their investigation in such a position that if the occupants should awaken and attempt to leave the room they would trip over the object, and make enough noise to warn the burglar that his presence had become known. Usually they are sure that the burglar will not be seen, and they will seldom leave by way of the street. Usually they escape themselves on the roof or in the backyard, and

TROWN INTO PANIC BY FEAR OF KREBS

Tenants of House in Which Murderer Lived Think He Returned There at Night.

POLICE SAY HE IS NEAR BY

Maniac Who Shot Farmer and Killed His Wife Had Little Money, They Believe.

Although detectives lounged about in lunch rooms and cigar stores opposite the tenement houses at 222 St. Nicholas Avenue and 794 Ninth Avenue all yesterday and last night, and kept a close watch for Richard von Krebs, the German maniac who murdered a farmer's wife near New Brunswick, N. J., oh Wednesday morning and later appeared in Manhattan and threatened to murder at Trenton several months before. He received a letter from New Brunswick on Tuesday morning, and on reading it Mrs. Krebs, who has long been ill, died that morning, and von Krebs left the house, saying he was going to New Brunswick. It was early the next morning that he shot Rhell and then, as Rhell's wife ran from the house, shot and killed her. The police do not believe von Krebs

the threats of murder which he is said to have made. One of the tenants in the house at 222 St. Nicholas Avenue, where von Krebs made his home with his sister, the late Mrs. Edith Mahn-Brehm, told of having heard steps in the hall during the night and of finding the hall light burning and the front door open early yesterday morning. Other tenants expressed the conviction that von Krebs had returned during the night.

Mrs. Leone von Krebs, who divorced her husband several years ago, and who, on Thursday night, ran to the West Forty-seventh Street Police Station and told of having been threatened by von Krebs at Ninth Avenue and Fifty-second Street, called again at the police station at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon and said that she had been seen with her to her room in the house at 794 Ninth Avenue, which she had not occupied since Thursday. She was afraid von Krebs might meet her again.

The story of the madman's actions before Wednesday's murder was pieced together by the detectives of the Third Branch who worked on the case yesterday. Von Krebs had been living at his sister's home since his escape from the State Hospital for the insane at Trenton several months before. He received a letter from New Brunswick on Tuesday morning, and on reading it Mrs. Krebs, who has long been ill, died that morning, and von Krebs left the house, saying he was going to New Brunswick. It was early the next morning that he shot Rhell and then, as Rhell's wife ran from the house, shot and killed her. The police do not believe von Krebs

has gone far since Thursday, as it is thought that he has little money. For several months before the shooting he worked as a valet, according to persons in the St. Nicholas Avenue house who knew him, and never seemed to have much money. A man answering von Krebs's description was seen on a surface car in Brooklyn on Friday night, and the Brooklyn police have been asked to look for him.

Owing to the fact that the revolver with which Mrs. Rhell was shot has not been found, the police fear that von Krebs may be still armed with the weapon. The police of the Forty-seventh Street Station were advised by their Captain yesterday to take no chances if they meet the madman, but to shoot him if he made any resistance or seemed about to draw a weapon.

AMERICAN BARONESS HERE.

Mourne Husband, Capt. von Romberg, Who Was Killed in Battle.

Baroness Antoinette von Romberg arrived here yesterday from Liverpool on the Red Star liner Lapland, dressed in deep mourning for her husband Maximilian, who was a Captain in the German Army, and was killed on Sept. 22 at the head of his company before Bel-fort. She was accompanied by her little son Maximilian, and will stay at Greenwich, Conn., with her father, E. C. Converse.

The Baroness declined to talk about her plans. It was understood from friends that the Baron had been buried with the soldiers killed in battle with him, and that it would be most difficult to find his body to give it a private burial.

GETS 90-DAY PAROLE TO PROVE HIS SANITY

Retired Army Officer, Sued by Children, Must Show Himself Competent.

ALIENISTS FAIL TO AGREE

Man of 74, Proved to Have Written Maudlin Letters to Pretty Music Teacher.

Special to The New York Times. ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Nov. 7.—An "insanity parole" of three months was granted to Col. Louis Orlean, U. S. A., retired, today by Judge Clarence Cole, his actions in that period to determine whether or not he is competent to manage his \$100,000 estate in New York, Atlantic City, and Washington. He must return to court at the end of nine weeks and submit his affairs to a legal review. The decision is a victory for the Colonel, for three years ago his children succeeded in having him adjudged "in-

sane, with lucid intervals," and his son, Carl, was appointed his guardian. Recently the Colonel brought suit to re-establish himself in the law as a sane man, and the testimony of alienists was balanced so evenly for and against the former army man that the court hit on the novel parole plan.

It was in December, 1911, that Mrs. Violette Orlean Smith and Mrs. Daisy Orlean Robinson, the Colonel's daughters, had him adjudged incompetent. At that time his counsel, Charles Babcock, said the suit was not brought through pure motives, but because the daughters, though well off financially, "are afraid they will not secure their share of the property."

It was brought out at the trial that the Colonel, who is 74 years old, had written maudlin letters to Miss Ellen Cornell, a pretty music teacher, who had been his housekeeper for eleven years, and that he had given money to her.

James Speyer Names Committee to Get Subscriptions.

James Speyer, Chairman of the Bankers and Brokers' Auxiliary of the Hospital Saturday and Sunday Association, announces the formation of an especially strong committee in order to increase the subscriptions this year and to enable the forty-seven associated hospitals to continue their indispensable free work for the poor. The committee is made up as follows:

James Speyer, Chairman; Albert H. Wiggin, Treasurer; Allen B. Forbes, Walter E. Frew, A. E. Goodhart, H. Horace Harding, Alexander J. Hearn, J. H. Hill, J. W. McGarrath, George B. Post, Jr., William Salomon, Frederick Surcouf, and Benjamin Strong, Jr., and Francis M. Weld.

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Beans, Extra Stringless 1.15

Concavo, No. 8 cans 1.40

Beans, Refugee Stringless 1.15

Small, P. & T. No. 3 cans 1.15

Beans, Fancy Stringless 2.25

P. & T. No. 9 cans 2.25

Corn, Sweet, New York 1.00

State, No. 2 cans 1.00

Corn, Sugar, Maine, Po 1.35

land, No. 9 cans 1.35

Pears, Selected Early June 1.40

P. & T. No. 2 cans 1.40

Pears, Sweet, Blue Bell 1.00

No. 9 cans 1.00

Pears, Ungraded Dainty 1.00

Sweets, Hart, No. 8 cans 1.00

Assorted, No. 8 cans 1.00

June, P. & T. No. 2 cans 2.00

Pears, (potted pears) Small 2.50

P. & T. No. 9 cans 2.50

Succotash, Marcellus 1.15

Brand, No. 9 cans 1.15

Succotash, Extra Fancy 1.45

Little Quaker, No. 9 cans 1.45

Tomatoes, Extra, S. & E. 95

No. 2 cans 95

Tomatoes, Dorendel, No. 1.15

3 cans 1.15

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cans 1.35

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GIFT TO FATHER, HE SAYS

Draws Pistol from Suitcase When Detectives Demand to Know Contents.

Anthony Manuli, a 22-year-old laborer, arrived in New York yesterday afternoon with one of the largest magazines of explosives that has been carried about the streets by hand for some time. Manuli is from St. Johnsville, N. Y., where he was employed by the St. Johnsville Dredging Company.

On Friday night there was a fight among Italian residents of the town, in which there was much gunplay, and several men were shot. Manuli received a slight flesh wound in the right shoulder. Immediately after the fight most of those concerned left town. Manuli, however, remained in St. Johnsville, and the police there sent out a general alarm and descriptions of the men wanted.

Among the pickets watching New York stations for the fugitives were Detectives Conroy, Enright and De Martinelli of the Third Detective Branch, who were on guard at the 125th Street station of the New York Central. It was about 12:30 when they saw a man carrying a suitcase, and they followed him down the stairs, got to the baggage checkroom, and took out a suitcase and a wooden box. The property had come in the baggage car without damage, and Manuli picked up the suitcase, thrust the box under his arm, and was making off when the detectives stopped him.

After a few minutes of parley the detectives asked him what he had in the suitcase, and when he replied "Nothing," they ordered him to open it and show them. Manuli bent over, unfastened the catch, and when he stood up he had a 38-caliber revolver in his hand. Before he could use it, however, the detectives had disarmed him and started off to the headquarters of the Third Branch in 116th Street, near Third Avenue.

Further inspection of the suitcase was not made until the branch was reached, and meanwhile the baggage that Manuli had brought with him was handled rather carelessly.

When the suitcase and box were opened, however, they were treated with great respect, for in the former, besides the revolver, were six railroad torpedoes, a number of percussion caps, and many feet of fuse.

The box contained eleven sticks of dynamite, and the whole was an excellent outfit for any Black Hand or anarchist who might be in the city.

When questioned as to the disposition he had intended to make of the explosives, Manuli said that he had intended to use them as a contractor in Northern Italy, and that he was taking the explosives back home to help out the business. This explanation did not convince the police, however, and Manuli was locked up in the East 125th Street Station on the charge of carrying explosives through the streets and of violation of the Sullivan law.

SEIZED IN BROADWAY CHASE

Young Man Accused by Children of Attempted Kidnapping.

A little girl who was very much excited ran up to Policeman Winegar at Sixty-fifth Street and Broadway last evening and, pointing to a young man who was hurrying toward them, exclaimed:

"Please arrest that man. He tried to kidnap my cousin."

Winegar saw a crowd turn the corner in pursuit of the youth, and grabbed him. He walked back to 51 Columbus Avenue, where he found Reta Murphy, 10 years old, recovering from a fit. The child asserted the prisoner, who said he was Ralph Jones, a private detective of 1,541 Forty-fourth Street, Brooklyn, had seized her in the hallway and tried to stuff a handkerchief into her mouth. She broke away and screamed, and he ran.

In Night Court Jones told Magistrate McGuire he had met the child in the hall, and she had been so frightened she fell in a fit, whereupon he left, fearing he might be accused. He had entered the hall, he said, to "remove his shirt pin and the clasp. He had spent all his money and wanted to pawn them. The Magistrate fined him \$10, which he didn't pay, as he had not had a chance to pawn the pin.

F. C. HICKS WANTS RECOUNT.

Claims Election to Congress in the First District.

Frederick C. Hicks of Port Washington, L. I., Republican candidate for Congress from the First New York District in the recent election, yesterday instructed his attorney, Leander B. Faber of Jamaica, to seek a recount of the election of the ballots in the district.

Congressman Lathrop Brown of St. James claims his re-election by Mr. Hicks, as the returns indicate, but Mr. Hicks says that he himself is really four votes ahead. A long legal battle is expected.

CITY BREVITIES.

Mrs. Nellie O'Connor, a widow, was found dead yesterday in her room at the Hotel Manhattan on the third floor of 102 East 117th Street. There was no suggestion of attempted suicide.

The twenty-third annual meeting of the American Jewish Historical Society will be held here on Feb. 21 and 22, 1915.

Representatives of the American Federation of Labor said yesterday that they intended to investigate the defeat of Gov. Glynn, as they were unable to understand why a candidate supported by trade unions could be so overwhelmingly defeated.

After he had failed to identify in court yesterday a street sweeper of 285 East 125th Street, the Bronx, was arrested on a charge of perjury.

The Western Union messenger boy who was killed Friday night by a Third Avenue elevated train at the Fourteenth Street station was identified yesterday by his father as Arthur Johnson, 15 years old, of 928 West 180th Street, the Bronx.

John McInerney, 30 years old, of 605 East Fifteenth Street, died in Bellevue Hospital yesterday as a result of injuries suffered in a fall from a fourth floor window of the house in which he lived.

John Falson, 140 North Avenue was shot in the left cheek last night as he was crossing a street at Nineteenth Street. He did not see his assailant.

More than 900 members of the Municipal Engineering Association of New York were guests yesterday afternoon of the American Club on the Hempstead Plains Aviation Field. Albert Heinrich was the only aviator to fly.

MEXICANS BATTLE NEAR VERA CRUZ

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Carranza, Mexican Constitutional Army, who now occupies the Mexican Embassy in Washington, issued tonight this statement relative to the reports that Carranza intended to order an attack on the American troops occupying Vera Cruz:

"I have been authorized by Mr. Carranza to brand as false the reports that he ordered an attack against the American troops in Vera Cruz, and that Sunday had been designated as the time for the assault."

Mr. Carranza had manifested on many occasions, and publicly declared many times, that it is the desire of both the Mexican people and himself to maintain the friendly relations with this country. It has always been the firm purpose of Mr. Carranza to maintain the most amicable attitude toward the American people and the American Government.

He wishes above all else that the American troops will evacuate Vera Cruz in a peaceful and friendly manner. Special Cable to The New York Times.

VERA CRUZ, Oct. 7.—A committee representing Gen. Candio Aguilar is canvassing the city asking resident merchants to sign a petition for American withdrawal threatening punishment later if they refused. Some money is extorted by this means.

GUTIERREZ FOR CARRANZA?

Bureau Here Cites a Message Repudiating Acts of Convention.

Gen. Eulalio Gutierrez, recently named as Provisional President of Mexico by the Aguascalientes Convention for twenty days, has sided with Venustiano Carranza, repudiates the nomination, and repudiates the convention and all its acts, according to a statement given out last night by the Mexican Bureau of Information at 17 Battery Place. The bureau made public a copy of a telegram said to have been received from Gen. Gutierrez, Gen. A. I. Villareal, Col. Trevino, L. Cabrera, and Gen. Jesus Carranza.

The bureau contends that the convention was dominated by Francisco Villa and that the appointment of Gutierrez was made to force him to declare for Villa or Carranza. Gutierrez, it is alleged, has sided with Carranza.

The telegram given out follows: "The undersigned with all the energy and dignity incumbent to all good Mexicans who are Constitutionalists and who are well intentioned for peace and prosperity of Mexico desire to enter our solemn protest against all of the acts of the so-called Aguascalientes conference which is in session at the said City of Aguascalientes, the evident illegality of declaring themselves the sovereign power, and by this means openly revolting against the First Chief in charge of the executive power, and finally bringing their deplorable conduct to climax by naming a Provisional President, thus violating the very terms of the Plan of Guadalupe to which they had sworn fealty and obedience as soldiers."

"We protest most energetically against every act of the so-called convention, because they have caused an accidental shot among the delegates of the Division of the North and of the South have been and can only be considered as treasonable acts against the precepts of said Plan of Guadalupe, and we now refuse to recognize the Provisional President named by the convention, and again re-affirm our allegiance to Venustiano Carranza, First Chief of the Constitutional Army in charge of the executive power in conformity with the Plan of Guadalupe."

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CYRIL MAUDE IS BACK.

Theatricals in England Almost at a Standstill, Actor Says.

Cyril Maude, the English actor, and his company, which is to present "Grumpy" in Boston commencing tomorrow night, arrived here yesterday on the Lapland, and will leave for Boston this morning. Mr. Maude said that the theatrical business in England was almost at a standstill as a result of the war.

"A few of the plays are making money," said Mr. Maude, "and one of them is 'Peg of My Heart,' with Laurette Taylor as the star. Miss Taylor scored an immense personal success as Peg, and in any other season her play would have been an enormous success."

My daughter Marjorie, who was my leading woman here last season in "Grumpy," has not returned with me. She has been playing in London in 'Young Wisdom,' which was seen over here first, but although the critics received the piece favorably business was not good, and I have written her to leave it. I dare say the American people are much concerned over the war, for I saw them today standing around in crowds reading the newspaper bulletins, but then New York seems very gay and happy as compared with London. In London, however, the people who have come over to England from France say 'You all seem very gay here,' so I suppose New York looks to me like London does to the French."

I am 32 years of age, and England cannot use me in the army for that reason. I would like to be at the front where my brother and several cousins are fighting, but I find that I can do some good by working hard and contributing as much money as possible to the relief funds."

Lord Kitchener, who, at the outbreak of the war, said that he believed that the terrible war would take three years to settle, told a friend of mine just before I sailed that he honestly believed next Spring would see an end of the whole business. We can only hope that he is right."

Auto Driver Kills Youth and Runs. The police of the Greenpoint Avenue Station are trying to establish the identity of a motor truck driver who yesterday ran down and fatally injured Harry Carlson, a clerk, 19 years old, of 238 Franklin Street, on Greenpoint Avenue. After the accident the chauffeur put on extra power and disappeared in the direction of the Borough of Queens. Carlson died later in the Eastern District Hospital of a fracture of the skull.

CHILDREN ACT A PLAY.

Orchestra of 32 Pieces Was Also Composed of Youngsters.

"A Rebel Royalist," a play of Revolutionary days in three acts, was given in the east ballroom of the Hotel Astor yesterday afternoon by children between 10 and 15 years old belonging to the International Art Society Juniors. The young actors were drilled by Mrs. James Ballantine of 331 West Eighty-seventh Street. They were Joseph Kantrowitz, Gordon Oppenheim, Grace Brown, Fannie Marx, Howard D. Eichler, Edward de Grandmont, Herbert Gunther and Albert Kantrowitz.

A thirty-two-piece orchestra composed of children between 10 and 15 years belonging to the society played several pieces under the direction of Max Jacobs of 8 West Ninety-eighth Street. Dr. J. Christopher Marks is musical director of the society.

GETS EMBEZZLER ABROAD.

Detective Returns from England with William Chandler.

Detective George Barnitt of the Central Office returned last night on the American liner St. Paul from Liverpool, where he went to bring back William J. Chandler, 23 years old, who was charged with embezzlement. Until June 16 last he was a clerk in the employ of Linderman & Co., piano dealers of 142 Fifth Avenue, and disappeared with \$588.

Chandler was arrested by the police of Liverpool on Sept. 14 as he was boarding a steamer for Montreal. He had been visiting his old home at Pontypriid, South Wales. When arrested the prisoner gave the detective \$250 in cash and said he had \$250 more he would restore in a bank in this city. The passengers were not aware that Chandler was a prisoner. They thought he and the detective had formed a sort of Damon and Pythias friendship.

THEATRICAL NOTES.

The end of Rose Stahl's play, "A Perfect Lady," will come next Saturday night, and on the following Monday "The Big Idea" will be presented at the Hudson Theatre by Charles Gilmore under the direction of Cohen & Harris.

Law Fields has elevated Jose Collins to stardom in the musical play "Suzi" at the Casino Theatre.

"The Ballet Girl" has been decided upon as the name for the new musical comedy in which Emma Trentini is to star. The piece opens next Wednesday night in Albany.

On Monday evening, Nov. 23, the performance of "My Lady's Dress" at the Little Italy Neighborhood House of Brooklyn, which was presented at the Hudson Theatre will present a complete new programme of one-act plays.

Oliver Morosco has branched out into the motion-picture business and will make film dramas of the plays he has presented on the regular stage.

A surprise party was given last night to Kenneth Douglas, leading man of "A Pair of Silk Stockings," by the members of his company in the green room of the Little Theatre on the occasion of the twenty-first anniversary of his going on the stage.

The Motion Picture Exhibitors' Association of Greater New York, comprising almost every motion picture theatre in the city in conjunction with the War Children's Christmas Entertainment in the theatres of New York, is planning a collection of gifts for the war-stricken children of Europe.

Charles Frohman has arranged a Chicago engagement for "The Beautiful Adventure" which will be the principal part at the Blackstone Theatre on Nov. 30.

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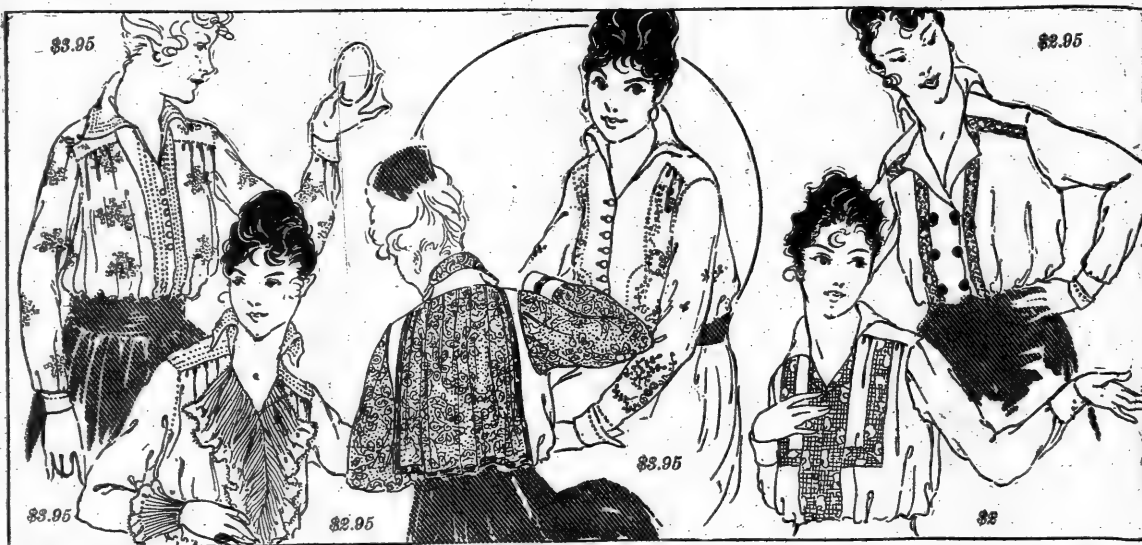
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Additional Space on Main Aisle, Main Floor and Second Floor



Utica Bleached Sheets—Size Before Hemming

Size	Reg.	Now	Size	Reg.	Now
54x90 in.	80c	55c	72x108 in.	\$1.10	85c
63x90 in.	85c	60c	81x 90 in.	95c	70c
63x99 in.	95c	70c	81x 99 in.	\$1.05	80c
72x90 in.	85c	65c	90x 90 in.	\$1.15	90c
72x99 in.	\$1	75c	90x108 in.	\$1.25	\$1

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45x36 in.; made of a standard grade bleached muslin; scalloped in initialed daytime and open-work eyelet pillow cases.

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Comfortables, \$7.50 each

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Main and Second Floors

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45x36 in.	22c	18c	45x36 in.	22c	18c
45x38 1/2 in.	25c	20c	45x38 1/2 in.	25c	20c
50x38 1/2 in.	28c	22c	50x38 1/2 in.	28c	22c

\$2.85 New Satin-Finish White Bedspreads, \$1.75

Only 500; full size; hemmed and ready for use. The same, daintily scalloped and with cut-out corners; regularly \$3.25, at \$2.

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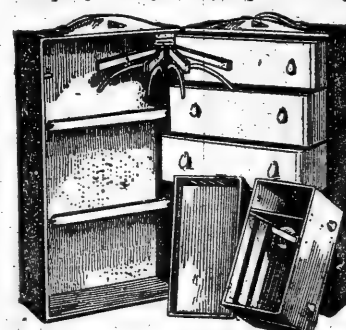
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\$55,073 Worth to be Sold for \$29,411

The values quoted are the absolutely fixed European prices for these trunks—hence the savings are actual. To begin with—for the first time ever quoted:

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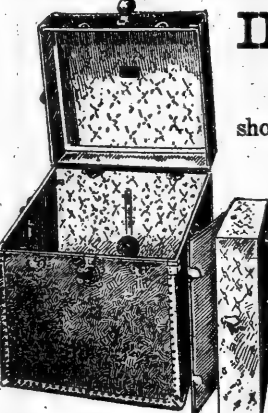
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Innovation Wardrobe Trunks, Grades 6 and 7, at \$40. Price abroad, £15.0.0 to £19.0.0, equal to \$75 to \$95.

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One of the greatest luxuries of traveling; holding from 14 to 16 pairs of shoes; 21 and 32 in. long; splendid shoe closets when at home.



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For hats and Shoes, Waists and Shoes, etc.; black enamel or canvas-covered and bound with fibre.

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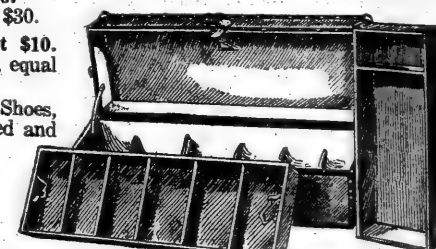
Price abroad, £8.10.0, equal to \$45.

Innovation Shirt Trunks (5 only) at \$12.50.

Price abroad, £7.0.0, equal to \$35.

Innovation Combination Trunks at \$15.

Prices abroad, £6.10.0 to £12.12.0, equal to \$32.50 to \$62.50.



\$10 Price Abroad, £4.10.0 to £5.15.0, equal to \$22.50 to \$30.

INNOVATION Steamer Trunks at \$8.50

Prices Abroad, £3 to £5—equal to \$15 to \$25.

Splendid travelers; sizes 28 to 44 in.; canvas covered and fibre bound.

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Style 7, canvas covered and fibre bound; most conveniently appointed; sizes 34 to 42 in.

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Corrugated, fibre covered; lengths, 28 to 44 in.; highest grade.

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Great as the quantity is, many styles of which lots are limited will undoubtedly be sold out on the first day, especially among the very desirable Hat, Shoe, Steamer and Small Wardrobe Trunks, which have never been sold at anything like these low prices. Early attendance is therefore highly desirable.

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Main Floor

ALBANY AWAITS BIGGEST SHAKE-UP

Democrats Are to be Swept
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Thirty Department Heads or
Commissioners to Retire
as Terms Expire.

EXEMPT JOBS IN JEOPARDY

Score of Commissions, Including the
Athletic, May Be Abolished—
Legislature to Help.

The biggest shake-up in the history of the State is impending at Albany. Gov.-elect Whitman, when he takes office, it may be stated on the highest authority, will go through all the departments with a fine-tooth comb and weed out the undesirable in the interest of the general scheme of reform to which he stands pledged.

Every office holder of the present Democratic régime whom the Governor can reach is to be swept out of office and a Republican put in his place, according to the programme. That applies not only to heads of departments, but to employees in the exempt class who can be removed summarily. Not even State employees who may believe that they are protected by the civil service will be secure whenever the Governor shall have become convinced that they ought to be thrown out in the interest of efficiency.

In the general scheme of house cleaning patronage to the value of \$1,000,000 and upward in annual salaries will be transferred from Democrats to Republicans.

"Chief Prosecutor of State."
Gov.-elect Whitman is prepared to take drastic steps to bring about the changes which he believes the people of the State, when they gave him his tremendous plurality, commissioned him to put into effect.

The Governor's power of summary removal will be brought into play freely, his power to act as Grand Inquisitor will be utilized whenever the summary power of removal does not apply, and he intends to make good his promise, frequently made in the campaign, that during his term of office he will be "the Chief Prosecutor of the State, as well as its Chief Executive."

If investigations by Executive authority are required before the Executive axe swings they will be ordered by Mr. Whitman, and half a dozen of the most important State departments, including the Highway Department, the Public Service Commission, the State Banking Department, the State Insurance Department, and the State Excise Department, are already on the list, with the distinct possibility that any derelictions discovered in their management may be called to the attention of the courts as well as occasion a change in the personnel.

Where the Executive power does not prove sufficient to effect the desired changes, the powers of a willing Republican Legislature to abolish departments and create new and differently organized ones will be invoked.

For Republicans Only.

Thirty appointments of department heads or members of commissions with salaries ranging all the way from \$15,000 to \$2,500, and with patronage as plenty in the gift, can be made by the Governor without resort to any drastic method, because their terms will expire in the Whitman administration. But these are overshadowed in importance by the changes that may be effected by any general scheme of reorganization of the State service. Mr. Whitman may decide to undertake with the aid of the Legislature and the Constitutional Convention, both of which bodies will be controlled by his own party.

His scheme for a general house cleaning at the capital is likely to meet with few obstacles, especially as he has more than intimated that it is his intention to put only Republicans on guard.

Where legal obstacles intervene against the removal of a Democratic officeholder the incumbent can be legislated out of office either through a general reorganization of the department involved or by refusal to make an appropriation for the payment of his salary. Both methods were freely resorted to in 1911, when Tammany Hall dominated the Democratic State organization and the Democrats were in unchecked control of the Legislature.

Appointments to Be Made.

Here are appointments which the new Governor will be in a position to make without resort to legislative action or any other method of "reorganization":
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSIONERS.—Three Commissioners to succeed Milo R. Malbie in the First District and Martin S. Decker in the Second District, whose terms will expire on Feb. 1, 1915, and J. Sergeant Cram in the First District, whose term will expire on Feb. 1, 1916. The salary is \$15,000 and term of office runs for five years.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.—Secretary to the Governor, \$5,000; counsel, \$5,000; military secretary, \$2,000; executive legal adviser, \$4,500; executive auditor, \$4,000; appointment clerk, \$2,500; record clerk, \$3,500; minor positions, \$7,500.

COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE to take the place of Calvin J. Huxon whose term expires on Jan. 22; salary, \$8,000; term of office three years. The incidental patronage in this department includes four deputies, secretaries, and counsel.

STATE FAIR COMMISSION.—Two Commissioners to take the place of Charles A. Wiegman of Cobleskill, whose term expires in May, 1915, and W. Barry Murphy of Medina, whose term comes to an end in June, 1916. Salary, \$3,000; term of office, five years.

STATE ARCHITECT in place of Lewis P. Plisker of Brooklyn. The State

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Women's Fur-Trimmed
Broadcloth Suits
At \$22.74 and \$26.75

COPY OF BERNARD MODELS
These fine Broadcloth Suits show exceptional tailoring, newest styles, at low prices named.

Two Examples Selected from the Above Suits

At \$22.74

A dressy Broadcloth Suit of either navy, brown or green. The short coat is the new loose straight line effect. It is fur-trimmed at the bottom, and the fur forms the collar and cuffs. The full tunic skirt is banded with fur.

At \$26.75

Very fine quality broadcloth in shades of navy, brown and green. The coat is Russian blouse effect with fur band for collar, cuffs and elongated back. Self-covered buttons are used generously as a trimming. The full gathered skirt is finished with a narrow stitched belt.

74 Fine Tailored Suits

ORIGINALLY \$32.75 Now \$16.74

The materials are chevrons, gabardines and broadcloths; styles include various length Coats in the season's favored models.

THIRD FLOOR, 34TH STREET.

Special Purchase
131 High Grade
Afternoon Dresses
\$28.75

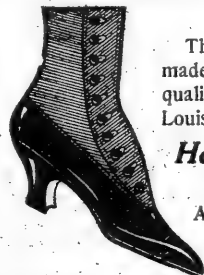
If bought in the usual way the price would be \$42.00 to \$60.00

THIS is a choice sample collection of Afternoon Dresses for every occasion. The materials are satins, plain and chiffon velvets and crepe de chine. Many are elaborate, with chiffon, laces, and embroidery—others are fur trimmed. Colors: Black, Navy, Burgundy, Copenhagen-Blue, and many unusual shades typical of the new season. These are smart costumes for the tea dance, matinee, calling, promenade or restaurant.

THIRD FLOOR, CENTRE.

Women's Dress and
Walking BOOTS,
(pair), \$3.96

Standard Price, \$6.00



This very dressy Shoe (as illustrated) is made of Patent Leather or Gun-Metal, fine quality black cloth tops, welted soles and Louis Cuban heels.

Handsome Shoe Ornaments
about One-Third Off

A most comprehensive assortment of high-grade rhinestone and cut steel buckles and slides, in beautiful designs, many of which are imported, are offered at a saving of about 33 1/3 per cent. To facilitate selection, these Ornaments will be displayed on a special table, in our Shoe Department, and the prices will range from:

69c to \$24.89

Macy's prices were 98c to \$36.89.

SECOND FLOOR, REAR.

Mercerized Silk
Tricot Corsets,
\$1.89

Standard Price, \$5.00



This Corset is designed for misses and small women. Made of excellent quality silk mercerized tricot, with elastic top, slightly boned, and two pairs of silk elastic supporters. Pink and white. Copy of an imported model, as illustrated.

THIRD FLOOR, 34TH STREET.

Noteworthy Sale of 48-to-50 inch
Ponyskin Coatings (yd.) \$2.69

Advertised Elsewhere as a Special at (yd.) \$2.90

Weight suitable for extra Coats or two-piece Suits. A beautiful black and very silky.

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Plush (yd.), \$4.96
Ideal for Coats and Capes.
Equal to \$8.50 grades sold
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56-Inch Storm
Serge (yd.), 79c
Navy blue, and a few colors.

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Silk Brocade
Plush (yd.), \$2.88
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Splendid grade, in Black
only. Made expressly for
Wraps.

SECOND FLOOR, BROADWAY.

Foreign and Domestic
Crepe Granite
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All-wool, 54 inches wide.
Black and the newest street
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piece suits or dresses. Simi-
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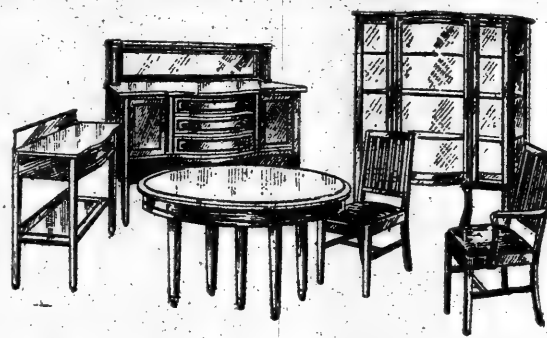
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SURPRISE FOR PENN STATE.
Lehigh Outplays Their Opponents
In Nearly Every Phase of Game.
Special to The New York Times.
SOUTH BETHLEHEM, Penn., Nov. 10.

In practically every phase of the game Lehigh had the better of it. Penn State found in Lehigh's line the biggest surprise, making only two first downs through it, and the three others made more due to forward passing. In

stronger. On gains through the Penn State line Leigh made ten first downs and two more on forward passes.

In the forward pass game Penn State was a shade the better, succeeding in four out of thirteen tries and Leigh in three out of seven. Penn State's success was due to the fact that it was directly due to the clever forward passing of James, he throwing in success on to Morris, Clarke, and again to Morris, the latter breaking away for a 25-yard run for Leigh's 3-yard line, from which point Clarke plunged the remaining distance. Only one other time did Penn State have a chance to score. It followed shortly after the previous play when a ball which was blocked and Morris fell on it on Leigh's 30-yard line. Penn State could not gain through

A certain element of luck favored Lehigh in her two touchdowns, which came in the second period. In the middle of the field Clarke fumbled and Cahall was Johnny-on-the-spot. He gathered in the bounding ball and ran 45 yards for the score. It was shortly after the 30-yard run that Cahall made a surprising punt and ran 43 yards for the second touchdown. Lehigh was in the first period score, when in the first period Cahall dropped a pretty field goal between the bars. He duplicated it in the fourth period when he scored from the 50-yard line. One other time at the end of the third period Cahall's attempt for a field

wide. In the early part of the fourth period Lehigh had a chance to score a touchdown (but failed). Cahall's forward pass to Chenoweth for 35 yards brought the ball to State's 50-yard line. State braced, and as a final effort Chenoweth threw a pass over the goal line to Good, who dropped the ball. The line-up:

Penn State.	Posttown.	Lehigh.
Morris	Left end	Fred Green
Kratt	Left tackle	Tate
Miller	Left guard	Ostrum

McDowell	Right guard	Becker
Lamb	Right tackle	Richard
Barron	Right end	Sawyer
James	Quarter back	Chenoweth
Welty	Left half back	Cahala
Edgerton	Right half back	Hoba
Clarke	Full back	Haiste

Score by quarters: Lehigh—3, 14, 0, 3—20.
 Penn State—0, 0, 7—7.

Touchdowns: Cahall, Sawtall, Clarke. Goals: Lehigh—(2) Lamb, (2) Cahall. Penn State—(2) Lamb, (2) Cahall.

Substitutions: Penn State—Ewing for Edgerton.

top, Higgins for Barron, Manawn for James, James for Manawn, Sutton for McDowell, Yerger for Ewing, Ewing for Yerger, Barron for Higgins, McDowell for Sutton, Edgerton for Ewing, Lehigh-Pons for Becker, Franz Green for Pons, Good for Fred Green, Maguinness for Caball, Fred Green for Good, Caball for Maguinness, Kirkpatrick for Sam

Referee—Mr. Morice, University of Pennsylvania. Umpire—Mr. Bemis, University of Pennsylvania. Host Linemen—Mr. W. L. Cornell. Field Judge—Mr. Ponda, Stevens Institute. Linemen—Mr. McKay, Penn State. Mr. Pazzetti, Lehigh. Time of period—Fifty-minute quarters.

R. P. L.	Position	Stevens
Prager	Left tackle	Stevens
Frank	Left guard	Stevens
McKenzie	Right guard	Stevens
Morse	Right tackle	Stevens
Parrott	Quarter	Stevens
O'Harra	Quarter	Stevens
Gallagher	Right half	Stevens
Lockman	Full back	Stevens
Substitutions		
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Yena, Howell for Marshall	Soper for St. Paul	
Herstoff for Webb	Referee—C. B. Granger	
Springfield	Referee—C. B. Granger	
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negger, Harvard	Law School	
Goals from touchdowns—O'Harra, Gall		

Montclair Defeats St. Paul.
Special to The New York Times.
MONTCLAIR, N. J., Nov. 7.—The Montclair Academy eleven defeated the St. Paul School team of Garden City, N. Y., 10-0, in the final game of the season. The Academy excelled on forward passes by Capt. Hazel to Spence and Lebrun, while St. Paul made gains by the running game. The defense was led by Emery and Reed, the visitors threatened the final period to turn the game against Montclair. The Montclair players had to make a garrison flinch, but Capt. Hazel wrecked their plans by intercepting a pass. The game was decided in the twenty minutes through a broken field for Montclair. As a result, the visitors were forced to concede. Hazel excelled on all around the field. The game was a hard fought, tickling and on defensive. Radford ran his men brilliantly behind interference in this match.

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THE INTERNATIONAL POSSE COMITATUS

By THEODORE ROOSEVELT

Sixth Article in His Series on What America Should Learn from the War

MOST Western Americans who are past middle age remember young, rapidly growing, and turbulent communities in which there was at first complete anarchy. During the time when there was no central police power to which to appeal every man worth his salt, in other words, every man fit for existence in such a community, had to be prepared to defend himself; and, usually, although not always, the fact that he was prepared saved him from all trouble, whereas unpreparedness was absolutely certain to invite disaster.

In such communities before there was a regular and fully organized police force there came an interval during which the preservation of the peace depended upon the action of a single official, a Sheriff or Marshal, who, if the law was defied in arrogant fashion, summoned a posse comitatus composed of as many armed, thoroughly efficient, law-abiding citizens as was necessary in order to put a stop to the wrongdoing. Under these conditions each man had to keep himself armed and both able and willing to respond to the call of the peace officer; and, furthermore, if he had a shred of wisdom, he kept himself ready on an emergency to act on his own behalf if the peace officer did not or could not do his duty.

In such towns I have myself more than once seen well-meaning but foolish citizens endeavor to meet the exigencies of the case by simply passing resolutions of disarmament without any power back of them. That is, they passed self-denying ordinances saying that nobody was to carry arms, but they failed to provide methods for carrying such ordinances into effect. In every case the result was the same. Good citizens for the moment abandoned their weapons. The bad men continued to carry them. Things grew worse instead of better; and then the good men came to their senses and clothed some representative of the police power to employ force, potential or existing, against the wrongdoers.

Affairs in the international world are at this time in analogous condition. There is no central police power, and not the least likelihood of having one organized. Well-meaning enthusiasts have tried their hands to an almost unlimited extent in the way of devising all-inclusive arbitration treaties, neutrality treaties, disarmament proposals, and the like, with no force back of them, and the result has been stupendous and discreditable failure.

Unpreparedness Invites Conquest.

UNPREPAREDNESS for war on the part of individual nations has sometimes, but always, averted war. Unpreparedness for war, as in the case of China, Korea, and Luxemburg, has invariably invited smashing disaster, and sometimes complete conquest. Surely these conditions should teach a lesson that any man who runs may read unless his eyes have been blinded by folly or his heart weakened by cowardice.

The first and immediately vital lesson for each individual nation is that as things are now it must in time of crisis rely on its own stout hearts and ready hands for self-defense. Existing treaties are utterly worthless so far as concerns protecting any free, well-behaved people from one of the great aggressive military monarchies of the world. The all-inclusive arbitration treaties such as those recently negotiated by Messrs. Wilson and Bryan, when taken in connection with our refusal to act under existing treaties, represent about the highest point of slightly mischievous fatuity which can be attained in international matters.

Inasmuch as we ourselves are the power that initiated their negotiation, we can do our plain duty to ourselves and our neighbors only by ourselves proceeding from the outset on the theory, and by warning our neighbors, that these treaties in any time of crisis will certainly not be respected by any serious adversary, and probably will of necessity be violated by ourselves. They do not in even the very smallest degree relieve us of the necessity of preparedness for war. To this point of our duty to preparedness I will return later.

The second point is that we ought not, and must not, rest content merely with

working for our own defense. The utterly appalling calamity that has befallen the civilized world during the last three months, and above all the horrible catastrophe that has overwhelmed Belgium without Belgium's having the smallest responsibility in the matter, must make the least thoughtful realize how unsatisfactory is the present basis of international relations among civilized powers.

In order to make things better several things are necessary. We must clearly grasp the fact that mere selfish avoidance of duty to others, even although covered by such fine words as "peace" and "neutrality," is a wretched thing, and an obstacle to securing the peace of righteousness throughout the world. We must recognize clearly the old common law doctrine that a right without a remedy is void. We must firmly grasp the fact that measures should be taken to put force back of good faith in the observance of treaties. The worth of treaties depends purely upon the good faith with which they are executed; and it is mischievous folly to enter into treaties without providing for their execution, and wicked folly to enter into them if they ought not to be executed.

Powers Must Enforce Hague Decrees.

IT is necessary to devise means for putting the collective and efficient strength of all the great powers of civilization back of any well-behaved power which is wronged by another power. In other words, we must devise means for executing treaties in good faith, by the establishment of some great international tribunal and by securing the enforcement of the decrees of this tribunal through the action of a posse comitatus of powerful and civilized nations, all of them being bound by solemn agreement to coerce any power that offends against the decrees of the tribunal.

That there will be grave difficulties in successfully working out this plan I would be the first to concede, and I would be the first to insist that to work it out successfully would be impossible unless the nations acted in good faith. But the plan is feasible; and it is the only one which at the moment offers any chance of success.

Ever since the days of Henry IV. of France there has been a growth, slow and halting, to be sure, but yet evidently a growth, in recognition by the public conscience of civilized nations that there should be a method of making the rules of international morality obligatory and binding among the powers. But merely to trust to public opinion without organized force back of it is silly. Force must be put back of justice, and nations must not shrink from the duty of proceeding by any means that are necessary against wrongdoers. It is the failure to recognize these vital truths that has rendered the actions of our Government during the last four or five years impotent to preserve world peace and fruitful only in earning for us the half-veiled derision of other nations.

The attitude of our own Government during the last three months shows how worthless the present treaties, unbacked by force, are, and how utterly ineffective mere passive neutrality is to secure even the smallest advance in world morality. I have been very reluctant in any way to criticize the action of the present Administration in foreign affairs; I have faithfully, and in some cases against my own deep-rooted personal convictions, sought to justify what it has done in Mexico and as regards the present war; but the time has come when loyalty to the Administration's action in foreign affairs means disloyalty to our national self-interest and to our obligations toward humanity at large.

As regards Belgium the Administration has clearly taken the ground that our own selfish ease forbids us to fulfill our explicit obligations to small neutral States when they are deeply wronged. It will never be possible in any war to commit a clearer breach of international morality than that committed by Germany in the invasion and subjugation of Belgium. Every one of the nations involved in this war and the United States as well have committed such outrages in the past. But the very purpose of

The Hague conventions and of all similar international actions was to put a stop to such misconduct in the future.

At the outset I ask our people to remember that what I say is based on the assumption that we are bound in good faith to fulfill our treaty obligations; that we will neither favor nor condemn any other nation except on the ground of its behavior; that we feel as much good will to the people of Germany or Austria as to the people of England, of France, or of Russia; that we speak for Belgium only as we could speak for Holland or Switzerland or one of the Scandinavian or Balkan nations; and that if the circumstances as regards Belgium had been reversed, we would have protested as emphatically against wrong action by England or France as we now protest against wrong action by Germany.

The United States and all the great powers now at war were parties to the international code created in the regulations annexed to The Hague conventions of 1899 and 1907. As President, acting on behalf of this Government, and in accordance with the unanimous wish of our people, I ordered the signature of the United States to these conventions. Most emphatically I would not have permitted such a farce to have gone through if it had entered my head that this Government would not consider itself bound to do all it could to see that the regulations to which it made itself a party were actually observed when the necessity for their observance arose. I cannot imagine any sensible nation thinking it worth while to sign future Hague conventions if even such a powerful neutral as the United States does not care enough about them to protest against their open breach. Of the present neutral powers, the United States of America is the most disinterested and the strongest, and should therefore bear the main burden of the responsibility in this matter.

It is quite possible to make an argument to the effect that we never should have entered into The Hague conventions, because our sole duty is to ourselves and not to others, and our sole concern should be to keep ourselves at peace, at any cost, and not to help other powers that are oppressed, and not to protest against wrongdoing. I do not myself accept this view; but in practice it is the view taken by the present Administration, apparently with at the moment the approval of the mass of our people. Such a policy, while certainly far-sighted nor worthy of a high-spirited and lofty-souled nation, is yet in a sense understandable and in a sense defensible.

But it is quite indefensible to make agreements and not live up to them. The climax of absurdity is for any Administration to do what the present Administration during the past three months has done. Mr. Wilson's Administration has shirked the duty plainly imposed on it by the obligations of the conventions already entered into; and at the same time it has sought to obtain cheap credit by entering into a couple of score new treaties infinitely more drastic than the old ones, and quite impossible of honest fulfillment.

Unworthy Abandonment of Duty on Our Part.

WHEN the Belgian people complained of violations of The Hague Tribunal, it was a mockery, it was a timid and unworthy abandonment of duty on our part, for President Wilson to refer them back to The Hague Court, when he knew that The Hague Court was less than a shadow unless the United States by doing its clear duty gave The Hague Court some substance. If The Hague conventions represented nothing but the expression of feeble aspirations toward decency, uttered only in time of profound peace, and not to be even expressed above a whisper when with awful bloodshed and suffering the conventions were broken, then it was idle folly to enter into them.

If, on the other hand, they meant anything, if the United States had a serious purpose, a serious sense of its obligations to world righteousness, when it entered into them, then its plain duty as the trustee of civilization is to investigate the charges solemnly made as to the violation of The Hague conventions. If such investigation

is made, and if the charges prove well founded, then it is the duty of the United States to take whatever action may be necessary to vindicate the principles of international law set forth in these conventions.

I am not concerned with the charges of individual atrocity. The prime fact is that Belgium committed no offense whatever, and yet that her territory has been invaded and her people subjugated. This prime fact cannot be left out of consideration in dealing with any matter that has occurred in connection with it. Her neutrality has certainly been violated, and this is in clear violation of the fundamental principles of The Hague conventions.

It appears clear that undefended towns have been bombarded, and that towns which were defended have been attacked with bombs at a time when no attack was made upon the defenses. This is certainly in contravention of The Hague agreement forbidding the bombardment of undefended towns.

United States Ought to Take Some Action.

ILLEGAL and excessive contributions are expressly condemned under Articles 49 and 52 of the conventions. If these articles do not forbid the levying of such sums as \$40,000,000 from Brussels and \$90,000,000 from the Province of Brabant, then the articles are absolutely meaningless. Articles 43 and 50 explicitly forbid the infliction of a collective penalty, pecuniary or otherwise, on a population on account of acts of individuals for which it cannot be regarded as collectively responsible. Either this prohibition is meaningless, or it prohibits just such acts as the punitive destruction of Vise, Louvain, Aerschot, and Dinant. Furthermore, a great deal of the appalling devastation of Central and East Central Belgium has been apparently terrorizing and not punitive in its purpose, and this is explicitly forbidden by The Hague conventions.

Now, it may be that there is an explanation and justification for a portion of what has been done. But if The Hague conventions mean anything, and if bad faith in the observation of treaties is not to be treated with cynical indifference, then the United States Government should inform itself as to the facts, and should at least put itself on record in reference thereto. The extent to which the action should go may properly be a subject for discussion. But that there should be some action is beyond discussion; unless, indeed, we ourselves are content to take the view that treaties, conventions, and international engagements and agreements of all kinds are to be treated by us and by everybody else as what they have been authoritatively declared to be, "scraps of paper," the writing on which is intended for no better purpose than temporarily to amuse the feeble-minded.

If the above statements seem in the eyes of my German friends hostile to Germany, let me emphasize the fact that they are predicated upon a course of action which, if extended and applied, as it should be extended and applied, would range the United States upon the side of Germany if any such assault were made upon Germany as has been made upon Belgium, or if either Belgium or any of the other allies committed similar wrongdoing.

Many Germans assert and believe that if Germany had not acted as she did, France and England would have invaded Belgium and have committed similar wrongs. In such case it would have been our clear duty to behave toward them exactly as we ought now to behave toward Germany. But the fact that other powers might under other conditions do wrong affords no justification for failure to act on the wrong that has actually been committed.

It must always be kept in mind, however, that we cannot expect the nation against whose actions we protest to accept our position as warranted, unless we make clear that we have both the will and the power to interfere on behalf of that nation if in its turn it is oppressed. In other words, we must show that we believe in right, and therefore in living up to our promises in good faith; and, furthermore, that we are

both able and ready to put might behind right.

As I have before said, I think that the party in Germany which believes in a policy of aggression represents but a minority of the nation. It is powerful only because the great majority of the German people are rightfully in fear of aggression at the expense of Germany, and sanction striking only because they fear lest they themselves be struck. The greatest service that could be rendered to peace would be to convince Germany, as well as other powers, that in such event we would do all we could on behalf of the power that was wronged.

Extremists in England, France, and Russia talk as if the proper outcome of the present war would be the utter dismemberment of Germany and her reduction to impotence such as that which followed for her upon the Thirty Years' War. I have actually received letters from Frenchmen and Englishmen upbraiding me for what they regard as a pro-German leaning in these articles I have written. To these well-meaning persons I can only say that Americans who remember the extreme bitterness felt by Northerners for Southerners, and Southerners for Northerners, at the end of the civil war, are saddened but in no wise astonished that other peoples should show a like bitterness.

I can only repeat that to dismember and hopelessly shatter Germany would be a frightful calamity for mankind, precisely as the dismemberment and shattering of the British Empire or of the French Republic would be. It is right that the United States should regard primarily its own interests. But I believe that I speak for a considerable number of my countrymen when I say that we ought not solely to consider our own interests. Above all, we should not do as the present Administration does; for it refuses to take any concrete action in favor of any nation which is wronged; and yet it also refuses to act so that we may ourselves be sufficient for our own protection.

We ought not to trust in words unbacked by deed. We should be able to defend ourselves. We should also be ready and able to join in preventing the infliction of disaster of the kind of which I speak upon any civilized power, great or small, whether it be Germany or England, Belgium or Hungary, Russia or Japan.

So much for questions of international right, and of our duty to others in international affairs. Now for our duty to ourselves.

International Morality Still Low and Irregular.

ASINCERE desire to act well toward other nations must not blind us to the fact that as yet the standard of international morality is both low and irregular. The behavior of the great military empires of the Old World, in reference to their treaty obligations and their moral obligations, toward countries such as Belgium, Finland, and Korea, shows that it would be utter folly for us in any grave crisis to trust to anything save our own preparedness and resolution for our safety.

The other day there appeared in the newspapers extracts from a translation of a report made by a General of the Prussian Army Staff outlining the plan of operations by Germany in the event of war with America. Great surprise was expressed by innocent Americans that such plans should be in existence, and private individuals stated unofficially that the account was incorrect—although there were no official denials. Neither the resentment expressed nor yet the denials of fact were necessary.

One feature of the admirable preparedness in which Germany and Japan stand so far above all other nations, and especially above our own, is their careful consideration of hostilities with all possible antagonists. Bernhardi's famous books treat of possible war with Austria, and possible attack by Austria upon Germany, although the prime lessons that they teach are those contained in the possibility of war as it has actually occurred, with Germany and Austria in alliance. This does not indicate German hostility to Austria; it merely indi-

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VIVIANI STATES FRANCE'S CASE

Premier's Speech Before French Legislature
Printed in Full for First Time

Republic's Position in Clash of European Powers,
As Set Forth by Him at Historic Session of
Aug. 4, 1914, on the Eve of the German Invasion.

The speech printed below was made by Premier Viviani before the French Senate and House of Deputies, Aug. 4, 1914. It has been called by M. J. Jusserand, French Ambassador to the United States, "the chief document printed up to now in which the French situation, with reference to the present war, has been expounded."

GENTLEMEN, the German Ambassador left Paris yesterday, after having notified us of the existence of a state of war. The Government is in duty bound to give Parliament a truthful record of the events which, within less than ten days, have brought about war in Europe and obliged France, peaceful and strong, to defend her frontier against an attack the premeditated suddenness of which emphasizes its odious injustice.

This attack, entirely inexcusable and begun before any declaration of war notified us of it, is the last act in a plan whose origin and aim I intend to lay bare before our republic and before civilized public opinion.

After the abominable crime which cost the lives of the heir to the Austro-Hungarian throne and of the Duchess of Hohenberg, trouble arose between the Governments of Vienna and Belgrade.

Most of the great powers were not informed of this except semi-officially up to Friday, the 24th of July, on which day the Ambassadors of Austria-Hungary sent them a circular note, which has been published in the newspapers.

The object of this note was to explain and justify an ultimatum sent the evening before to Serbia, through the Austrian Minister at Belgrade.

This ultimatum asserted that a number of Serbian subjects and associations were implicated in the crime of Sarajevo, and implied that members of the Serbian Government themselves were not without complicity in it. It demanded a reply from Serbia, giving Saturday, July 25, at 6 in the evening, as the time limit.

Austria Amazes Allies.

The reparations demanded, or, at least, some among them, unquestionably were derogatory to the rights of a sovereign nation. But in spite of their extreme character Serbia, on July 25, declared that she submitted to them almost without a reservation of any sort.

The advice transmitted by France, Russia, and Great Britain from the

very first to Belgrade was not without its effect in bringing about this submission, which was a success for Austria-Hungary and likewise a guarantee toward the maintenance of European peace.

This advice was all the more valuable in view of the fact that Austria-Hungary's demands had been inadequately foreshadowed to the Governments of the Triple Entente, to whom, during the three preceding weeks, the Austro-Hungarian Government had repeatedly given assurances that its demands would be extremely moderate.

It was, therefore, with justified astonishment that the Cabinets of Paris, St. Petersburg, and London heard, on July 26, that the Austrian Minister at Belgrade, after an examination lasting only a few minutes, had declared the Serbian reply unacceptable and broken off diplomatic relations.

Germany the Stumbling Block.

This astonishment was rendered greater by the fact that, on Friday, the 21st, the German Ambassador had visited the French Minister of Foreign Affairs for the purpose of reading to him a note to the effect that the Austro-Serbian dispute should be localized and not made the subject of intervention by the great powers, and that, unless such were the case, "incalculable consequences" were to be feared. Like action was taken on Saturday, the 25th, at London and St. Petersburg.

It is necessary, gentlemen, to point out to you the difference between the menacing methods employed by the German Ambassador at Paris and the conciliatory sentiments of which the powers of the Triple Alliance had just given proof by their advice to Serbia to submit.

Nevertheless, passing over the abnormal character of the German action, we, in conjunction with our allies and friends, immediately instituted measures of conciliation and invited Germany to take part in them.

From the very first we were charged to find that our acts and efforts found no echo at Berlin.

Not only did Germany seem unwilling to give Austria-Hungary the amicable advice which her situation authorized her to give, but, from that very time and even more in the ensuing days, she seemed to place herself between the Vienna Cabinet and the propositions of a compromise emanating from the other powers.

On Tuesday, July 28, Austria-Hun-

gary declared war on Serbia. This declaration of war, complicating forty-eight hours after the situation brought about by the rupture of diplomatic relations, lent color to the assumption that there had been a premeditated plan to make war, a systematic programme for the subjugation of Serbia.

Thus not only the independence of a brave nation became involved, but also the balance of power in the Balkans, set forth in the Treaty of Bucharest of 1913, and sanctioned by the moral adhesion of all the great powers.

Notwithstanding, at the suggestion of the British Government, always interested in the most steadfast manner in the maintenance of European peace, the negotiations continued, or, to be more exact, the powers constituting the Triple Entente tried to continue them.

To their common desire was due the proposition for quadruple action, viz., by England, France, Germany, and Italy, with the object of assuring to Austria all legitimate reparation and bringing about an equitable arrangement of the difficulty. On Wednesday, the 29th, the Russian Government, noting the persistent blocking of these attempts, Austria's mobilization and her declaration of war, and fearing that Serbia would be crushed by military force, decided, as a preventive measure, to mobilize her troops in four military zones, namely, only those stationed along the Austro-Hungarian frontier.

In doing this it took care to notify the German Government that this step, limited in character and not constituting an offensive move against Austria, was not in any way directed against Germany.

In a conversation with the Russian Ambassador at Berlin the German Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs showed no objection to recognizing this.

Germany Becomes Warlike.

On the other hand, all the attempts of Great Britain, backed by Russia and with the support of France, for establishing contact between Austria and Serbia under the moral auspices of Europe, was met in Berlin by a premeditated negative attitude, the existence of which is absolutely proved by the diplomatic communications.

This made a troublesome state of affairs which pointed to the existence at Berlin of certain mental reservations. A few hours later these suppositions and fears were destined to be changed into certainties.

For the negative attitude of Germany was transformed thirty-six hours later into truly alarming initiative. On July 31, Germany, by declaring a state of war, cut off the communication between herself and the rest of Europe, and gave herself perfect freedom to make military preparations against France, in complete secrecy, which nothing, as you have seen, could justify.

During several days and under conditions difficult to explain Germany had been preparing to change her army from a peace to a war footing.

From July 25 in the morning, that is even before the expiration of the time limit set by Austria, she had brought to their full strength the garrisons in Alsace-Lorraine. On the same day she had placed the works close to the frontier in a state of effective armament. On the 28th she had prescribed for the railroads the preparatory measures for concentration. On the 27th she had made requisitions and placed her covering troops in position. On the 28th the summoning of individual reservists began, including those distant from the frontier.

Could we be left in doubt as to Germany's intentions after her taking all these measures with relentless thoroughness?

France Forced to Act.

This, then, was the situation when, on July 31, in the evening, the German Government, which had not taken any positive part since the 24th in the conciliatory efforts of the Triple Entente, sent to the Russian Government an ultimatum alleging that Russia had ordered the general mobilization of her armies, and demanding the cessation of this mobilization within twelve hours.

This demand, all the more offensive as to form when it is borne in mind that a few hours earlier Emperor Nicholas, actuated by an spontaneous feeling of confidence, had asked the German Emperor to mediate, was made at the moment when, at the request of England and with the knowledge of Germany, the Russian Government was accepting a proposition of a kind calculated to bring about an amicable arrangement of the Austro-Serbian conflict and of the Austro-Russian difficulties by means of the simultaneous cessation of military operations and preparations.

On the same day there were added to this unfriendly step toward Russia acts of distinct hostility toward France: rupture of communications by roads, railways, telegraph, and telephone, seizure of French locomotives upon arrival at the frontier, placing of rapid-fire guns in the middle of railway lines which had been torn up, and concentration of troops on our frontier.

From that moment it was impossible for us to believe any longer in the sincerity of the pacific protestations which the representative of Germany continued to lavish upon us.

We were aware that, under the shelter of the declaration of a state of war which Germany had made, she was mobilizing.

We learned that six classes of reservists had been summoned and that concentration of army corps was under way, even of those corps stationed a long distance from the frontier.

In proportion as these events developed, the Government, alert and vigilant, took day by day, even hour by hour, the precautionary measures made necessary by the situation; general mobilization of our land and sea forces was ordered.

The same evening, at 7:30, Germany, ignoring the acceptance by the St. Petersburg Cabinet of the English proposition to which I have already referred, declared war upon Russia.

At the same time, in violation of the treaty of 1867 guaranteeing the neutrality of Luxembourg, of which Prussia was a signatory, they invaded the territory of the Grand Duchy, thus evoking a protest from the Luxembourg Government.

Finally, even the neutrality of Belgium was menaced. On the evening of Aug. 2 the German Minister handed to the Belgian Government an ultimatum demanding that military operations against France be facilitated by Belgium under the lying pretext that Belgian neutrality was threatened by us.

The Belgian Government refused, announcing that it had resolved to defend energetically its neutrality respected by France and guaranteed by treaties, especially by the King of Prussia.

Since then, gentlemen, acts of aggression have been repeated, multiplied, and accentuated. Our frontier has been crossed at more than fifteen places. Rifle shots have been fired at our soldiers, and civilians have been killed and wounded. Yesterday a German military aviator dropped three bombs on Lunéville.

The German Ambassador, to whom, as well as to the other great powers, we have communicated these acts, did not deny them, nor even express regret. On the contrary, he came to me yesterday evening to ask for his passport and notified us of the existence of a state of war, alleging without justification hostile acts committed by French aviators on German territory in the Elz region, and even on the railway from Karlsruhe to Nuremberg. Here is the letter on this subject which he handed to me:

Mr. President: German civil and military authorities have taken note of a certain number of acts of a hostile character committed on German territory by French military aviators. Several of the latter have clearly violated the neutrality of Belgium, flying over the territory of that nation. One tried to destroy buildings near Vesel, others were seen over the Elz region, and other three bombs on the railway line between Karlsruhe and Nuremberg.

I have been charged with informing your Excellency, and now have the honor of doing so, that in view of these acts of aggression the German Empire now considers itself in a state of war with France as a result of the acts of the latter power.

I have at the same time the honor of bringing to your Excellency's knowledge that the German authorities will detain French merchant vessels in German ports, but will release them if within forty-eight hours complete reciprocity is assured.

My diplomatic mission having terminated, all that remains for me to do is to request your Excellency to provide me with my passport and take whatever measures your Excellency may deem necessary to effect my return to Germany with the personnel of the embassy and of the Bavarian Legation and the Consulate General of Germany at Paris.

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With sentiments of my highest consideration, I am, gentlemen, that I should call attention to the absurdity of the pretenses brought forward as grievances. Never at any time has any French aviator gone into Belgium; no French aviator has committed an act of hostility either in Bavaria or any other part of Germany. European public opinion has already done justice to these miserable inventions.

We immediately took all needed steps against this attack, which violated all laws of equity and all rules

of public law. The carrying out of these is progressing with thorough system and absolute calm.

The mobilization of the Russian Army is also being continued with remarkable energy and boundless enthusiasm.

The Belgian Army, mobilized up to 250,000 men, is preparing with magnificent spirit to defend the neutrality and independence of its country.

The English fleet is entirely mobilized, and the order has been given for the mobilization of the land forces.

Since 1912 there have been consultations between the English and French General Staffs. These had resulted in an exchange of letters between Sir Edward Grey and M. Paul Cambon. The Secretary of State made these known yesterday in the House of Commons, and, in accordance with the wishes of the British Government, I shall have the honor of reading these two documents to this Parliament:

London, Foreign Office, Nov. 22, 1912.

My Dear Ambassador: From time to time in recent years the French and British naval and military experts have consulted together. It has always been understood that such consultation does not restrict the freedom of either Government to decide at any future date whether or not to assist the other by armed force. We have agreed that consultation between experts is not an engagement that commits either Government to action in a contingency that has not arisen and may never arise. The disposition, for instance, of the French and British fleets respectively at the present moment is not based upon an engagement to cooperate in war.

You have, however, pointed out that, if either Government had grave reasons to expect an unprovoked attack by a third power, or something that threatened the general peace, it should immediately discuss with the other whether both Governments should act together to prevent aggression and to preserve peace, and, if so, what measures they would be prepared to take in common. If these measures involved action of the kind which the Staffs would at once be taken into consideration, and the Governments would take such action as they might deem fit to them. Yours, &c., E. GREY.

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ern and western coast against German aggression.

Gentlemen, those are the facts. I think that, taking as a close-knit whole, they are sufficient to justify the acts of the Government of the republic. Nevertheless, I wish to conclude by giving the true meaning of this unprecedented aggression of which France is the victim.

The victors of 1870, as you know, have felt at various times the desire of renewing the blows which they had dealt us. In 1875 the war for finishing vanquished France was prevented only by the intervention of the two powers destined to be united to us later by the ties of alliance and friendship—the intervention of Russia and Great Britain.

Since then the French Republic, by the restoration of its strength and the making of diplomatic agreements, invariably lived up to, has succeeded in freeing itself from the yoke which Bismarck had been able to impose upon Europe even in days of peace.

It re-established the European balance of power, that guarantee of the liberty and dignity of each nation. Gentlemen, I do not know whether I am deceiving myself, but it seems to me that it is this work of pacific reparation, liberation, and dignity, definitely sealed in 1904 and 1907 with the support of King Edward VII of England and of the Royal Government, which the German Empire desires to destroy today by an audacious piece of violence.

Germany can reproach us with nothing. We have made an unprecedented sacrifice to peace by bearing in silence for half a century the wound inflicted by Germany.

We have acquiesced in other sacrifices in all the disputes which, since 1904, Imperial diplomacy has systematically provoked either in Morocco or elsewhere, in 1905 as well as in 1906, in 1908 as well as in 1911.

Italy's Attitude.

Russia also has given proof of great moderation, both in the events of 1903 and the present crisis. She acted with the same moderation—and the Triple Entente with her when, in the Eastern crisis of 1912, Austria and Germany formulated against Serbia and Greece demands amenable to discussion, as the result proved.

Useless sacrifices, sterile compromises, futile efforts—today, while actually engaged in efforts at conciliation—and our allies are suddenly attacked.

Nobody can believe in good faith that we are the aggressors; in vain the sacred principles of law and liberty, which rule nations as well as individuals, are assailed. Italy, with the clear conscience of Latin genius, has informed us that she will remain neutral.

This decision has aroused the sincerest joy throughout France. I made myself the spokesman of this to the Italian Chargé d'Affaires, telling him how delighted I was that the two Latin sisters, who have the same origin and ideas, and a glorious past in common, are not opposed to each other.

What is being attacked, I repeat, gentlemen, is that independence, dignity, and security which the Triple Entente has restored to the balance of power in the service of peace.

What is being attacked are the liberties of Europe, whose defenders France, her allies, and her friends are proud to be.

We shall defend these liberties, for it is they which are in jeopardy; all else is merely a pretext.

France, unjustly provoked, did not desire war. She has done everything to prevent it. But since it is forced upon her, she will defend herself against Germany, and against every power which has not as yet announced its position but which should later on take sides with Germany in the war between the two.

A free and strong nation, strengthened by venerable ideas, firmly united in defense of its existence, democracy which has known how to discipline its military acts, and which did not fear last year to impose upon itself additional military burdens to offset those of power in the service of peace, an armed nation fighting for its own life and for the independence of Europe—that is the spectacle which we are proud to show the witnesses of this formidable struggle, which has been in preparation for some days amid methodical quiet.

We are without reproach. We shall be without fear.

France has often proved, under less favorable conditions, that she is the most formidable adversary when she fights, as she now does, for liberty and right.

In placing our acts before you, gentlemen, who are our judges, we have the comfort of a clear conscience and the certainty of having done our duty to help us bear the weight of our heavy responsibilities.



MONTCLAIR'S PIONEER CO-OPERATIVE KITCHEN

Mrs. Leonhauser, at Its
Head, Tells of Her Aims.

Even Trained Maids Will
Be Sent Out If Wanted.

NO sinkful of miserable, greasy, stove dishes to wash after a good dinner; no tired housekeeper to sit down with flushed cheeks and weary body to partake of food for which she has lost her enthusiasm in preparing it; no fretful, anxious, dinner-will-spoil waiting for menfolk, delayed perhaps at the office or somewhere on the long trip home; all these and many similar annoyances are to be done away with in the near future when the little group of housekeepers over in Montclair, N. J., headed by Mrs. H. A. Leonhauser, open their co-operative kitchen.

This culinary dream has been floating before Mrs. Leonhauser's vision for two years. She knows, as does many another housewife, how the average cook dislikes supervision how inefficient she is in a great number of cases; how prone to ruin good provisions in the cooking, in short how extremely unsatisfactory the ordinary cook may and quite often does prove to be. Then there is another side of it.

"Just imagine," said Mrs. Leonhauser to a Times reporter, "what an anachronism, what a waste of time, effort and money it is for forty or fifty women to be cooking a steak or a roast and vegetables all at approximately the same hour, all within a stone's throw of each other, all in small quantities. Why, these provisions might be cooked in one central kitchen and distributed to the forty or fifty households, saving much fuel and labor, to say nothing of the tremendous difference in price between fifty small purchases and one large order.

"Of course, my idea is not original. There have been sporadic attempts at co-operative cooking in the Middle West from time to time, but not along the lines we are attempting.

The Montclair kitchen is located at the junction of Valley Road and Mountainview Place. It is fitted with up-to-date cooking appliances, ranges, and labor-saving mechanical devices. In the basement are the storerooms, dishwashing rooms, and laundry. The kitchen proper is on the first floor,



Mrs. H. A. Leonhauser.

leading to a cheery dining room, where, if subscribers wish, they may have their meals served instead of having them delivered to their homes.

"There were two vitally important things to be considered in arranging the details of this plan," explained Mrs. Leonhauser. "First, the clean, wholesome, palatable preparation of well-chosen materials, and, again, the prompt delivery of the cooked meals in an attractive form. For the first we have selected Miss Mathilda Schlier, a dietitian and rather an artist than a cook. She will scientifically prepare the bulk of the meals, presenting each day a balanced menu of meats, fruits, vegetables, and so on.

"Every day a postcard folder will be sent to all subscribers, with the dishes to be served the following day, and from the list they will choose their dinners. All prices will be plainly marked, and besides the à la carte dishes, there will always be a regular dinner for 50 cents, which will include a soup, roast, vegetable, salad, and dessert. One dinner may be ordered or a dozen, and the housewife may go to a matinee, returning at 6 or 7, and there will be her dinner waiting for her on the back steps or in the kitchen.

"We have a graduate from the domestic science department of Columbia University, Miss Elizabeth Wilson, to tell our dietician exactly what dishes she can serve at the stipulated price per dinner, and how much each separate item will cost. From these estimates the daily bill of fare will be arranged.

"We expect to perfect our system so that in cases where it is required we can send out trained maids to serve our dinners. The Housewives' League here is considering a plan whereby young women may receive a course of lessons in domestic science at a nominal rate, and it is quite possible that we may take advantage of this to provide our kitchen with competent help. Our furnishings are ordered and partly delivered, and our helpers have taken up their duties in a small way. The kitchen will probably be open in a fortnight, the exact date is not decided."

THE SICK MAN OF EUROPE IS DYING AT LAST

Noted Harvard Authority on Government Foresees That Present Situation Means the End of the Once Powerful Turkish Empire in Europe, No Matter Who Wins



Turkish Cavalry

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NOTWITHSTANDING the fearful destruction of human beings which goes on from day to day, as gigantic armies grind individuals to pieces between their flinty fronts, a soldier's funeral is a solemn event. Who can be unmoved by the black plumes, the dirge, the riderless steed led in the procession, the soldier's coffin on the gun carriage, the following of companions in arms? How much more tragic are the obsequies of a nation, the last ceremonies over a proud empire which for half a millennium has caused the people to rejoice and its enemies to tremble; the extinction of an organized Government which for ages has issued its mandates from a splendid capital city!

That is what the world is witnessing now, or rather it is looking on at the death struggle of one of the world's great powers, the eraure from the map of a once majestic empire. The Sick Man of Europe is dying at last, and his convulsive agonies are felt throughout the world. The Government offices are open; Constantinople is there; twenty millions of Turkish subjects still live, provinces and vilayets, cities and villages are busy, couriers pass to and fro with orders, hundreds of thousands of men are called soldiers, and a score of vessels name themselves a navy. Nevertheless Turkey is seeing its last days. It may live weeks, months, perhaps a few years, but the end is in sight; the country is dying.

On the face of it Turkey is a lively patient. "A Turkish Submarine Sinks the Whole Allied Mediterranean Fleet"; "A Turkish Ironclad Captures a Boatload of Tripolitan Fish"; "A Turkish Destroyer Is Sunk by a Mine Off Smyrna"; "The Goeben and the Breslau Wrecked on the Rocks of the Dardanelles"; "The Turkish Navy Collides with a Steam Launch in the Bosphorus"; "Turkey Mobilizes"; "Turkey Demobilizes"; "Turkey Declares War"; "Turkey Apologizes"; "Turkey Abdicates."

These statements (which are freely translated from the headlines of the American Saffron Dailies) cannot all be equally true. Yet they are no more contradictory than the makeup of the Turkish Empire, the variety of its interests, the complication of its races, and its "wee-wawing" foreign policy. What is this Turkey? How did it come to live? Why should it be dying? And who is to inherit the property of the defunct? These are questions which this article will attempt to answer.

Little European Turkey Now.

A few people in the United States can perhaps still remember how, when they first studied geography, they learned that "The Empire of Turkey is a country lying partly in Europe and partly in Asia. European Turkey includes the Provinces of Wallachia, Moldavia, Roumelia, Bulgaria, Servia, Bosnia, Herzegovina, Macedonia, Albania, and Greece. The principal religion is Mohammedan, although many of the inhabitants are Christians. Turkey is one of the strongest powers in the world. Since 1453 the capital has been the City of Constantinople."

At present European Turkey includes the City of Constantinople and a district extending a few miles westward to Bulgaria.

Two hundred years ago the Turks had a territory, a European population, and a military might superior to that of any European State east of France and west of Russia. They made the Black Sea a Turkish lake; they held half the coast of the Aegean, most of the coast of the Black Sea, the Mediterranean from the Strait of Gibraltar eastward, northward and westward to the head of the Adriatic Sea, and the interior up to Budapest. Across the Bosphorus the Turkish dominions stretched to the furthest point of Arabia, to the mouths of the

Tigris and Euphrates; to Mount Ararat; to the Caucasus. They conquered the holiest shrine of the Moslem world at Mecca; they annexed the Caliphate, and thereby the Sultans became the religious heads of the whole Mohammedan world. The Sultans held a rich and splendid Court in Constantinople. By land and sea, in the camp, in Constantinople, across the diplomatic table the Turks were a great and majestic power. Christian nobles flattered themselves to earth before the presence of the Sultan's three-tailed Pashas. Great and splendid was Turkey!

Born Destroyers.

The success of the Turkish Empire is hard to account for; who would have dared in the year 1300 to predict that a few score Mongol horsemen could be the nucleus of an immense empire? How were they able to defeat their predecessors, the Seljuk Turks, and to take their territory? How did they manage to beat the Byzantine footmen and cavalry and galleys, and to scale the Christian stone walls? The so-called Greek Empire defended its Asiatic frontier for a thousand years, and then suddenly gave way before these Ottoman Turks. Then the Turks crossed into Europe, took Constantinople, and surged northward and westward.

In many respects they were always inferior to the people whom they conquered. The Turks had rough and barbarous beginnings. They reveled in the fierce and bloody part of the Moslem propaganda. They were born destroyers. In all the Balkans and Hungary hardly a Christian church survived; hardly a convent or a shrine or a bridge or a castle. The Turks destroyed the traditions and the artistic wealth of the ages, and had no traditions or intellectual life to take their place.

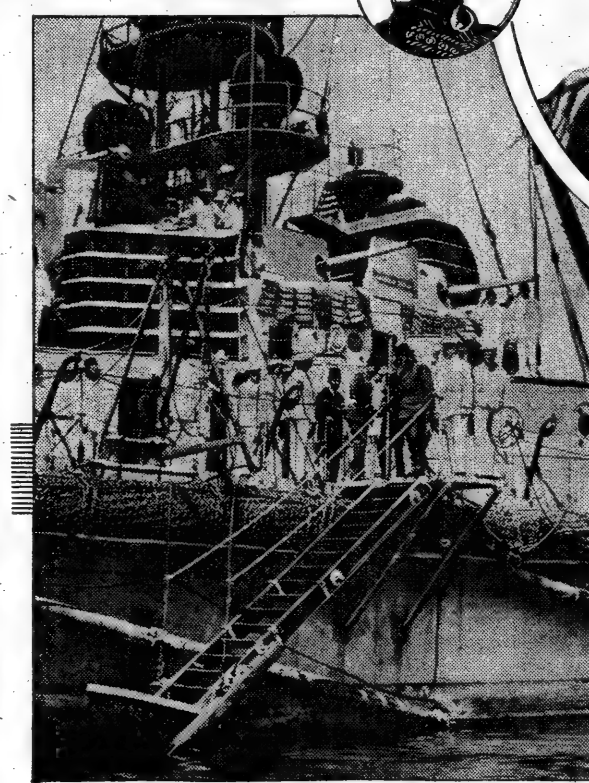
Though the Turkish Empire was built up by the strength of its army, the troops were no better individually than so many Hungarians or Russians. The Janissaries, made up from about 5,000 "tribute boys" taken each year out of the flower of Christian children, were for a long time a splendid force of infantry. Apparently the Turks were the Germans of their time in the attention they paid to the details of their army.

They had the reputation of providing in advance for their campaigns, of elaborating a system for bringing up provisions and supplies for their troops from the rear. Their cavalry was more dashing than that of their neighbors. They long had the best artillery in Europe. They did not hesitate to besiege such natural strongholds as Belgrade and Budapest. They had that indescribable quality covered by the modern word "punch."

The theory of war at that time—apparently revived in our days—is that you must not only beat your enemy but ruin him. Hence the Turks fearfully ravaged the countries which they overran. They treated prisoners and non-combatants with the barbarity common to all armies in that age, and took a multitude of slaves. There is a Russian proverb that in "Alexandergrad (Constantinople) the waters are salt because of the tears of Christian slaves."

For the slow but nearly steady decline of Turkey from the position of a first-class European power to a feeble country, terribly strained by inward convulsions and pressed upon by enemies from outside, there are three main causes: the complex of races, the wretched Government of the Empire, and the pressure of foreign powers. The fundamental weakness of Turkey is that it is not Turkish. Of six million Turkish subjects in European Turkey previous to the last Balkan wars less than two million were Moslems. Even in Constantinople only about half the population is Turkish. In Asia Minor there are large elements of Greeks, Armenians, and Kurds. The Arabians are not Turks. Probably

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Turkish Minister of Marine Leaving the Cruiser Goeben Formerly German.

not for a moment in the last 500 years have the Turks been in a majority in their own empire.

We in the United States know what it is to entertain a multitude of race elements, which, taken together, are now about as numerous as the original British colonial stock, but we have avoided the mistake of the Turks who allowed such races to remain as units, to keep their own languages, religion, schools, village life, to be little nations inside of a great nation.

Governed by Brute Force.

Our policy has been to teach all these foreign elements to become Americans, while the Turks have never undertaken to make the Christian people citizens, even in the sense that Turks are citizens. With small exceptions the Christians have had no part in the Government or in organized national life. They have been hated and distrusted for ages. Naturally they hate the Turks, both because they are Turks and because they are masters. The Turkish Government has been trying to make a nation, as though they were constructing an iron bar by putting end to end short pieces of iron without welding them.

The Turks throughout their history have suffered from the lack of a definite and clearly organized Government. They are organized on the principle of absolute monarchy, but the rule of succession is uncertain, and there have been many assassinations and forcible setting aside of the Lord's anointed. Of popular government, of representative government, they hardly had a glimmer, until in 1909 a Parliament was elected which was allowed to lapse because it really tried to legislate. While Abdul Hamid was in power he governed exactly as his forefathers governed, by brute force, by banishment, terror, murder, assassination. The present so-called "Government" has not even that authority. The Sultan is a figure-head; the dictator appears to be Enver Bey, now often Enver Pasha, who is supported by the army and who made his place good by killing with his own hand Nazim Pasha, his superior in command and far his superior in character. He and his friends divide the offices and emoluments; and in this

great crisis of Turkish history a handful of men sitting around a table are forcing their country to commit suicide.

If Turkey had been let alone by outsiders the empire would have died an ignoble death a good sixty years ago, for on the European side of the Bosphorus the Christians could probably have long since taken care of themselves. If unable to break their chains, Russia has stood ready to aid them ever since the treaty of 1774, in which the Turks gave them indefinite powers to look after the Christians in the Moslem Empire.

In 1850 Turkey was falling to pieces; it had long since lost the four Barbary powers of North Africa. Egypt, under Mehmet Ali, had practically made itself an independent principality. Greece had been able, by the combined fleets of England, France, and Russia—an alliance fatal for later times—to throw off the Turkish yoke, and had a German King, Rumania was united into a principality. Servia was practically an independent principality in which the Karageorgovitchs and the Obrenovitchs cordially cut each other's throats for the privilege of being Princes. All that was necessary was to form a ring of interested spectators around Turkey and allow the Christians to fight themselves free.

England and Turkey.

The collapse of the Turkish Empire would have been a righteous and natural solution of the European question of Turkey, but it was clear that whenever European Turkey broke up Constantinople would cease to be Turkish. Without this ancient capital Asiatic Turkey was sure to succumb. When Asiatic Turkey went to pieces, somebody would pick up two significant fragments—the valley of the Tigris and Euphrates Rivers, which is the natural overland route to India, and the Isthmus of Suez, which is on the shortest sea line to India. The fall of Turkey would also affect the Mohammedan subjects of England, especially in India, because they looked upon the Sultan as the head of their Church. Hence England came out as the friend and supporter of Turkey, and for many years Sir Stratford Canning, British Ambassador, was a focus of



The Sultan of Turkey and King Peter of Serbia, (on left)

did not carry them out. Even in 1877, when Russia, stirred up by the performances of the Bashi-Bazouks—irregular Turkish soldiers who were sent to teach the Bulgarians good behavior—sent an army to the Balkans, freed Bulgaria, and dictated a peace at San Stefano, within sight of the minarets of Constantinople, England still backed the wrong horse, and blocked the way of Russia; but the boundary line of Turkey was, nevertheless, pushed back far down the Balkan Peninsula.

Turks Find New Friend.

After 1890 England and Russia began to approach, just as Russia drifted out of an alliance with Germany and Austria. Soon after, the Turks found another "charming friend, much nicer than that English prig, who was always saying, "You mustn't." This was the Emperor of Germany, who did not stand by Bismarck's famous saying that "the whole Eastern question was not worth the bones of one Pomeranian grenadier." Nobody knows just what the interest and purpose of Germany was, except that Germans sought and obtained concessions for railroads and other investments; and of late years the steadily German embassy in Constantinople has been looked upon as the clearing house between Turkey and the Western world.

German officers replaced Englishmen as drillmasters and military and naval advisers. German steamer lines with excellent ships reached Constantinople. The Germans finally obtained permission to build a railway line from Constantinople to the Persian Gulf. It is probable that these advances have something to do with a big scheme for extension of Austria down through the Balkans to Saloniki and perhaps to Constantinople, as a part of a great rail route from Germany to mid-Asia.

Whatever may have been the ultimate purpose of Germany, conditions were rudely disturbed by the Turkish revolution of 1908, which brought about the deposition of Abdul-Hamid, the only Turk who had a definite policy, and that was a wicked one. This opened the way for the Balkan war of 1912, which pushed the Turks back to the fortified lines of Thessalonika, just outside Constantinople. Emperor William at that time remarked that the result of those wars would oblige him to increase the German Army; which probably meant that it showed the Turkish weakness and the strength of the Balkan powers who were nearest neighbors to Austria.

In the great war of 1914 the Turks have been in a state almost of frenzy, for the whole struggle is so intertwined with the Balkan situation that from the first it seemed likely that Turkey must choose one side or the other; that it must be part of the hammer or part of the anvil. The danger of the Turkish Empire is acute. To side with Germany means that in case the Allies are victorious in their general war Russia will infallibly demand and must receive Constantinople and the waters leading to the Aegean Sea.

German officers trained the Turkish Army which took the field in 1912, and nevertheless it was fearfully defeated. German officers are now supposed to be the advisers of the War Department. Two German cruisers have taken refuge in the Dardanelles, and have become the instruments for bringing on war between Turkey and

Russia. Between Turkey and Germany in one direction are Greece, Servia, and Rumania, all strongly anti-Turkish; and in another direction the Mediterranean Sea, which is completely controlled by allied fleets. Germany can send no aid except by defeating the Russian armies in Poland or the fleets in the North Sea and the Mediterranean.

On the other hand, if Germany is victorious in the end, it can only be by defeating the Balkan powers, as well as the rest of Europe. Even then these independent States could hardly be placed back under the Crescent. There will then be no probable outcome, except that the Turkish Empire will become a dependency of Germany, and eventually will drift into about the present condition of India—a complex of races and former nations taking its government from a distant European power. Constantinople would become as truly a German city as Calcutta and Cairo are English cities. There is not much comfort for the Turks in that prospect.

As to the power of the Turks to defend themselves, and still more, to attack their enemies, no American who has seen Turkish troops and Turkish ships within the last two years is likely to believe that there is any serious military strength left in the Empire. Men are abundant—crude, good-natured, willing, patient, and long-suffering fellows, who when well fed and well led are probably as good troops as Russians or Austrians. But where are the magazines of clothing, arms, and ammunition? Where is the necessary accumulation of food? What are the arrangements for supplying marching armies or for transporting troops to Egypt, to India, to the Crimea? The available Turkish Navy is made up of two modern German cruisers, as good as some of the fleet of twenty ships which the Allies could place at the mouth of the Dardanelles.

End Apparently Near.

The Turkish Empire appears to be entering on a war with Russia, France, and England with a military preparation much inferior to that of two years ago, when it was abjectly defeated by three little Balkan States.

War on a grand scale, affecting general results, is out of the question for Turkey. There are still millions of people in Turkey, nearly half of whom are discontented Christians or discontented Arabs. But in the true sense of the words, there is no Turkish Empire, no Turkish Army, no Turkish Navy, no Turkish Government. Even the so-called Cabinet is divided, one faction holding out a white flag, while the other faction fires its gun at the Allies.

A good, hard land highway leads from the Balkans to Constantinople, and another from the Russian frontier through Armenia and Western Asia Minor also to Constantinople, but there is no road by land or sea which the Turks can follow in force to attack the allied hosts. This once mighty Empire, this former rival of Russia and Austria, this proud military kingdom, must, perforce, stand aside while its fate is decided on the battlefields of France, Germany, and Hungary. Whether it accepts or resists the hammer strokes of the combatants the anvil must receive blows and cannot return them. Apparently the end of the Turkish Empire is at hand, whether it accepts or resists the hammer strokes of either side.

"spontaneous" action on the part of the Turkish Government. Friendship with Turkey required a blind eye to the most important things that were going on in Turkey, such as brigandage, murder, pillage, and rapine in the Christian States of Turkey.

The power that had the most direct and largest interest in Turkey was Russia, which at intervals had been fighting the Turks during two centuries, partly because the Russians hoped that Constantinople would soon be vacant, and they knew just the right kind of reliable tenants to move in. Allowing that the Bulgarians, Macedonians, Montenegrins, and other Christians in the Balkans could look after themselves, plainly none of them was competent to hold Constantinople. A basal need of Russia was direct access to the ocean through ice-free ports; and the obvious short, direct, and desirable route to the ocean was through the Bosphorus and the Dardanelles. Russia is still in need of that water connection.

"Backing the Wrong Horse."

If Christian Europe could have realized the real character of the Turks and the desperation of the Christians, they would not have allowed the Sick Man to go through a racking chronic illness of sixty years; they would have left the Christians and the Turks and Russia to fix matters up to suit themselves.

Unfortunately for the present peace of the world, England adopted a policy which Lord Salisbury years later neatly described as "backing the wrong horse." Great Britain and France backed up Turkey, fought Russia in the Crimean war, and thereby probably sacrificed more lives than this fearful war year of 1914. All the murders, outrages, civil wars, executions, and combats between the little Balkan States in the last few years may fairly be charged to this interference with the political laws of nature.

For about forty years England was the particular friend of the Porte. From the British Embassy, Sir Stratford Canning long suggested spontaneous action on the part of the Turkish Government. To be sure the English firmly urged reforms upon the Turks, and the Turks as firmly

Highest Tribute.

AN automobilist last Summer stopped one night at the only hotel in a Kentucky back-country town. After supper he joined the usual crowd of loungers on the porch.

The sole topic of discussion seemed to be a citizen who had been buried the day before. At last the visitor, becoming interested, asked:

"Was the deceased popular?"

"Was he?" echoed the chief speaker. "Was he? Stranger, every dog's tail in town stopped wagging for five minutes while the funeral passed."

A Privileged Guest.

ALTHOUGH the Sidewalk Tourist had eaten in the midtown French restaurant for many years it was the first time he had ever seen M. Batreau, the manager, condescend to wait upon him. And this despite the fact that his customer, an elderly woman, was attired cheaply in plain black, did

not seem to be the one to "tip" extravagantly. It was inexplicable.

Whom could she be, this sad-faced woman who scarcely tasted the dainties placed before her; who apparently was oblivious of the fact that Batreau was opening a bottle of the particular wine reserved for only the ultra-privileged?

Possibly some French gentlewoman in reduced circumstances. Perhaps some impoverished war refugee whom Batreau worked for in his pre-New York days. She may be—

"Ah, the lady?" responds Henri, the waiter, "she is Mme. Loeuille. Her husband used to have the table-two from the door before he went to fight for France. It was a sabre cut at Solsona that killed him, they say. Now she comes to this restaurant every day for breakfast, luncheon, and dinner—for which she pays nothing. It is Batreau's way of dealing with the country that refused to make him a soldier because he happened to have a weak heart. Ah, pardon me, I forget your coffee."

No Others Need Apply.

SHE was attired in the rakish style which suggests the bashi-bazouk, and she swept into the shoe store with a dashing air.

"Oh, where is he?" she exclaimed, all her dash witting with sudden disappointment. "I mean your little shoe clerk that had the bald head—and one of his legs is bent."

"Sorry, Madame," smiled the proprietor. "He has left our employ. He is employed by the firm across the street."

She waited to hear no more, but sallied forth making for the store across the street. There at the door stood the little bald-headed clerk on his bent leg waiting for customers, like Patience on a monument, smiling.

"So glad," she exclaimed breathlessly. "I must have a pair of shoes, and I simply cannot wear them unless you fit them for me!"

Such are the whims which govern trade in the retail market, even as the winds blow without apparent logic.

THINGS HEARD ABOUT TOWN

VON BERNHARDI DISCUSSES THE USE OF CAVALRY

Book by the German General, With an Introduction by Field Marshal French, Shows How and When the Mounted Arm Should Be Used in Campaigns Such as That Now On.

ONE of the paradoxes, no less strange because they might in some cases be anticipated, of such a war as the great conflict now raging in Europe is the appearance of a new book by Gen. Friedrich von Bernhardi, the famous German militarist, with a preface by Field Marshal Sir John D. P. French, commander of the British forces now fighting the Germans in France and Belgium.

The book is called "Cavalry." It is a popular edition of the same author's "Cavalry in War and Peace," which has just been issued by the George H. Doran Company of New York, price \$1. Oddly enough, not only is this work, which gives illuminating directions for the operations of Gen. von Bernhardi's favorite arm, coupled with a highly eulogistic preface by the English Field Marshal, who is first and foremost a cavalryman, but it is translated by an officer of an Irish regiment, Major G. T. M. Bridges, D. S. O., of the Fourth Royal Dragoon Guards.

While Gen. von Bernhardi's new work goes into the detail of cavalry action with characteristic thoroughness and contains, therefore, many pages somewhat above the head of the layman, there break through the clouds of "deployment," "screening" and other strictly tactical matters the frequent lightnings of his spirit. The book breathes the very essence of the cavalry élan.

One thing strikes the reader especially; strikes him with added force if he has been fed upon the theory that the German Army is an inexorable machine, drilled into a slavish following of routine. This is the writer's insistence, again and again, on the importance of individual initiative in the cavalry leader even down to the commander of a patrol. He leaves no room for doubt that this independence of thought and boldness of decision is vitally necessary to cavalry success. The all too brief stories of engagements which have filtered through the censorship in the present great conflict show that many of his maxims have not been laid down in vain.

Sir John French's Views.

Before quoting from the German General's work it is interesting to see what Gen. Sir John French thinks of it, and of the duties of his own particular arm of which it treats. He writes:

Is there such a thing as the cavalry spirit and should it be our object to develop this spirit, if it exists, to the utmost, or to suppress it? Gen. von Bernhardi thinks that this spirit exists and should be encouraged, and I agree with him. It is not only possible but necessary to preach the army spirit, or, in other words, the close comradeship of all arms in battle, and at the same time to develop the highest qualities and special attributes of each branch.

The particular spirit which we seek to encourage is different for each arm. When we seek to endow cavalry with the tenacity and stiffness of infantry, or to take from the mounted arm the mobility and the cult of the offensive which are the breath of its life, we should ruin not only the cavalry, but the army besides. Those who scoff at the spirit, whether of cavalry, of artillery, or of infantry, are people who have had no practical experience of the actual training of troops in peace, or of the personal leadership in war. Such men are blind to the truth.

It is not only the campaigns which we and others have fought which deserve reflection, but also the wars which lie in front of us. Gen. von Bernhardi does not neglect the lessons of past wars, but he gives the best of reasons for thinking that the wars in South Africa and Manchuria have little in common with the conditions of warfare in Europe. We are constantly in his mind, the anomalies which the German Army must be prepared to meet, their arms, their tactics, and their country, and that he urges his comrades to keep the conditions of probable wars constantly before their eyes.

It passes comprehension that some critics in England should gravely assure us that the war in South Africa should be our chief source of inspiration and guidance, and that it was not abnormal. All wars are abnormal, because there is no such thing as normal war.

In applying the lessons of South Africa to the training of cavalry, we should be very foolish if we did not recognize at this late hour that very few of the conditions of South Africa are likely to recur. I will name only a few of them. The composition and tactics of the Boer forces were as dissimilar from those of European armies as possible. Boer commandos made no difficulty about dispersing to the four winds when pressed, and reuniting again some days or weeks later hundreds of miles from the scene of their last encounter. Such tactics in Europe would lead to the disruption and disbandment of any army that attempted them.

Nevertheless we are now invited to throw away our old steel as useless lumber owing to some alleged failures of the cavalry in South Africa. Were we to do so, we should invert the rôle of cavalry, turn it into a defensive arm, and make it a prey to the first foreign cavalry that it meets, for good cavalry can always compel a dismounted force of mounted enemies to mount and ride away, and when such riflemen are caught on their horses they have power neither of offense nor of defense, and are lost.

If, in European warfare, such mounted riflemen were to separate and scatter, the enemy would be well pleased, for he could then reconnoitre and report every movement and make his plans in all security. In South Africa the mounted riflemen were the hostile army itself, and when they had dispersed there was nothing left to reckon; but when and where will these conditions recur?

The General does not always agree with the regulations of his own army, and he is especially in conflict with them when he recommends raids by

cavalry corps against the enemy's communications. My opinion upon this point is that every plan should be subordinate to what I consider a primary necessity—namely, the absolute and complete overthrow of the hostile cavalry. So long as that cavalry remains intact, with its morale unshaken, all our enterprises must of necessity be paralyzed. The successful cavalry fight confers upon the victor the command of ground, just in the same way that successful naval action carries with it command at sea. For effective enterprises in either sphere command is absolutely necessary, and can only be obtained by successful battle, whether on land or sea.

The opinion which I hold and have often expressed is that the true rôle of cavalry on the battlefield is to reconnoitre, to deceive, and finally to support.

It is suggested to us, by critics of the cavalry, that the lance is an impediment to dismounted action. If this difficulty ever existed, it has been overcome by the method of carrying the lance which has been adopted and practiced with marked success for the past two years. It is also objected by the same critics that a thin bamboo pole, carried by the side of a mounted man, will hinder him in reconnaissance and reveal his position to the enemy. The mere statement of this argument absolves me from the duty of replying to it.

Gen. von Bernhardi very wisely says that it is not a question whether cavalrymen should fight mounted or dismounted, but whether they are prepared and determined to take their share in the decision of an encounter and to employ the whole of their strength and mobility to this end. In our training during the last few years I have endeavored to impress upon all ranks that when the enemy's cavalry is overthrown, our cavalry will find more opportunities of using the rifle than the cold steel, and that dismounted attacks will be more frequent than charges with the arme blanche. By no means do I rule out as impossible, or even unlikely, attacks by great bodies of mounted men against other arms on the battlefield. But I believe that such opportunities will occur comparatively rarely.

We hear it said, and see it written, that we ought not to accept any gunnery from military Europe, because our own experience of war has been so considerable that we can learn nothing from Europe which we do not know better ourselves. The truth is that since the Crimean war we have had little or no experience of the kind of effort which will be required of us when next we meet the trained army of a European power. In deluding ourselves with the false notion that our campaigns of the last fifty years represent the sum of military wisdom, we merely expose our ignorance and conceit, and do our utmost not only to cause disaster, but to invite it.

Early in his book Gen. von Bernhardi begins to sound those successive notes of warning against too rigid a formalism and the fallacy of judging war on the basis of peace manoeuvres which appear again and again in its pages.

In tactics the cut-and-dried methods of bygone days are clearly not yet forgotten, while for enterprises against the enemy's communications there is a want both of practical training and theoretical instruction. This state of affairs must be regarded as a great evil, as at the outbreak of a war there will no longer be time to collect experiences. From the very first day onward the greatest demands will be made upon the cavalry, not only as regards intentions, but performances. On the achievements of the cavalry in the early days of the war will depend to a considerable extent the success of the first great decisive encounter.

Value of Reconnaissance.

He declares that he has set forth his views and reflections on cavalry action and methods not from the point of view of the maker of regulations, but of one whose task it is to clear the understanding, to stimulate independent thought, and to encourage the troops themselves to form correct judgments, predicting that:

Thus will be moulded the efficiency which will enable the soldier to act in the presence of the enemy according to the regulations, with full freedom of thought, not after the letter, but the spirit, and even perhaps, in many cases, the intention of them.

Great stress is laid by the General on the value of reconnaissance. He writes:

There will not be a battle every day. Not in every fight will considerations of ground and other circumstances allow of the cavalry taking part in a great decision as a mounted arm. Not always will an effective pursuit by the cavalry mass be possible. It must be remembered that in order not to render itself too weak to carry out its proper rôle cavalry must not expose itself to heavy loss in battle without sufficient reason. Only the possibility of a very great success can justify the risk of staking the whole cavalry force in a decisive charge during the battle.

Engagements, also, that are fought with a view of opening a way for reconnaissance will not be of frequent occurrence, and must not be expected during occasional crises. They will, however, be of decisive value for the whole future conduct of the arm and its operative success. The same may be said of raids against the enemy's communications. Such undertakings may exercise the greatest influence on the course of a campaign, but can only be undertaken under specially favorable conditions.

On the other hand, the everyday task of the cavalry which goes hand in hand with all these various engagements and enterprises is reconnaissance proper carried out by reconnoitring squadrons and patrols. This is the daily bread of the cavalry, a duty that throughout a war should never cease to be performed, even if the main body of the cavalry has been driven from the field by the enemy.

In close and continual relation to the above is the task of safeguarding and screening the army.

The relay service also makes a



General Frederick von Bernhardi

greater demand on the strength than is generally supposed. In the campaign of 1870-71 this cause contributed largely to the weakening of the squadrons at the front. Nowadays every effort is made by means of technical apparatus to relieve the cavalry, at least partially, from this service. It would, however, be a mistake to assume that the relay service of cavalry can be everywhere replaced by telegraph, telephone, signaling, bicycles, or motor.

Circumstances will occur in war in which all these methods of transmission which are already in themselves partially unreliable, must fail us, especially where they are exposed to destruction from the hand of the enemy. The proper performance of these interior services must never, however, miscarry throughout the whole campaign, and imposes therefore still higher and more continuous demands on the efficiency of the troops.

The note of the whole book, the core of the distinctive spirit of the cavalryman, is struck in the opening paragraphs of the General's chapter on reconnaissance by the army cavalry, (by which is to be understood the separate cavalry units of the army as distinguished from the cavalry forces attached to divisions or other arms.) Here the veteran soldier lays down the fundamentals upon which all actions of whatever nature by that arm are based.

The very essence of cavalry lies in the offensive. Mounted, it is incapable of tactical defense, but, in order to defend itself, must surrender its real character as a mounted arm and seize the rifle on foot. The service of reconnaissance, therefore, must necessarily be carried out in an offensive sense.

The idea of the offensive is not, however, meant here in a narrow sense, such as seeking a tactical battle, but rather that the reconnoitring army cavalry must under all circumstances maintain the initiative, use its activity against the enemy, and impose its will upon him.

Secret of Success in War.

"Impose its will upon him"—that is the kernel of the teaching of all the great cavalry leaders, and especially of the school of modern German thought to which von Bernhardi belongs. Its clear echo is found throughout his pages, and again toward the close of the present work, where he writes:

In war it will seldom be possible either to undertake or to carry out the very best course of action, but will generally be unnecessary, for we may certainly count on numerous errors and violations on the part of the enemy, especially in the case of cavalry warfare. It is of far greater importance that any plan once undertaken should be energetically carried through to a conclusion. Success in war is first and foremost a matter of character and will. The indomitable will to conquer carries with it a considerable guarantee of success. The determination to win, cost what it may, is, therefore, the first and greatest quality required of a cavalry leader—and the offensive is the weapon with which he can best enforce his will.

Speaking of reconnaissance, the writer dwells constantly on the value of initiative. He writes:

It must be remembered that it is always much more difficult and dangerous in the presence of the enemy to separate a cavalry mass for the fight than to concentrate it from a not too wide

separation for common action against the enemy. In the first case the danger must be run of driving the corresponding rights of the initiative" to the enemy, and of being obliged to attack eccentrically, while in the second case one is in possession of the exterior lines, and, with them the most favorable directions for attack.

Leaders of the large reconnoitring bodies will have continually to consider how they may best fulfill the task of the moment in the most practical way without allowing themselves to be bound by preconceived theoretical views.

It remains for the genius of the leader to make his preparations in full freedom, and to solve the task confided to him in his own way. To hamper active operations by regulation is always a great evil.

Methods of Communication.

Methods of communication in use by the German Army are touched upon by von Bernhardi, and the multiplicity of them as here given may account for some measures of the wonderful fullness of German information in regard to the movements of the enemy often emphasized in dispatches from France. The writer asserts that wireless telegraphy finds its fundamental task in communication to the rear, but that the system of information to the front must be otherwise arranged for. He says:

Communication with the reconnoitring squadrons can practically never be carried out by wireless telegraphy. Here efforts must be made to work with the light-signal apparatus (the lamp used by night and day in the German Army, combining the functions of the English cypher and lamp), or to employ cyclists or relay lines to facilitate and accelerate the service of transmission. A combination of all these means, and the use of the cavalry telegraph, if need be, will be found advisable. In friendly country the population can often be used to keep up communication or to send messages.

It is a matter of the greatest importance for the conduct of the squadron in general whether it is acting in a friendly or hostile country. While in the first case troops may ride through towns, feed in villages, and count upon considerable support from the inhabitants, in the service both of security and information, in the second they must always be prepared against treachery or surprise, and behave as if they were surrounded by a network of spies.

The efforts of reconnoitring squadrons to diminish the distance between themselves and the enemy as quickly as possible by undertaking excessive marches, such as are frequently seen in peace, are misdirected and unreal, and only tend to wear out the horses.

A patrol's instructions must be short and clear and must leave no room for doubt in the patrol leader's mind as to what is expected of him. The instructions must contain all that is known of the enemy, a statement of the general situation and of the system of reconnaissance as far as it may concern the patrol in question, an indication of the proposed march and the objective of the squadron, points where messages are to be deposited in case it should be found necessary to depart from the preconceived plan, exact data as to when and where the relieving patrol will be sent, and also when the patrol is to rejoin the squadron.

It must be the constant endeavor of the cavalry to attack the enemy when

under fire at the same time with it. It should never happen that the point of collision unexpectedly with the enemy. A rear guard will also in most cases be found desirable. Circumstances must determine how the flanks can best be protected.

On collision with the enemy's patrols, action must be taken in an offensive spirit as possible, but after due reflection. Should a charge promise any kind of success, the opponent must be attacked in the most determined way. It will also often be possible to defeat an enemy of superior numbers by a carefully ambushed. Every success of this kind will increase our own moral superiority, paralyze the enemy's reconnaissance, and facilitate the transmission of information.

The fact that, in the Franco-Prussian war, the custom of sending single dispatch riders proved itself generally, if not entirely, sufficient, must not be regarded as of great significance, as at that time there was no question of having to reckon with the opposition of hostile cavalry. In a modern war it will certainly be different, and we may be quite sure that the cavalry of each army will strive its utmost not only to reconnoitre, but also to prevent the enemy reconnoitring. The distances to be covered, also, will be very different from those of 1870-71.

Independent Judgment Necessary.

Independence of judgment and of character is of the highest importance, especially when on patrol. These qualities can, however, only be effective if cavalry officers are instructed as to the conditions of modern armies and are quite clear in theory as to the duties and methods of conducting patrols. It is to be hoped that they will in future realize the obligation of applying themselves most seriously to this branch of their important duties, that they may be thoroughly prepared and capable of the greatest effort when the call to arms resounds in bloody earnest through the land.

Within certain limits determined by the various crises of the fight the reconnoitring duties of the cavalry are continuous. As the hostile armies approach one another, distant exploration merges into close reconnaissance, and from the latter evolves the battle reconnaissance, when the heavily armed thousands of war come into collision and the barren dice of battle are thrown.

It is obvious that in periods of crisis cavalry cannot go into quarters for the night, whether in friendly or hostile country. It will be best for them to remain concealed in woods, where they will, as a rule, be discovered with difficulty. For the rest, the night is the time which will generally be used for transmitting reports.

In friendly country the assistance of the inhabitants must be used for this purpose as much as possible. The enemy must continually find himself moving in the close meshes of a net of hostile enterprises. In hostile country it will be necessary to requisition supplies by force, but this should never be done in the area in which observation is required. Where requisitions have been made in the neighborhood of the enemy, patrols should quickly move away, in order not to be surprised, as Count Zeppelin was in the Schrienerhof, before the battle of Würth.

On June 24, 1870, Capt. Count Zeppelin (now famous as the constructor of airships) of the Württemberg General Staff, with a patrol of three Baden officers and eight dragoons crossed the Rhine at Lauburg, with orders to ascertain certain of the French dispositions. Reaching Selzach, after various encounters, and finding it occupied by French cavalry, the patrol took refuge on the 25th in the little inn at Schrienerhof for a well-earned rest. Here they were surprised by a squadron of French hussars, who had received information of their presence from a boy at the inn. The hussars, who had locked the Germans' horses into the stable, nothing remained but to fight or surrender. The brave Germans chose the former course. Lieut. Winsloe here killed was the first casualty of the war on the German side. The whole patrol was finally killed or captured, with the exception of Count Zeppelin himself, who escaped on one of the French hussars' horses, and, after a nine hours' ride, in winning his way back across the frontier with valuable information.

As has been indicated already in the words of Field Marshal French, von Bernhardi is a believer in raids against the enemy's communications. The immense importance of transport to the modern army raises the importance of the disturbance of this transport in his eyes. On this point he writes:

It is out of the question for the horses of the modern army to find the necessary forage in the country itself. That the men of the great armies of the present day can supply themselves when rations run out remains to be proved. On paper it is indeed often possible, taking into consideration the supplies available in peace; but these calculations cannot hold good for a real theatre of war where concentration has claimed all available resources.

The modern army carries enormous masses of artillery with it. All the guns are designed for a vast expenditure of ammunition, and the raffle from covered positions and against covered positions will indeed make this necessary. Modern infantry, too, is armed in a manner that will entail a prodigious expenditure of cartridges.

The replacement of this expended ammunition is of vital importance. Railways will have to be laid in rear of the armies to cope with these demands. Long trains of wagons and automobiles will move to and fro behind them. On every highroad and in every railway station magazines will appear, and all operations must come to a standstill and miscarry as soon as this great organization ceases from any cause to carry out its functions.

I hold, therefore, that such circumstances render a disturbance of the rear communications of an army an important matter. It will often do the opponent more damage and contribute more to a favorable decision of arms than the intervention of a few cavalry divisions in the decisive battle itself.

He tells in detail how raids should be conducted and adds:

Finally, the chief safety of such en-

terprises lies in their daring. Keen perception and foresight, rapid decision, and relentless energy are indispensable qualities in the leader of such a raid. The ability to mystify, and mislead the enemy will greatly facilitate the carrying out of the enterprise. A considerable measure of cavalry ability is, at the same time, necessary to insure proper horse management. A combination of all these qualities goes to form the great cavalry leader, before whom, even in modern war, lie great prospects of distinction, if he but understands how to break loose from the routine and pedantry of the day.

Always the author seems to have in mind the conditions which must arise should such a war as that at present raging break out, and he treats of some of the matters which have been most to the fore in the campaign in France and Belgium. He says, for instance:

We must not fall into any misconception of the fact that turning movements always contain an element of danger and can often bring about very unfavorable situations. They lay bare our own communications or lead to dangerous dispersion of force. It is necessary, too, not only to see behind the enemy, but also to defeat him, in order to gain a free hand for reconnaissance. To this end we will have to attack, and often on foot, as we may be quite sure that our opponent will use the rifle. Circumstances have been distinctly altered since 1870-71. If we had at that time no real cavalry opponent to face, we may yet be certain next time of having to deal with a numerous and determined cavalry which will quite conceivably endeavor to meet us in shock action with the arme blanche. There will always be dashing soldierly natures everywhere who will make a bid for success by risking all. Whether the hostile cavalry, once beaten, will return to the attack is more than doubtful. I do not think so.

I am firmly convinced that the mutual relationship between the fight on foot and on horseback will give the modern cavalry combat its peculiar character. This relationship will always have to be reckoned with, and all tactical considerations must be guided by it.

We must, I think, be resolute in freeing ourselves from the old-fashioned conceptions of those knightly cavalry combats which have in reality become obsolete owing to the necessities of modern war. We do not in this need to break with our ancient and honored traditions, for the spirit of tradition consists not in the retention of antiquated forms, but in acting in that spirit which in the past led to such glorious success. To maintain in the troops, under modern conditions, the spirit of discipline and self-sacrifice, that is the old Prussian traditions, and not the adherence to the old-fashioned cavalry history has been bloodily enough avenged.

We must look forward and pierce the veil of the future unflinchingly by the ghosts of the past.

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MRS. TAFT'S NEW BOOK DEALS WITH BIG EVENTS

She Tells of Life in the White House and of Some of the Important Affairs That Came Under Her Observation There.

Her Experiences in the Philippines and in Rome Also Come In for Interesting Comment from ex-President's Wife.

ONE hearer of President Taft's inaugural address went to his seat expecting to be bored. So he brought with him to the Senate Chamber a copy of Stevenson's "Treasure Island" in order that he might while away his tedious by the pleasant company of Long John Silver.

It was Charlie Taft that did this thing. He was at the time 11 years old. And Mrs. Taft says in "Recollections of Full Years," (copyrighted and published by Dodd, Mead & Co., \$3.50.) "I consider it a great tribute to his father's eloquence that 'Treasure Island' was not opened that day."

This is, of course, a trivial incident, but it is illuminative; it gives the reader a curious sense of nearness to events that because of their greatness seem remote to most citizens. This anecdote does in its small way what



Mr. and Mrs. Taft, With Members of Their Family and Staff, Including Major Noble, Aide (at left) and Mr. Fred C. Carpenter, Private Secretary (right) in costume worn at the Venetian Carnival.



Mr. and Mrs. John Williamson Hammond, Mrs. Taft's Father and Mother.



Mr. and Mrs. William Howard Taft at the Time of Their Marriage.



Mrs. Taft's book does thoroughly—it makes the reader intimate with the Presidential household. Never before has a President's wife taken the public so thoroughly into her confidence. Not that all the events chronicled in this long and absorbingly interesting book of reminiscences are trivial. Far from it! Mrs. Taft has had singularly favorable opportunities for watching the making of history, for watching it, so to speak, from the inside. And some of her revelations of affairs of international importance, as they appeared to her, are startling indeed.

Where There's a Will.

For instance, the reader finds that Mrs. Taft met and overcame some of the official formality which surrounds, and sometimes oppresses, the President's family, on the very day of Mr. Taft's inauguration. President Roosevelt had asked the Tafts to dine with him and Mrs. Roosevelt on the evening of the 3d of March and spend that night in the White House as their guests. Mrs. Taft writes:

Since the ex-President was not going to ride back to the White House with his successor, I decided that I would. No President's wife had ever done it before, but as long as precedents were being disregarded I thought it might not be too great a risk for me to disregard this one. Of course, there was objection. Some of the Inaugural Committee expressed their disapproval, but I had my way and in spite of protests took my place at my husband's side. . . . Perhaps I had a little secret elation in thinking that I was doing something which no woman had ever done before.

It will be remembered that during the Roosevelt Administration the White House was remodeled and made into a much more convenient and commodious residence. Before this was done, Mrs. Taft tells us, Presidents with large families were uncomfortably placed, for they were obliged to confine themselves to the rooms in the west end of the building. She writes:

There is a story that when Prince Henry of Prussia was in Washington President Roosevelt invited him to ride. The Prince accepted, and just before the appointed hour appeared at the White House in his street clothes, accompanied by a valet bearing his riding clothes. He had very naturally expected to change at the White House, but it happened that on that day there was not one room that could even be prepared for a royal dressing room, so the President was compelled to request his Highness to return to the German Embassy to change. I believe this incident had the effect of hastening the deliberations of the members of the Appropriations Committee of the House, who were then leisurely figuring on the amount necessary for the restoration.

It seems that certain Congressmen objected to the improvement of the White House, which was done under the direction of Mr. James McKim of McKim, Meade & White. She expresses her opinion of them freely:

The work took longer and cost more than was expected and this elicited much criticism of the architect as well as of the architectural result. His aim had been to make as little outward change in the main lines as possible and yet to make as great a change as space would permit in interior accommodation. Considering what he had to accomplish his success was remarkable. But the Philistines among the Congressmen and Senators, who don't like architects anyway, found much to complain of. In their daily visits to the President they did not, by Mr. McKim's plan, reach him through the historic front entrance, supported by the great, white pillars, but they were relegated to a business office, simply and conveniently equipped, and it offended the sense of due proportion of some of them as to who were the real power in the Government.

the legislative representatives calling on business or the social guests of the President.

But now, after all the ignorance, ill-feeling, and prejudice displayed in the most unjust attacks upon Mr. McKim, those whose judgment is worth anything, and that includes the whole body of the people of the United States, rejoice in their hearts that the greatest of American architects was given a free hand to adapt to modern needs, but also to preserve in its dignity and beauty, this most appropriate official home of the Head of the Republic.

During the Taft Administration one Congressman distinguished himself in a more conspicuous manner than his colleagues who objected to McKim's architecture. Writes Mrs. Taft:

With Congress in session nearly all Summer, Mr. Taft gave a series of Congressional dinners and the last one he had served on this terrace. A curious incident marked the occasion for special remembrance. It was known that one of the Senators invited had never crossed the White House threshold because of his unfriendly feelings toward the Administration. He paid no attention whatever to his invitation—a formal one, of course, requiring a formal answer—until the day before the dinner. He then called the White House on the telephone and asked if he would be expected to wear a dress suit. Mr. Hoover, who received the inquiry, replied that evening dress was customary at White House dinners, whereupon the Senator mumbled something at the other end of the line. Mr. Hoover asked him whether or not he intended to come. He replied that he guessed he would and abruptly rang off.

The next evening the party waited for him for a full hour before he decided to sit down without him, and even then his vacant place was kept open for him. He did not come nor did he ever offer any kind of apology or excuse for his extraordinary conduct.

Wine or No Wine?

In every Administration, it seems, there must arise a discussion as to the sort of liquid refreshment which high Government officials offer their guests. Here is Mrs. Taft's account of her husband's experience with this problem during the weeks immediately preceding his inauguration.

He was at a dinner at Hot Springs, Va. As the wine was being served one of the diners turned down his glass with the remark that he had not taken a drink for eighteen years. Mr. Taft, in the most usual and commonplace manner, followed suit, saying that he had been a total abstainer for nearly two years and expected to continue so. The incident was made the basis of a sensational newspaper story which created the impression that he had acted with great dramatic effect and that his remark amounted to a declaration of principle which he would turn into a Presidential policy.

Immediately he was overwhelmed with memorials, with resolutions of commendation framed by some of the most worthy and admirable Christian and temperance organizations in the country. It was taken for granted that he would banish alcohol in every form from the White House. In simple honesty he had to tell all the reverend gentlemen that he had made no pronouncement with regard to limiting White House hospitality, that he had no desire to interfere with any normal man's personal habits and that as President he had no intention of trying to do so.

The truth is that he is a total abstainer because never in his life has he indulged in stimulants to any extent; they have no attraction for him whatever, and he found in those days that, with so much dining out, it was wiser to decline all wines and liquors. Being naturally abstemious, he has always rather objected to being given personal credit for such virtue.

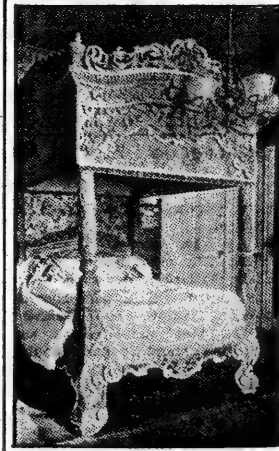
Mrs. Taft frequently refers to Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt, and always in a friendly spirit. But there is a passage in the chapter dealing with the Taft

family's second Summer at Beverly in which she makes her final, and extremely significant, reference to Mr. Roosevelt. She has been describing Mr. Roosevelt's visit to Taft after the trip abroad, during which he represented the President of the United States at the funeral of King Edward, and she says:

I was present at this interview and remember it as being remarkably pleasant and entertaining. Everybody will recall that the question of Mr. Roosevelt's attitude toward my husband was even then a debatable one, but Mr. Taft had resolutely refused to believe that it could ever be anything but friendly. I did not share his complete faith, but I was glad on this occasion to find the old spirit of sympathetic comradeship still paramount and myself evidently proved to be unwarrantably suspicious.

Mr. Roosevelt had just been in England, where he acted as the representative of the President of the United States at the funeral of King Edward, and that solemnly magnificent event seemed to have overshadowed in his mind every other experience he had had during his long absence. He described the stately ceremonies and the mediaeval picturesque procession in vivid detail, and did not fail to emphasize their grave and reverent aspects, but he dwelt particularly, and to our great amusement, upon the humorous side of the situation in which he had found himself.

It will be remembered that among Kings and Emperors and Caesars, and even lesser potentates, the rank of Presidents was a difficult thing to determine. Should minor royalties take precedence over the representatives of the French Republic and the United States of America, to say nothing of Mexico, Brazil, Switzerland, and all the other great and small democracies? Mr. Roosevelt had great difficulty in finding his place. Then, too, he was constantly running into Kings and other royalties to whom he, naturally, owed



Philippine Mahogany Bed in Mr. Taft's Room at New Haven.

ceremonious respect. They were so numerous in London at the time that familiarity with them bred carelessness in one whose tongue had not been trained to the honorifics of Court life, and he found himself making extremely funny blunders. He told us many stories of his adventures with the world's elect, and with his keen appreciation of the ridiculous and his gift of description, gave us as merry an afternoon as we ever spent with him.

I dwell on the memory of this agreeable meeting with Mr. Roosevelt and the entertainment it afforded me, because by his manner he succeeded in convincing me that he still held my husband in the highest esteem and reposed in him the utmost confidence, and that the rumors of his antagonism were wholly unfounded. I was not

destined to enjoy this faith and assurance for very long.

But Mrs. Taft had extensive experience of world politics long before she came to live in the White House. It was in January, 1900, that Mr. Taft brought home to his wife one day a telegram from President McKinley, which read:

I would like to see you in Washington on important business within the next few days. On Thursday, if possible.

Mr. Taft went to Washington, and the news he brought back was that he had been appointed head of a commission to establish a civil Government in the Philippines. He resigned from the bench and early in April the Tafts started for the Philippine Islands.

But before the party reached its destination there was a brief visit to Japan. And for Mrs. Taft it was not brief, for, with her children, her sister Maria, and some American friends, she stayed in Yokohama while her husband went on to Manila with the rest of the commission.

Therefore she did not share the excitement of Mr. Taft's first days in the Philippines. But his letters to her and the things he later told her enabled her to supplement with certain important information the knowledge which the world already has of the commission's experience with the Philippines. She writes:

The principal impression I received was that between the commission and the military Government, in the person of Gen. Arthur MacArthur, there did not exist that harmony and agreement which were considered to be essential to the amicable adjustment of Philippine affairs. In other words, Gen. MacArthur seemed to resent the advent of the commission and to be determined to

place himself in opposition to every step which was taken by them or contemplated. It was not very easy for the Commissioners, but as far as I can see now, after a careful reading of all the records, they exercised the most rigid diplomacy at times when it would have been only human to have risen up and exercised whatever may be diplomacy's antithesis. . . .

The description of the arrival of the commission made me rather wish I had accompanied them—except for the heat. It was June, and my husband said the sun beat down upon and came right through the heavy canvas awnings on the decks of the Hancock. . . .

Their reception was so cool that Mr. Taft said he almost stopped perspiring. There were few Filipinos to be seen, and as Gen. MacArthur's reception to the commission was anything but cordial or enthusiastic they began to feel a discomforting sense of being decidedly not wanted.

If they had any doubts on this point Gen. MacArthur soon cleared them up. He frankly assured them that he regarded nothing that had ever happened in his whole career as casting so much reflection on his position and his ability as their appointment under the direction of the President. They suggested that he could still rejoice in considerable honor and prestige as a staff at the head of a division of more troops than any General had commanded since the Civil War and that he was, moreover, still enjoying the great power of Chief Executive of the Islands.

"Yes," said he, "that would be all right if I hadn't been exercising so much more power than that before you came."

Whereupon Mr. Taft gently reminded him that he had been exercising that power for about three weeks only and said he hoped he had not become, in that time, so habituated to the situation as to prevent his appreciating the rather exalted position in which he would still be left. They afterward exchanged some correspondence as to what powers each did have, but they seemed to have disagreed from the first.

One Pedro A. Paterno, who had taken the oath of allegiance but was supposed still to be in sympathy with Aguinaldo, made considerable trouble for Mr. Taft, planning, on one occasion, a dinner in honor of Gen. MacArthur, at which seditious speeches were to be made. But Mr. Taft's diplomacy and shrewdness checked him, the banquet was given, the Commissioners attended it, and not a speech was made.

In August Mrs. Taft joined her husband in Manila. Although she had been told the house was guarded, it naturally startled her to come to it, for the first time, past a row of armed soldiers.

Philippine Problems.

When we arrived in Manila we found the social atmosphere somewhat peculiar. Members of our own party, who had crossed the Pacific on the Hancock, welcomed us at once with dinners and teas and other kinds of parties; also a number of army ladies called without delay, and our circle broadened rapidly. But Gen. MacArthur, who was the Military Governor and lived at Malacanang Palace, did not entertain anybody except a select military circle. He sent an aid with cards, of course, and he accepted our invitations to dinner, but that was all. Not that we minded, except that it made it rather awkward and added something to the "feeling" that all was not well between the army and the new civil Government.

The commission had been for three months busily engaged in investigating conditions, as directed by the President, before they assumed any authority, and then they acted with no haste. We were impatiently awaiting news from America with regard to the Presidential election. It was thought to be futile to take any definite steps toward the establishment of local government and the inauguration of far-reaching reforms until the status of American control should be

settled. Mr. Bryan had promised political independence, and if Mr. Bryan were elected all the commission's plans would go for naught.

The question with the friars became one, largely, of getting value for their property, their title to which was never seriously disputed, and it was decided that on condition of their leaving the islands the insular Government would undertake the purchase of their vast estates. The intention was then to make some arrangement whereby the lands might be sold back to the people in homestead tracts, and on terms which the poorest man might be able, in time, to meet.

It was to negotiate this transaction, involving the expenditure of \$7,000,000, that my husband was sent to Rome the following year as an emissary of the United States Government to the Vatican.

The chapters which deal with Mrs. Taft's adventures in the Philippines, adventures which brought her into

association with the Islands' inhabitants of every sort, from Spanish aristocrats to half-naked Igorrote chiefs who decorated their houses with human skulls, are as interesting as any romance. But of historical importance as great, or greater, is her record of the trip to Rome made by Mr. Taft, Bishop O'Gorman, and Gen. James F. Smith, the trip which had as its object the adjustment with the Vatican of the friars' lands problem.

Audience with Leo XIII.

The commission's stay in Rome was extended beyond expectations, for the negotiations were delicate and difficult. One interesting detail mentioned by Mrs. Taft is that her husband, when he had audience with Leo XIII., presented to him a gift from President Roosevelt. The gift was a specially bound set of Mr. Roosevelt's own works.

The Pope alluded to this gift when he admitted Mrs. Taft to audience. She writes:

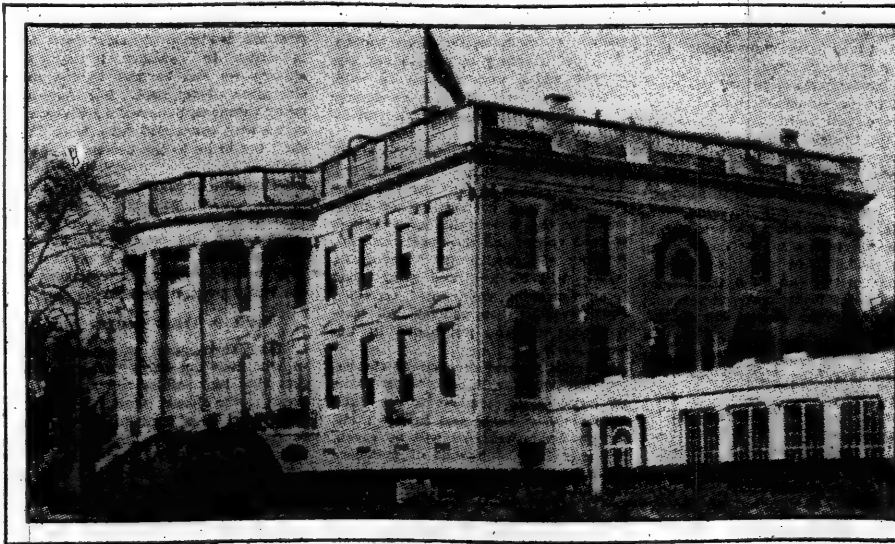
He began speaking to me in French, and finding that I could answer him in that language he talked with me for perhaps half an hour with a most charmingly graceful manner of comment and compliment. He spoke of Mr. Roosevelt's present and wished that he knew English so that he might read the books. He referred to Mr. Roosevelt as "President Roosevelt," which was as near as he seemed to be able to get to that very un-Latin name, said that he himself, in his youth, had been devoted to the chase and would like very much to read "The Strenuous Life."

Finally, after the Tafts had returned to the Philippines, the friars' lands question was settled by the purchase of the lands for \$7,000,000. An important factor in this affair was the Apostolic Delegate, Archbishop Guidi of Stauropoli. Mrs. Taft tells an interesting story in which this distinguished churchman figures.

Gregorio Aglipay, who had once been a Roman Catholic priest, had created what he called the Independent Filipino Catholic Church. Of course, he had been excommunicated, and he was conducting an active campaign against the Roman Catholic Church and gaining many adherents to his own religious body. Mr. Taft, contrary to the wishes of many of the Filipinos, did not "suppress" Aglipay, but endeavored to act in accordance with his ideas of American religious toleration. Says Mrs. Taft:

At one of my first receptions that season quite a dramatic scene occurred in the ballroom. A thousand or more people, perhaps, had passed the receiving line. Mr. Guidi came in all his stately regalia, and shortly afterward Aglipay put in an appearance. The people wandered around all over the place, circulating through the spacious gardens and around the verandas, so there was a possibility that these two would not meet even though they were both very conspicuous figures. But it was not long before the Papal Delegate hurried up to Mr. Taft and, in a state of visible excitement, inquired who the stranger in the striking religious garb might be.

"That," said Mr. Taft, "is Aglipay." "But, you know," said the Monsignor, "it is impossible for you to receive him here when I am present!" Then Mr. Taft once more laboriously explained the standpoint of the American Government, saying that Aglipay was in his house in his private capacity as a citizen, that he had as much right there as any other citizen, and that it would not be possible to ask him to leave as long as he conducted himself as a guest should. "Then I shall have to go," said Mr. Guidi. "I am very sorry," said Mr. Taft, "I understand your position perfectly and I trust you understand mine as well." So the highest of the friar Church dignitaries got his hat and hastened away while the "renegade and impious impostor" remained in serene unconcern of the disturbance he had created? Perhaps not. At least he was serene.



Mrs. Taft's Own Picture of the White House.

750,000 WOMEN LEAGUED FOR BETTER HOUSEKEEPING

Organization Is About to Open Clearing Houses Here and in Atlantic City to Further the Campaign for Better Food and Simpler Management of the Home.

By Edward Marshall.

NATIONAL housekeeping was the text of the first comprehensive announcement of the plans and aims of the Housewives' League which ever appeared in print. It was embodied in one of these Times interviews in which Mrs. Julian Heath presented to the public the beginnings of the vast plan which then was forming in her mind. That was three years ago.

In the fertile brain of this remarkable organizer new plans have grown, far beyond her own earlier imaginings, until, within three years, those words "national housekeeping" have taken on a new significance, a big, almost startling meaning, which seems likely to be fully realized.

Within a few weeks this extraordinary organization, now numbering more than 750,000, and probably almost a million members, will open commodious national headquarters in this city, especially representing the added impulses which seem likely to tend toward the solution of more than one economic problem of the times and likely to have important influence upon some of our fundamental social puzzles.

Further, when next Summer comes, the Housewives' League's own pier, at Atlantic City, another new enterprise, like the headquarters announced in this article for the first time, will become, it is believed, a rallying place for women from all parts of the nation.

It is far from improbable that before the Summer ends the membership of the league will have passed beyond the million mark, and that its influence will have done bigger things even than it did a year or two ago, when it forced down the price of butter and eggs.

At any rate, it surely will have established a standard which there is every reason to believe will be more definitely effective than that which the Government intended to establish when, in the Pure Foods act, it provided for the imprint "Guaranteed under" the provisions of the Federal law, a plan which since then has been discontinued.

"Three years ago," said Mrs. J. Heath, who remains President of the organization, "the league was practically introduced to the world in the columns of THE TIMES. It began as a group of seven women. It has become the greatest women's organization ever dreamed of. It has developed into a vast economic movement, amounting almost to a crusade."

"It seems to be becoming a link between the past, of individual and generally self-sufficient homes, and the future, when homemaking and housekeeping will be done entirely by wholesale."

"I have been called its originator. I am not that. No woman is. It was a necessary and logical development of the time."

"Women had been ejected from their natural sphere of activity by economic progression. Food production had been taken out of the individual garden spot and pasture and kitchen, where it had been carried on in the past, and transferred gradually into the wholesale manufacturing plant—the packing house, the great bakery, the cannery."

Women Have Waked Up.

"Many other tasks which once had been 'housework' had similarly evolved. Weaving had gone from the household loom into the mill. Dress-making had vanished from the family sewing room and had been entrusted to the shop modistes and ready-made-garment manufacturers."

"In other words, most of the work which women had been doing had been taken from them and they had accepted more or less gratefully their release from responsibility as to its excellence. What had been left in the home had been relegated principally to helpers called 'servants.'"

"It had at last become apparent, however, that the nation was the loser through all this. Even supervision had relaxed. By no means all the sources of supply were unworthy, but many of them were, and the new housewife who had developed during the transition period was inefficient and unable to cope at all with the new conditions. Modern women were not good homemakers or managers; they were becoming mere parasites."

"It is difficult to find excuse for blaming women. They did not know what had happened or was happening."

They had begun to yearn for culture, and they had been getting it with an appetite so eager that they gave the greater portion of their time to it, disregarding, in the excitement of the novelty, the loss which they and the nation were suffering because of their abandonment of old activities. That they went somewhat too far in the eagerness of their search is not surprising.

"Now, however, realization of all this has come. I regard the vast growth of the Housewives' League as a manifestation of this rather than as the cause of it."

"A few months ago as I was addressing the girls of the State Normal School at Providence, R. I., I became conscious of this. They were potential housewives and they were anxious for information in regard to the

"All the State reports recognize the housewife's importance. Women are now upon the Weights and Measures Commissions of many States; they are included among the Factory Inspectors and food inspection officials almost everywhere. The league has become a natural clearing house for all information and much opinion concerning the home and the things which, under the changed conditions, are sent into the home from outside."

"The wonderful thing to me has been the frankness with which women have admitted that they no longer are competent housewives and the energy with which they have set to work to remedy the fault. In three years they

not been a single criticism of any of its accomplishments. Our campaign for clean flour and against muslin bags through which dirt could penetrate won. Our egg campaign won. Our clean-grocery campaign won, and others won."

"So that we are ready for this next step, and after we have taken it the source of supply, the middleman, the retailer, and the housewife will be all united in a great plan for good housekeeping, and good housekeeping will mean economical housekeeping."

"In the old days all these agencies were on one farm. It produced, it delivered its products to the dwelling; there they were prepared, and there

on home economics, all the magazines of especial value, and all the laws bearing upon the problems of the home will be available."

"We hope great things for our auditorium. Lectures will be given in it every day, and perhaps every hour of every day. They will cover a wide range. The domestic labor problem will be among the most important to be discussed, and it is the earnest hope of the league's leaders that something approaching a solution of this most vexing matter may gradually grow out of the league's new activities."

"The Housewives' League committees will meet here at intervals to be decided upon, studying food qual-

"This brings me to consideration of what seems to me to be the very dangerous 'Made in America' slogan, which recently has been given voice as one of the results of the European war."

"It is patriotic to support goods made in the United States; it is essential that we do not permit the unscrupulous to use this patriotism as a cloak for bad quality."

"And now we must consider the necessity for some guarantee to take the place of that which the United States Government for a time authorized, but which it now has withdrawn."

"The 'Guaranteed Under the Food and Drugs Act' did not accomplish the results which it was intended to accomplish. It meant that the manufacturer had filed a paper saying that he had complied, in his product,

the consideration of the domestic service problem. I wish I need not use that word 'service' at all."

"We shall not use it in the future. I think. We shall refer to and think of this matter as the problem of domestic employees, and when we really begin to do that we shall have gone a long way toward solving the whole problem. We want domestic employees to become members of the league."

"The woman who cooks for 'dine' is no mere a servant than the girl behind the counter of a shop or the man at the bookkeeper's desk, or the expert at the throttle of a locomotive. She is an employee. That is a better and a truer word."

"Already we have enrolled many domestic employees as members, and the older members, the employers, are as delighted as possible over the departure. There really never has been a household 'servant problem' any more than there has been a servant problem in the steel industry or the transportation business."

"It is a labor problem. By making employees members of the league, urging other league members to give their employees opportunities to become efficient, and teaching in the league schools expertly and cheaply what employees should know, we hope to accomplish a real metamorphosis."

Employee Has Been Neglected.

"This matter of educating domestic employees has been utterly neglected. All the work which has been done in the way of domestic science education, even the work of our own league, has been for the employer, not for the employee. The natural result is that our kitchens are immensely inefficient."

"Many manufacturers are handling with minute and intelligent care the products which they sell, but these same products are handled with carelessness and inefficiency as soon as they reach our kitchens, much of the good work of the manufacturer, even some of his cleanliness, being thereby nullified."

"One concern spends hundreds of thousands of dollars annually to keep its product, crackers, dry and crisp until sold. The domestic employee may nullify all the good results of this enormous expenditure with a very little carelessness after the product has passed into her custody."

"Vast and splendid ingenuity and immense sums of money are expended annually in the creation and manufacture of new domestic implements. If an employer gets them for her employees they very likely never will be used—for the very best of reasons: the domestic employee will not know how to use them and there is no one to help her learn. That is work for the league, isn't it?"

"I remember buying a washer and giving it to the woman in my kitchen. Later I saw it covered with dust. 'Annie, you don't use that, do you?' I inquired."

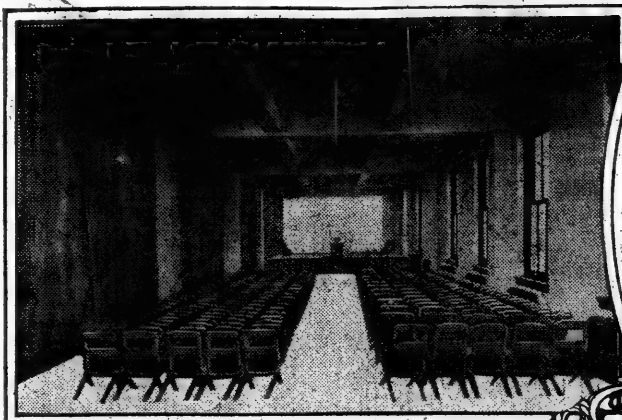
"What! use that silly thing?" she answered. 'Not while I've got my two hands.'"

"She didn't know how good it was and there had been no one to teach her. 'Thousands and probably tens of thousands of dollars have been invested by housewives in appliances which their employees never use. This is the worst kind of inefficiency and waste. No manufacturer buys machinery which his employees do not use; but they have had a chance to learn how to use that which he supplies, while ours have not had such a chance.'"

"So there will be another of the activities of our new enterprise—teaching the domestic employee how to be efficient and teaching the domestic employer to realize the necessity of this."

"We are going rather generally into education. Meetings of the Principals and teachers in both public and private schools will occur in our assembly room; we shall have conferences on infant-feeding and general dietetics; we shall consider price maintenance and table waters, refrigeration of household supplies and how to weigh and market."

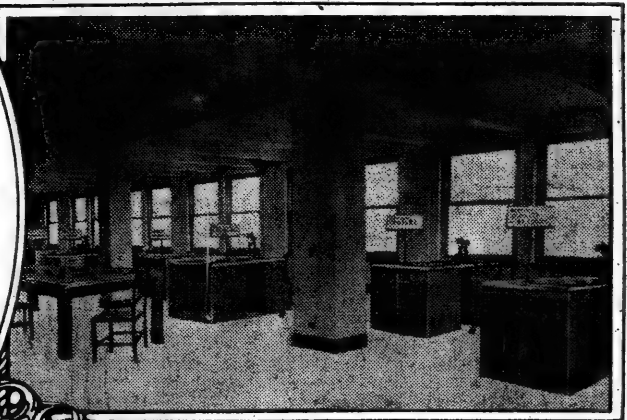
"One good conference which we have in mind will consider what effect cash payment to grocers and one delivery of groceries a day would have upon the cost of living. Grocers tell me that it might reduce it considerably, because credit accounts and expensive and elaborate delivery services represent a large share of the cost of conducting their businesses."



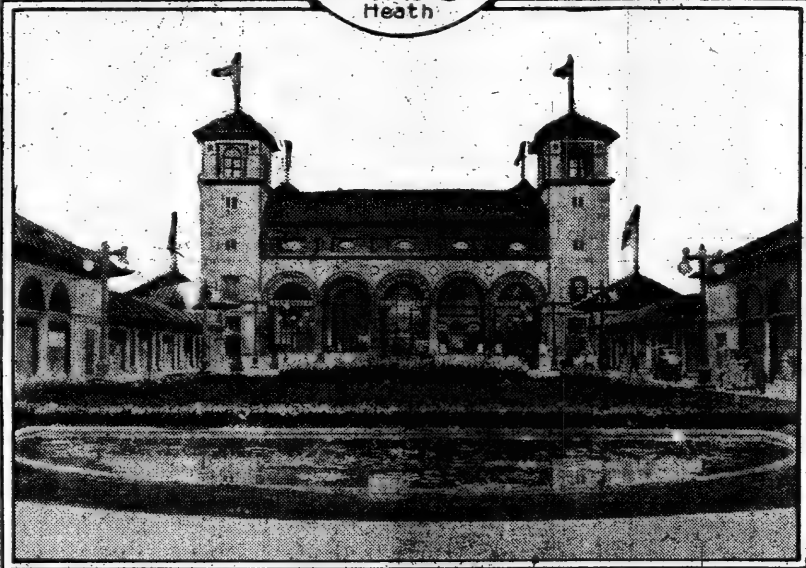
The Auditorium



Mrs. Julian Heath



Executive Offices



Entrance to the League's Pier at Atlantic City

new housekeeping. They themselves are not likely ever to make pickles, but they are equally unlikely to take for granted pickles made elsewhere."

"It was plain enough that the grocers with whom those girls will deal will keep their hands out of the pickle barrel—or lose the custom of these girls. It was clear enough that these girls would know what they were purchasing when they went to the baker's. And they are characteristic of the times. Five years ago this would not have been true of many groups of girls."

League Spreading Everywhere.

"It has been the growth of this new conception of the woman's duty as a housekeeper which has built the Housewives' League, and it is spreading with immense rapidity. We have an organization in every State of the Union, and every leader is a brilliant woman, of big and broad conceptions."

"The movement has spread across the boundary to Canada. It is taking root in Japan, where already it is plain that its growth will be rapid. The Japanese are a progressive people. Their letters show that. In Europe it is doing less, but before the war began we had had many letters from the far side of the Atlantic. One, by the way, came from Germany, and reached us, although it was addressed to the 'Frau Manager of the Egg Fellowship of Housewives, New York.'"

"The Texas Bulletin reached me today—its first issue. It phrases the object of the league very well. It says: 'The league is educational, defensive, and constructive. The housewife must eliminate waste, she must learn to buy economically, she must learn values.'"

"In the East, through this organization, generally speaking, she has already done that. She has taught the commercial food handlers of America that women are their customers and must be reckoned with. 'She is gradually doing just that everywhere.'"

"In every State of the Union one will now find women—housewives in the broader sense—upon official food and market commissions, members and leaders in agricultural societies, in touch with and upon the membership lists of Grange committees. A woman is the First Vice President of the New York State Agricultural Society. It happens that I'm that woman, but that is not a personal matter—it is the recognition of the Housewives' League that is important. The society wanted a housewife among its officers. A few weeks ago I went to speak at the Minnesota State Fair, and found that Housewives' Day had been established as a permanent institution."

have achieved the closest and most salutary touch with the manufacturers who have taken their places as providers for the family table."

"They now are upon the verge of achieving similarly close touch with the business men who have taken their places as weavers, dressmakers, gardeners, and all the other individual workers of the older times."

"In this co-operation will lie, I think, the most important development of the coming years. Already both sides are finding it a pleasant and an advantageous thing. The tradesmen and the manufacturers were forced to enter the combination. Many, if not most of them, entered it against their will. But now they know that they have gained by it."

"They will gain more by it. It will not principally reveal fraud, although it will do that. Its principal service will be the wiping out of misunderstandings. Through education it will reform many a producer whose sins have been due more to ignorance than to viciousness; through education, also, it will reform many a housewife who has allowed herself to be an 'easy mark' and thereby sinned."

"It now seems that we are ready to go a step further. It will be a very important step. It will make national housekeeping one of the most important subjects of the time, and this movement toward it must be recognized as one of the most notable movements of the time. Indeed it is destined, I believe, to be one of the most notable educational movements the world ever has known."

"We probably have passed the time when food consumers and food manufacturers will fight us as enemies before the Legislatures and elsewhere. Neither party really gains by that. Both sides have found that it is more efficient to co-operate than to combat."

"We housewives are learning, for example, that we don't have to fight the manufacturers of food dealers in impure food. That was destructive. The constructive and far more effective course is to co-operate with the manufacturers of and dealers in pure food."

Great Machine Established.

"That is, by demanding pure foods and making certain, through our organization, that we get them, we shall automatically make unprofitable the business of the manufacturers of impure products. So now, having organized the women and made them a power, we also have learned how best to exercise that power."

"A great machine has been established, and in three years there has

they were consumed. The farm was self-sufficient."

"That time has passed. It was a retail plan. The new plan is wholesale and in the largest sense, but that is not a reason why women should be eliminated from it. It is another reason why they should make an effort to understand it and should manage it."

"So we are at work on the establishment of the three-linked chain, or, better still, of the circle."

"It was the gaps in the old plan which caused all the trouble. We have discovered what, to the muckraker will seem the astounding fact that the great food producers and most of the small ones, in the main, are honest men, anxious to give value for the money they receive; even those who have been careless of this in the past hasten to fall into line as soon as they discover that there is a general ability among women to detect bad values."

The League's Headquarters.

"The league, as soon as it opens its national headquarters, will be in a position to efficiently discover and estimate bad values and to appreciate and acknowledge good ones."

"It has taken a whole floor at 25 West Forty-fifth Street, and it is to admit manufacturers to membership, for which they will pay a fee, just as housewives have paid a fee for entrance. Inasmuch as the league is purely a membership organization, with not a salary to pay to any one or one which possibly can be paid, under its charter, there is no danger that through this anything unworthy can creep into it."

"The 100 by 100 feet of floor will give space for various departments. There will be a kitchen for the demonstration and preparation of foods and for the instruction of members in food values and the merits and demerits of proprietary foodstuffs, which will be analyzed and, when found unworthy, condemned, as when found worthy, commended. All tested foods will be purchased in the open market."

"In the general division of the remaining space will be writing desks for out-of-town members to use while visiting New York, and in the auditorium demonstrations will be given, not only for the benefit of members of the league, but for any women wishing to benefit by them. This will also be available as a free meeting place for women's clubs or any organization in which women are working along economic lines."

"There will be a large rest room, and in the library all the best books

titles, legal weights and measures, co-operation with retail dealers, publications on homemaking, domestic science, sanitation, agricultural production, prices, housefurnishings, household utensils, domestic architecture, home art, ready-made clothing, domestic employment, domestic science work in schools, and the thousand and one other topics which all form a part of the new and bigger housekeeping. Here, too, the newer organization, the Junior League, of obvious nature, will have its headquarters."

"The Atlantic City enterprise will, we hope, be as important. We have taken a splendid pier there, with the enthusiastic co-operation of the private owner, and that is to be Summer headquarters. Atlantic City was chosen as the site of this headquarters because travelers from all parts of the country are continually visiting this particular seashore."

"This Atlantic City branch will be especially the headquarters of the American fashion movement, which has gained such headway since the outbreak of the European war, and which we all hope will very greatly develop the ingenuity and artistic sense of American women as well as tend toward stopping a vast waste and curbing an incredible extravagance."

"This, it seems to us, is along the broader lines which we legitimately have won the right to labor upon. At first we needed to consider food, and in order to consider it carefully enough we had to give to the consideration all our time. But there are many things in housewifery which are in no way connected with food. We shall try to go to the bottom of many of them."

"That the producers and the merchants are so willing to co-operate with us is proof of the power of our organization, not only to chasten the improperly inclined, but to secure the help toward mutual development of the truly progressive and honest."

Merit Is What Counts Now.

"No manufacturer will exhibit with us who does not know that the mere fact that he exhibits will subject his goods to the closest scientific scrutiny. They must be of high quality in order to get in and they must remain of high quality in order to stay in."

"It is plain to us who come constantly into contact with the sources of domestic supply that the whole psychology of American business has changed during recent years. Merit is now what counts, and this is largely because organized womanhood has insisted that it must be so."

with the requirements of the law, but no investigation of his claims was made. It merely meant registration."

"Now, what can be done which really will be serviceable? No one can guarantee except the consumers, and here, in the Housewives' League, is an organization of consumers which will guarantee only after an actual chemical investigation. That will be one of our great future services."

"We will say that a woman comes to headquarters and asks about baking powder. She will be referred to the woman in charge of ascertained facts about all baking powders—and that woman will know. In a few years, we think, no manufacturer will be making baking powders which will not pass her test."

"A newer field of investigation includes fabrics."

"There has been much talk about adulterated foods. As a matter of fact, we are spending almost as much for adulterated fabrics as we are for adulterated foods."

Other Problems to Solve.

"Loaded silks have been common on our market. This evening I am wearing silk that was a part of my great-grandmother's wedding dress. Few girls three generations from now will be doing anything like that. Their great-grandmothers' dresses will have disappeared. Present-day silk won't last. But perhaps the silk of tomorrow will be equally good, because we shall have watched it and insisted on it—we, the women who spend money for silks."

"And there are things other than adulteration against which we shall battle. For one example, we shall fight chiffons. The high cost of living is due in part to waste of money upon fabrics which will not wear."

"A woman on the east side told me not long ago that her daughter had been ruined by twenty-nine-cent silk stockings and cheap lace. Good ones could not be manufactured at the price, and this manufacture of unworthy cheap goods is as much to be combated as the manufacture of unworthy high price goods."

"At the new headquarters of the league the matter of value and economy in clothing will be considered with as great care as is given to food."

"Household utensils need investigation, too. There are those which are badly made and those which are well made; there are wasteful implements and economical implements. They can be classified by tests, and these tests must be made by some one. We shall be the agency to make them."

"Following along this line of thought we are naturally led back to

GLEAMS AND FLASHES

It sometimes takes courage to insist that you are right, but a lot more to admit that you are wrong.

Poverty is no crime. Many a man would rather be right than be rich.

Many a man spends all his life waiting for the unexpected that never happens.

Ignorance is surely bliss to the fellow who has more money than he knows what to do with.

An argument generally takes a curious form. It always has two sides, but only one end.

It's all right to take an interest in other people's affairs, but don't take more of an interest than they do themselves.

One half the world, dissatisfied with what it has, can't understand how the other half can be dissatisfied with what it hasn't.

Any poker player will tell you that it is better to be flushed with victory than to be 'sweat-flushed' out of it!

The one time a man never demands a receipt is when he pays a grudge.

When a woman builds a house she wants plenty of closets. Then she spends most of her time looking in them for burglars.

Is the man who profits by his mistakes any better off than the man who never makes any?

Marriage is a tie, but some people regard it merely as a slip knot.

Many a man who thinks he knows all about women discovers his error as soon as he marries one.

A man seldom feels out of sight just because he is head over ears in debt.

Just about the time a man has the world at his feet he wakes up.

Fortunate is the man who succeeds in penetrating the disguise of his blessings.

It is quite natural for a woman to feel stuck up when she wears those big hairpins.

THE GENTLE CYNIC

Some people can't stand prosperity. The horn of plenty has started many a man on a toot.

A soft berth is always one that somebody else has.

Love, being blind, never sees itself as others see it.

If all the world's a stage, a lot of us need more rehearsals.

More of us get what we deserve than what we want.

Pleasure and Duty are a hard pair to drive in double harness.

Many a man gets a pretty bad fall from being thrown on his own resources.

Of course a woman can keep a secret. That is, she can keep it going.

Many a fellow takes advice that he doesn't know what to do with.

Any man might conquer the world if he had half as much perseverance as a female book agent.

A fool and his money are always on the go.

Lots of the mistakes of married life are home made.

The accomplished flatterer first practices on himself.

The worst thing about the dead beat is that he is so very much alive.

When poverty comes in at the door, love doesn't wait for the burglar alarm to go off.

You never can tell. Many a woman with a high instep can come down flat-footed.

Gossip never dies from lack of circulation.

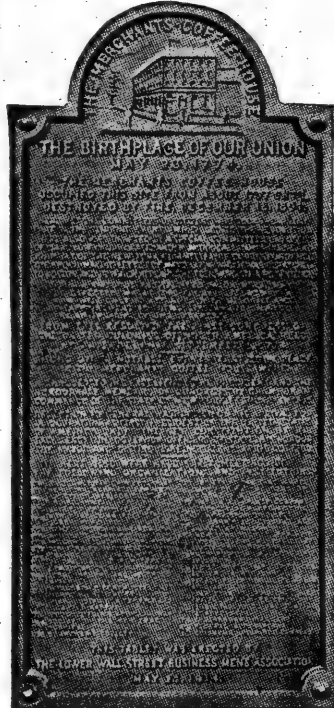
Don't envy the bluffer. He isn't always as happy as he looks.

The man who waits to be given a chance has a life job as a waiter.

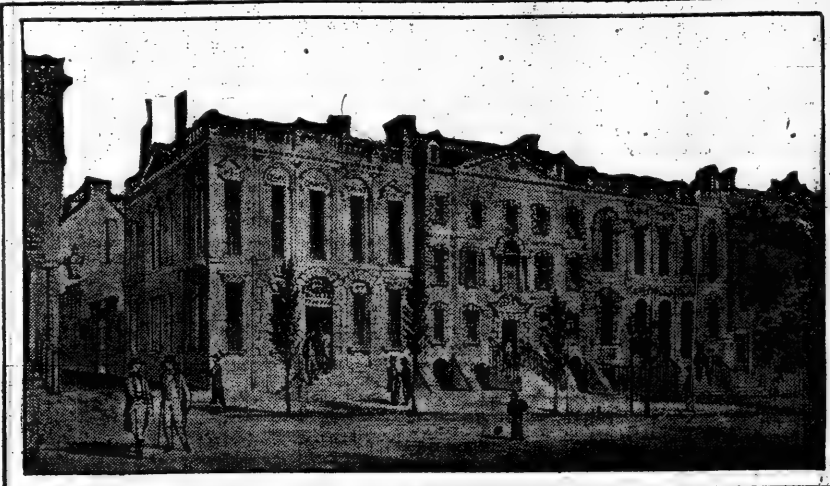
Every man may have his price, but it is generally about three times more than he is worth.

NEW YORK DEMANDS ITS PLACE IN HISTORY REVISED

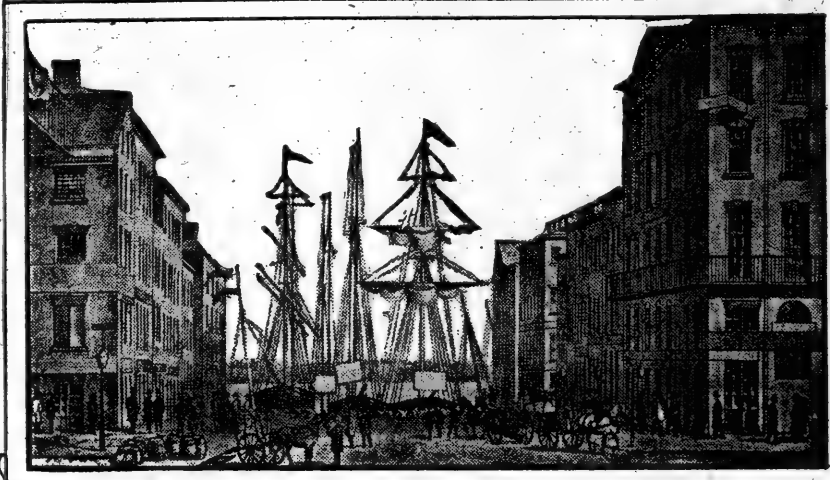
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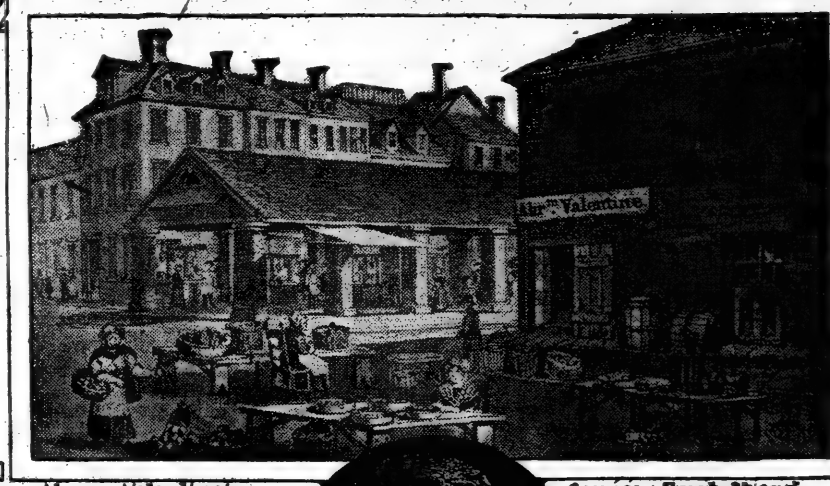
Tablet on Site of Merchants' Coffee House



New York and City Banks and McEvers Mansion, Wall Street in 1800



Coffee House Slip and New York Coffee House



Abram Valentine's Grocery Store

Corner Front St. and Maiden Lane



NEW YORK'S greatest need, in the opinion of the merchants of the Lower Wall Street Business Men's Association, is a truthful history. Several plans are being considered as to the best means of obtaining such a work. One of the most feasible as well as practical, said Abram Wakeman, Secretary of the Lower Wall Street Association, yesterday, is to offer a prize of \$5,000 for a correct history of New York City.

"It would be well worth the price," said Mr. Wakeman, "for New York's true fame, especially in the part it played previous to the Revolution toward consolidating a nation out of the thirteen colonies, has never been properly presented before the world. We have had all sorts of histories by all kinds of writers, but not one of them has done New York justice. New Yorkers have been entirely too careless of their reputation in this respect. They have evidently been too busy making money and making the city grow to refute the foolish and careless statements of writers who have been recognized as good historians."

New York's Tea Party.

"New York also had its tea party," said Boston, yet very few of our school historians mention the fact, and it is interesting to note that New York's tea party was conducted in the daytime and without any disguise, while the Bostonians who threw the tea overboard were dressed as Indians and did their destructive work at night."

Mr. Wakeman has been a merchant in the old coffee and tea district around lower Wall Street for over forty years, and his belief that New York history was to a large extent wrong was aroused by his investigation into old records for his "History of Lower Wall Street," which he recently compiled.

In order to formulate a definite plan for a correct historical work he invited, on behalf of the Lower Wall Street Association, all of the historical and patriotic societies of the city to meet a few days ago and discuss the question. As a result it was voted to appoint a committee of nine "to draft a plan whereby the errors and misstatements found in some of the American histories may be corrected."

"When the committee formulates its plan it will be submitted to the societies for their endorsement. Over twenty-five societies attended the meeting, including the New York Historical Society, the Holland Society, the Sons of the Revolution, and the Sons of the American Revolution, the Huguenot Society, the Society of the Cincinnati, the Marine Society, St. Andrews Society, and Tammany Hall, or the Society of St. Tammany, to which credit is given for having established Feb. 22 as the birthday of Washington for general celebration. In the early days many cities celebrated Washington's birthday on Feb. 11, which was the correct date according to the old calendar style, but under the new calendar it should be Feb. 22, and Tammany was the first to show the reasonableness of the date and bring about a uniformity in the celebration."

"I do not know what plan will be adopted," added Mr. Wakeman, "but my suggestion would be that a prize of \$5,000 be offered, either for competition or else that a historian of acknowledged ability be employed for such a sum to write an impartial history from careful investigation of the old records. I would suggest that such

a history be a short work—that is, one to be easily read by all.

"To my mind, there is no good really short history of New York City. Mrs. Martha J. Lamb started to write one, but she went into so many details that more than half of her two large volumes deals with the period preceding the Revolution, and she had to finish her work on the rapid-transit process. As a result, Mrs. Lamb's history, while very interesting for the student, is too unwieldy for the average reader. I do not object to detail, but what our schools and the general reader wants is a comprehensive narrative of the career of New York, bringing out prominently and accurately its more salient features, so that its true place in the broad history of the nation may be known."

The Battle of Golden Hill.

One of the things which should receive fairer treatment in the accurate history to be written is that sanguinary affair known as the battle of Golden Hill. It was, of course, no more a battle than the Boston affair was a massacre. The two events, however, had this in common, that they were protests by the populace against the quartering of British soldiers in their precincts and the high-handed acts that inevitably followed."

Mr. Wakeman has prepared a pamphlet on what he calls historical comparisons, showing how historians have treated some of these early events in New York, and what the original records show. He finds that Bancroft gives one of the best accounts of the Golden Hill affair, but all that he says, after stating that the difficulty occurred over the cutting down of the Liberty Pole in the Fields, now City Hall Park, by the soldiers on the night of Jan. 10, 1770, is:

"The people assembled in the Fields to the number of 3,000, and without planning retaliation, expressed abhorrence of the soldiers as enemies to the Constitution and to the peace of the city. The soldiers replied by an insulting placard, and on two successive days engaged in an affray with the citizens, in which the latter had the advantage."

In Woodburn's history it is merely called a riot. Among the writers who

do not even mention the affair are West, Channing, Hart, Ashley, James, and Sandford, McLoughlin, Montgomery, Muzzey, and Ellen Chase.

Mrs. Lamb does a little better by stating in a footnote that the conflict was called the battle of Golden Hill and was the first blood of the Revolution shed in New York, two months before the massacre at Boston and five years before the battle of Lexington.

Going back to original sources—that is, the newspapers of the time—in Parker's Weekly Post Boy on Feb. 5, 1770, appears an interesting account of the trouble. The scarcity of these early papers may be one reason why historians have given so little attention to this drama, but it is also curious to note that Hugh Gaine's New York Mercury does not even mention the encounter.

The insulting placard mentioned by Bancroft, which stirred the anger of the citizens, is printed in full in Parker's Post Boy. In addition to many insults against the Sons of Liberty, this statement, which was particularly galling, appeared:

"The means of making your famous city which you so much boast of an impoverished one is your acting in violation to the laws of the British Government, but take heed lest you repeat too late."

But few copies of this issue are extant. The New York Historical Society has one, but the New York Public Library only has a photographic copy. So far as is known, this account of the Golden Hill conflict has never been

published, even in part, in any history of New York. According to the account, the "battle" began from the effort of Isaac Sears, the famous leader of the Sons of Liberty, to prevent half a dozen soldiers from posting their placards in the Fly Market, at the foot of Maiden Lane.

A soldier drew his bayonet on Sears, and the latter retaliated by striking him on the head with a ram's horn. Then twenty or more soldiers came up. Whitehead Hicks of the old Long Island Hicks family was Mayor at the time. He lived near by, and, with Alderman Elias Desbrosses, from whom Desbrosses Street gets its name, he ordered the soldiers back to their barracks, on what is now the north side of Chambers Street opposite the park. The ascent of Maiden Lane and John Street from the river was steeper then than is the case today, the highest part being in the vicinity of John and William Streets. The Post Boy account states:

"The people were apprehensive that as the soldiers had drawn their swords at the Mayor's house and thereby committed the civil authority and declared war against the inhabitants, it was not safe to let them go into the streets

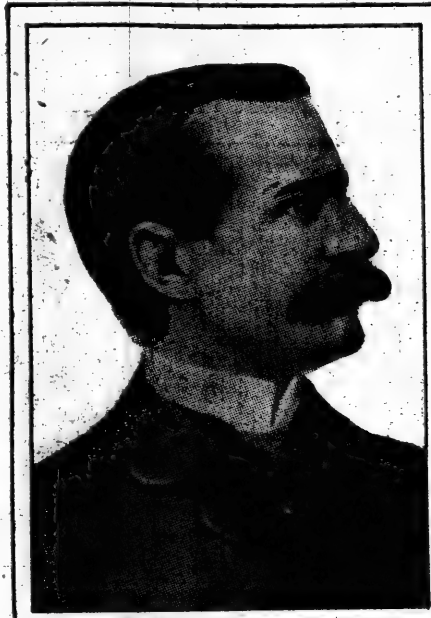
Unanswered

SHE came to me, and in her hands she held
A fading rose; within her childish eyes
The grieving spirit, bare of all disguise,
More clearly asked than lips the question spelled:
"Why must it die?" Quick from my heart there welled
The answer old we fancy satiate,
Of death that comes that other life may rise;
But vain such thought to heart where love has dwelled.
"Why must it die?" It seems as if the cry
Came down the ages, echoing afar,
Unanswered still. The near, above his chart
Speaks but to change his last reply;
And we who love the Gallies are
Grown weary of dark night and truth in part.
ARTHUR WALLACE PRACHEL

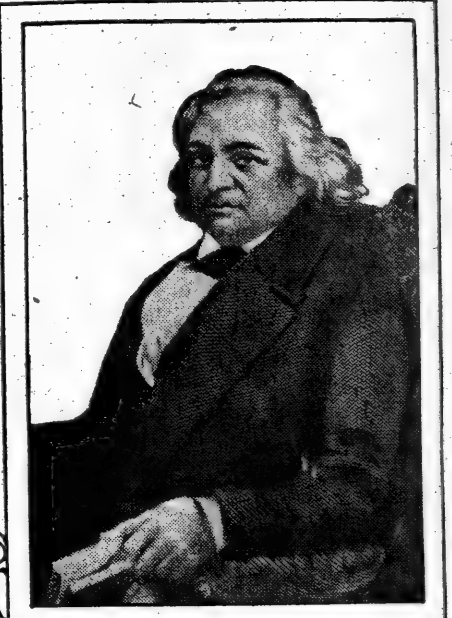
alone, lest they might offer violence to some of the citizens, to prevent which they followed them and the two Magistrates aforesaid to the corner of Golden Hill, and in their going several of the citizens reasoned with them on the folly of drawing their swords and endeavoring to persuade them to sheath them, assuring them that no mischief was intended them, but without success. They turned up Golden Hill, and about the time they reached the summit a considerable number of soldiers joined them, which inspired them to retort the Magistrates and exasperate

memorable letter was drawn up at the Merchants' Coffee House by the merchants of New York. It was this letter, which for a long time was supposed to be lost, that led the Lower Wall Street Business Men's Association last May to inscribe the words "The Birthplace of Our Union" at the top of the tablet erected on the building now standing on the Coffee House site.

The building was erected before 1740, but the earliest notice of it ap-



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the inhabitants, which was soon manifested by their facing about, and one, in silk stockings and neat Buckskin Breeches, (who is suspected to have been an officer in disguise) giving the word of command, "Soldiers, draw your bayonets and out your way through them!" The former was instantly obeyed, and they called out: "Where are your Sons of Liberty now?" and fell on the citizens with great violence, cutting and stabbing.

This convinced them that their apprehensions were well founded, for although no insult or violence had been offered to the former, yet instead of going peacefully to their barracks as they were ordered by the magistrates, they, in defiance of their authority, drew their arms to attack men who, except six or seven that had clubs and sticks, were naked. These few, far had the sticks maintained their ground in the narrow passage in which they stood and defended their defenseless fellow-citizens for some time against the furious and unmanly attacks of armed soldiers.

One of them made a stroke with a cutlass at Francis Field, one of the people called Quakers, standing in an unoffensive posture in his door at the corner, and cut him in the cheek, and if the corner had not broke the stroke it would probably have killed him. This party that came down to the main street cut a tea water man driving his cart and a fisherman's finger; in short, they made attacked every person that they could reach. And their companions on Golden Hill were more inhuman, for besides cutting a sailor's head and finger, that was defending himself against them, they stabbed another with a bayonet, going about his business, so badly that his life was thought in danger. Not satisfied with all this cruelty, two of them followed a boy going for sugar into Mr. Elsworth's house, and one of them cut him on the head with a cutlass and the other made a lunge with a bayonet at the woman in the entry that answered the child.

In closing this narrative, the writer says:

"Thus ended a riot which would have been productive of much worse consequences had the citizens been inclined. It is evident, there has been blood spilled on both sides. I, therefore, submit to my superiors whether the reputation of the city or of the soldiers can be incontestably vindicated and indubitable information given to the Government at home, unless there is a general legal inquiry into the whole of these disturbances."

The narrative is signed "Impartial Citizen," and, although written in the heat of the disturbance, the readiness to submit the disgraceful affair to a legal inquiry, to ascertain where the prime guilt lay, indicates the desire of the more sober-minded citizens to do all things as justly as possible.

A Movable Tablet.

Several years ago the Sons of the Revolution erected a tablet on the northwest corner of William and John Streets to commemorate the battle of Golden Hill. The old structure on which the tablet was placed was afterward torn down, but for some reason it was not replaced on the new building, but was removed one block north, to the northeast corner of William and Fulton Streets.

Why the scene of the battle should have been moved about so fecklessly was a mystery which puzzled many antiquarians of old New York, and one result was to cast doubt on the authenticity of several sites selected for memorial tablets. Evidently the Sons of the Revolution, believing that something was lacking in accuracy, for they eventually removed the tablet from its second site, and no effort has since been made to commemorate the first shedding of blood, which led to the Revolution, by affixing the tablet on a site which would not be questioned by historians.

Four years later, on May 23, 1774, a

pers in a newspaper of 1744. For over a century it was the most famous meeting place in the city. All of the important meetings during the trying days that preceded the Revolution were held there, and it was the general headquarters for all the mercantile news of New York. A writer has stated that it would be difficult to find anywhere in the city 2,600 square feet of ground richer in historical associations than this Wall and Water Street corner. The many events which took place beneath its roof, as designated on the memorial tablet, attest to its long career of activities.

The famous letter of May 23, 1774, was a reply to the Boston Committee of Correspondence asking for sympathy and support in the hardships that the Boston Port bill had inflicted upon the inhabitants. This bill was Great Britain's retaliation for the destruction of the tea and was designed to prevent any vessels entering or leaving the harbor. Boston's letter had not gone so far as to request a general meeting of representatives from the Colonies to consider the difficulties with the mother country, which were rapidly assuming a more alarming character.

Discerning New Yorkers.

The New York merchants were more discerning, and of all historical writers the importance of the step has been grasped with a true insight by Mrs. Lamb, who says that it is evident that had New York adopted a weak policy in its reply to Boston there would have been no Continental Congress at the time, if ever.

It was only when Boston found that New York would be satisfied with nothing less than a Congress of Colonies that she consented. The letter is signed by Isaac Low, but the members of the Committee of Fifty-one named to draft it included James Duane, who became Mayor of the city after the close of the war; Gen. Alexander Macdougall, and John Jay. The letter is the first to give utterance of a general congress, and from it came the Continental Congress, which met in Philadelphia in September of that year and drew up the famous Declaration of Rights, in which the repeal of eleven acts of Parliament was demanded.

To quote from the more important part of this document:

"The Cause is general, and concerns a whole Continent who are equally interested with you and us; and we foresee that no Remedy can be of avail, unless it proceeds from the joint Act and Approval of all. From a virtuous and spirited Union much may be expected: while the feeble Efforts of a few will only be attended with Mischief and Disappointment to themselves, and Triumph to the Adversaries of our Liberty."

Upon these Reasons we conclude that a Congress of Deputies from the Colonies in general is of the utmost Moment; that it ought to be assembled without Delay and some unanimous Resolutions formed in this fatal Emergency, not only respecting your deplorable Circumstances, but for the Security of our common Rights. Such being our Sentiments it must be premature to pronounce any Judgment on the Expedient which you have suggested. We beg however that you will do us the Justice to believe that we shall continue to act with a firm and becoming regard to American Freedom, and to co-operate with our Sister Colonies in every Measure which shall be thought salutary and conducive to the public Good.

The letter is preserved in the New York Public Library among the Samuel Adams papers which were obtained by George Bancroft from the estate of Samuel Adams Wells in 1864. Until a few years ago its existence was practically unknown, although historians

had from time to time mentioned extracts from it. In his investigation, amid original sources of New York history Mr. Wakeman caused a search to be made, and through the efforts of Wilberforce Eames of the Public Library it was discovered. No statement, he says, except the Declaration of Independence occupies so honorable a position in our country's history.

New York's tea party occurred a few days before the drafting of the Continental Congress letter. It has been given but scant attention by historians; as Mr. Wakeman shows in his historical comparisons, while many pages have been devoted to the Boston tea party. The latter was first on the scene, and therefore has prior claim, as the first tea ship arrived in Boston Harbor in December, 1773, and the tea was thrown overboard on the night of Dec. 16. The first tea ship to reach New York was the Nancy, Capt. Lookyer, which came into the harbor on April 2. He was not allowed to bring

his cargo up to the city. On April 21 he was escorted by a delegation of merchants from the Coffee House to the wharf, where he embarked for his ship and sailed away.

On April 22 another tea ship, the London, Capt. Chambers, arrived. He, too, was not allowed to bring his ship to the dock. He denied that he had any tea on board, but a committee of the Sons of Liberty, visiting the ship, forced the Captain to admit that he had several cases on board. Later in the day a band of Liberty Boys, known as the Mohawks, boarded the vessel and threw the unobnoxious cargo overboard.

Mr. Wakeman pays a high tribute to the historian of Manhattan, David T. Valentine, whose old New York Manuals have within recent years become in great demand for the reproductions of rare old New York prints. To the student of history Mr. Valentine's notes on early New York, with original documents, are invaluable. In the Manual for 1855 is the following extract, referring to New York's tea party and other Revolutionary acts, which show that the venerable Clerk of the Common Council felt even then that the city had not been treated quite fairly by many writers:

"Thus ended another of the brilliant exploits by the inhabitants of our city which attracted the attention not only of the colonists throughout America, inspiring them with courage and leading them to action, but also that of the people and the Government in England, increasing the discontent of the one, and the determined hatred of the other. As in the case of the Stamp act riots (November 1, 1765), and of the two days' conflict on Golden Hill (January 18 and 19, 1770), so in this, it was an affair of the people, acting openly, deliberately, and without disguise. They sought no concealment, either of marks or of darkness, and they hesitated not in taking the responsibility, each for himself, which their country seemed to require at their hands. Yet their names are unknown to us, with few exceptions, and while we admire the deeds and the spirit which prompted them, it is permitted us to say, as we do say, 'Thus spoke New York.'"

It would not have been so, and New York would have occupied her rightful position on the roll of fame, at least beside Massachusetts and Virginia, had she felt less regard for principles and more. Without seeking to establish a fictitious fame for her citizens by an annual oration, and notwithstanding the efforts of pedagogues of high and low degree, who have packed alike the school books and the "standard histories" with the words of Massachusetts and Virginia, the city and the State of New York, relying on the deeds of their children, wait patiently for the justice which belongs to them, knowing that the day is not far distant when every one shall be rewarded according to his works.

Historians to Blame.

"New York owes a debt of gratitude to David T. Valentine," said Mr. Wakeman, "who in his manuals has done more in bringing to light our city's early history than any of the great historians."

The President of the Lower Wall Street Business Men's Association is William Bayne, Jr., and he has been designated, on behalf of the historical and patriotic societies, to appoint the committee of nine members to draft the plan which, it is hoped, may lead to the writing of an accurate New York history.

"It is not history that has belied our city," said the committee which issued the call for the recent meeting, "but those who have written it; and there is no branch of education more worthy than that which should give to the Empire State its proper place in history."

CLEARING HOUSE FOR ART PRODUCTS STARTED

WE have many art schools and many artists. In recent years the complaint frequently has been made that we produce more artists than the public demand for art can support. Such a complaint is seen to be absurd as soon as we examine in even the most superficial manner the number of industries into which art enters in this country, as in other countries, and the number of objects serving purely for ornament that we require, or think we require, in our surroundings.

The trouble, for there is a very serious trouble, seems to be that a too large proportion of our artists devote themselves to painting pictures and modeling sculpture for which there is a narrowly limited public, instead of placing their trained talent at the disposal of industrial art, for which there is a large public, and also that the artists who are designers, illustrators, decorators, or craftsmen are more or less at sea as to the manner of placing their work, as to the needs of the manufacturers or tradesmen who form the bridge between them and the general buyers, and as to the taste and character of that public with which their work in the end must live. In a word, in art, as in other fields of labor, we need a clearing house through which the producer may be brought into relation with the consumer at the least possible cost of time and effort to each.

To provide such a clearing house is the initial purpose of the Art Alliance of America, organized last Spring and now opening its rooms in the Milbank Building, 45 East Forty-second Street. The alliance is an association of workers in art and users of art in all its branches. The membership is divided into four sections—active members, who contribute \$10 a year; associate members, confined to those engaged in artistic activities, who contribute \$3 a year; subscribing members, those willing to contribute financial support but not desiring to take active part; honorary members and persons who may be elected by a Board of Directors, at a rate not to exceed two in any one year.

The President of the Board of Directors is William B. Osgood Field of the Grollier Club. The First Vice President is Mrs. Ripley Hitchcock, founder of the Art Workers' Club for Women; the Second Vice President, Luke Vincent Lockwood, lawyer and author of "Colonial Furniture in America," and other works of special research; the Secretary, W. Franklyn Paris of the Museum of French Art, and the Treasurer, Alexander S. Webb, President of the Lincoln Trust Company. The other Directors, all known to the public in their relations to art and organizations of art, are Herbert Adams, Vice President of the National Academy of Design; Joseph Chapin, art editor; Royal Cortissoz, art critic; Miss Constance Curtis, President of the Art Workers' Club for Women; John Cotton Dana, Librarian of the Free Public Library of Newark; Miss Grace Schuyler de Luze, decorator in stained glass; Miss Elizabeth W. Dodge of the Studio Club of New York; Arthur Dow, Art Director of Teachers College; Mrs. John Henry Hammond, President of the Three Arts Club; Dr. James Parton Haney, Art Director of the Public Schools of New York; Mrs. Montgomery Hare of the Cooper Union Art School; Albert Hiter of the Herter Looms; Ripley Hitchcock, author and editor; Francis C. Jones of the Society of Mural Painters; Henry W. Kent, Secretary of the Metropolitan Museum of Art; Arthur I. Keller, Illustrator; Herman A. MacNeil of the National Sculpture Society; Mrs. Harry Markoe of the Three Arts Club; Mrs. George Grant Mason of the New York School of Applied Design; Charles T. Matthews, architect; F. Luis Mora of the Municipal Art Society; Frank Alvah Parsons, President of the New York School of Fine and Applied Design; Walter S. Perry, Art Director of Pratt Institute; Mrs. Clarence C. Rice, ceramist; Mrs. Charles Carl Rumsey, an amateur of art; Charles Zezin, President of the Art Students' League of New York, and Miss Mary Livingston Willard, a painter. The office manager is Miss Kate Blackburn.

Co-operation is Alliance's Aim.

These people are well aware of the position occupied by the decorative and industrial arts in this country, of their long relegation to a place like that held by Hans Andersen's dandelion, considered a weed until one day a famous painter put it into the same picture with the concealed apple branch, when every one immediately knew that it was beautiful and important. Although the Art Alliance is formed to promote the interests of art of all kinds in all fields, its special interest is with the industrial artists. The founders of the organization have learned through wide experience that we have an army of workers in various departments of art who put forth their individual efforts feebly where co-operation would mean strength. "In many cases," they say, "the story is simply a repetition of vocational misdirection of efforts in unprofitable fields, of time wasted through lack of knowledge and experience. Illustrations suitable for children's books are taken to publishers of standard works; designs which might have some promise for wall-paper manufacturers are offered to manufacturers of rugs and carpets; pictures are worked out without special purpose which could have been shaped to meet the requirements of advertising."

To do away with these conditions, to bring the right manufacturer to the right designer, to tell the artist where the appropriate market for his work exists, to provide a general registry for artists, art students, artisans, and employers, which shall classify the different forms of activity and bring the situation into some semblance of business order and system, to provide a department of information for the uninitiated, all this is the first and immediate concern of the alliance.

If this were all, however, the or-

The Newly Formed Art Alliance of America Opens Headquarters in New York, Through Which It Will Seek to Bring Into Contact, to Their Mutual Benefit, the Makers and Buyers of Art.

ganization would be little more than a bureau of employment, specializing in art. Its aims are much wider. The Vice President, Mrs. Ripley Hitchcock, was founder and for twelve years President of the Art Workers' Club for Women, and during that time learned many of the problems with which the art worker and the art employer in America are confronted. For the last two years she and Mrs. Hammond have been making a survey of the art schools and organizations in New York, and have secured in the course of their investigations a large number of letters and reports from teachers, artists, and business men, which, taken together, indicate quite clearly the need of vocational guid-

very much more artistic work, we need designers with high ideals, we need things turned out much better than we have them, and we will get that when artists bury their talents in the common garden of the drudgery of business, and from that common garden will come forth some common article of common design of no common merit for the use of the general public; and if that is copied a thousand times in order that economy may come in the production of a large number, it is still good work for a man to design a common article for common use uncommonly well. That is a great dream that the Art Alliance may help to come true."

The founders of the Art Alliance

in public life. Consequently he has reformed all the insignificant things that fly in their thousands through the world, such as letter paper, wrappings, cards, advertisements, and labels; these have been improved in their ensemble and better as gentle reminders to beauty down in the dusty corners of ordinary humdrum German life.

This is a modern condition. Twenty years ago, as art students well remember, it was an occasion when brown paper instead of newspaper was used for parcels in small shops of Berlin. The Deutscher Werkbund, an extensive association with a membership mounting into the thousands, includes practically all the industrial undertakings that use art, and recognizes the possibilities attendant upon

edge and co-operative effort. Nothing, however, can be done without long preparation, and the strength of the Art Alliance lies in its realization of the fact that at the outset it is "merely a thermometer to gauge conditions," and not an organization bent upon changing the curriculum in schools and colleges before the conditions are understood from all points of view.

The first thing it has attempted along the line of education is to gain expression of opinion from practical people as to the situation that actually exists with reference to the employment of American art in American manufactures. Two of the letters received in response to detailed inquiry

clusive, and that while this is also true of European designers to a certain extent, their field is so large that there is little conflict.

He finds, in short, that the chief barriers in the way of larger employment of domestic designers are lack of organization, lack of designing houses of reputation, a proclivity to copy, and, in a large majority of cases, crudeness of work, the designers not understanding the requirements of mechanical art and of the fashions; that, in a word, they try to be artists, but not manufacturers.

The second letter is similar in its general tenor, but contributes information not generally known, and

exhibitions where works of industrial art especially can be seen as they should be in a coherent environment. Special designs will be shown together, and in a way to bring out their possibilities. Thus, designs for advertisement cards intended for the panels of Subway cars will be arranged to show how unity of effect may be gained without sacrificing the direct appeal of each advertisement. The posters in the Underground Railway in London are excellent examples of the aesthetic beauty possible to advertising cards, and are known to be by artists of experience and recognized position. The committee on exhibition is now discussing a plan for holding an annual exhibition of decorative art to which manufacturers should send their best designs, which would be submitted to a jury, and would be shown in connection with examples of antique decoration of similar type.

To realize how wide a field these exhibitions may cover without going outside of the industrial field, one has only to consider the number of subjects already on the card catalogue of the Alliance representing the specialties of those who can make use of the organization. The following are a small proportion of the whole list: Book bindings, buttons, calligraphy, calendars, china painting, dolls, embroidery, jewelry, lace, lantern slides, millinery, posters, screens, stenciling, silks, tapestry, tiles, wall paper, weaving, and window decoration.

All these departments of industry are also departments of art, if one accepts the word in its broad meaning, as it is accepted in countries of ancient civilization. John Cotton Dana gives this significance to the word "art," and urges Americans to observe with care the many classes of objects produced by our own artists and artisans; to decide if, "regardless of price, they please a little, or much, or not at all; to learn of their making, and the manner of their making, of the skill that goes into their production, and of the changes they have undergone in their development." He announces a very simple formula for the promotion of American art: "First we must buy it; next we must study it; next we must criticize it, adversely where we feel compelled, and finally we must praise it where we can." It is easy to see how such exhibitions as those which the Art Alliance proposes to give will help toward this practical programme.

These exhibitions will include from time to time articles made by hand suitable for the needs of everyday life, though not adapted to reproduction by machinery. Although it wishes to emphasize the importance of meeting the requirements of the manufacturer in the present age of multitudinous production, the Art Alliance has an equal interest in the encouragement of individual workers by widening the scope of their activity.

The English artists, spurred on by the memory of William Morris, whose firm grew out of his own needs as the occupant and owner of a house, have come to this recognition of the beauty possible in the construction and ornamentation of common things more quickly than we. In the British Pavilion at the Ghent exhibition an enthusiastic critic wrote that the very drain pipes were beautiful, and the British exhibition in the Pavillon de Marsan this Summer covered the field of household furnishings from toasting forks to chimney pieces.

Will Work to Get Museum.

Even in Germany, where the recognition of the importance of art in manufactured things is so deep rooted, the artists are prodigal of their individual efforts, and a man of established reputation does not hesitate to design a stencil for the kitchen of a workman's house or to mold a bowl and pitcher with his own hands with full recognition of their purposes as utensils in common use. The consequence is that the workman's kitchen is a pleasant place to work in, and the bowl and pitcher can be lifted even when full without preliminary athletic training.

From the exhibition to the museum is a natural step, and the Alliance will throw its influence as an organization in favor of the establishment in New York of a museum dedicated to examples of industrial art. A letter from Dr. Valentiner urges this as a desirable and essential institution if art is to develop here to the fullest extent. He says:

In Europe one always finds two types of museum—the one where art of the highest type is collected, in which line I hope our museum (the Metropolitan) will develop, and the other which has to do with the practical education of artisans, the Museum of Industrial Art, which I hope some day will be started over here. The best work accomplished in all lines of decorative art has always come from artists of the higher order, such as the best painters, sculptors, and architects.

To sum up the aims and the actual achievements of the Art Alliance: It has established a department of registry where those who produce art and those who use it are put on record for mutual benefit. It is collecting examples of work by which the fitness of the registered artists may be judged by those desiring to employ them. It is offering vocational guidance to those applying for work whose energy and talent have been misdirected. It is accumulating the opinions of experts in every field of art as to the best methods of promoting American art in the various departments of industry. It offers a committee to undertake the arrangement of exhibitions wherever expert knowledge of this very important art is lacking. It is planning a series of exhibitions in its own rooms that shall be practically instructive and to offer prizes for superior designs. It is trying to stimulate the public in all legitimate ways to an appreciation of the economic value of art in social and industrial life.



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Frank Alvah Parsons, Joseph Chapin, Arthur I. Keller, Charles T. Matthews, Herbert Adams, Walter S. Perry,
M^{rs} Mary Livingston Willard, Ripley Hitchcock, Luke Vincent Lockwood, M^{rs} Ripley Hitchcock,
William B. Osgood Field, M^{rs} John Henry Hammond, W. Franklyn Paris, M^{rs} Grace Schuyler de Luze,
M^{rs} Elizabeth W. Dodge.

ance for young art students looking

to art as a means of making a living.

To raise the standard of efficiency in industrial design and to persuade artists toward effective co-operation in the machine-made article is the second problem of the Alliance, much more difficult of solution than the first. The machine-made article is the product of the age, suited to the age and its vast requirements in civilization. Therefore we must make of the object produced by machinery a thing of beauty and delight. For this assuredly we need the artist. But we need the artist trained to meet the modern requirements of prolific production, and to "graft upon the factory production the art feeling that once inspired the hand producer." To get this sort of training for our art students is absolutely essential if we are successfully to compete with the European manufacturers.

Herbert Adams, in an address given at the house of Mrs. John Henry Hammond preliminary to the organization of the Art Alliance, emphasized this aspect of the situation in American art, pointing out the fact that in the manufacturing establishments in this country where skill of hand and taste is required nearly all the people doing the highest type of work are foreign born and foreign trained and are receiving three or four times the pay of the American portion of the force, which is "found in the office or in the salesroom or sweeping the floor."

Europe spends large sums for its industrial art schools, which are entirely different from most of our schools of design, tending to make master workmen as well as designers, and it is these industrial schools, Mr. Adams believes, that we should demand in numbers as an economic necessity. "I feel that any institution," he says, "which can help bring the student and the manufacturer together, and also make the public realize the economic importance of industrial art, will be doing a great work." This expresses an opinion held in common by all serious thinkers on the present situation.

Dream That May Come True.

In another address on this occasion W. S. Coffin arrived at the same conclusion, starting from the standpoint of the business man and stating disconcerting truths. "For every hundred people," he said, "who will draw a nice sketch of a room there is not a competent designer to detail the sketch, and when you want competent details you have to get foreigners. That is an absolute fact. There is a great deal of manufacturing going on in this country, but the details and the superintendence in the factories are almost exclusively by those who have been trained abroad, where they have been carefully trained in places where they have been used to study details."

"In business we know that we need

know that it is not an impossible dream, however far it may now seem from realization. In England the London County Council Schools have developed a theory of art education which includes not only the training of the producer along both aesthetic and technical lines, but also the training of the middlemen or shopkeepers and salesmen to the recognition of artistically good design. The schools there are preparing in advance for the disappearance of the apprentice system, which never was popular here and soon dropped out of our system, but for which we have as yet no proper alternative. By means of their trade education they fit their pupils to enter upon apprenticeship with a saving of two years, so that this education is practically an alternative to the early stages of apprenticeship. Great stress is laid by their educators upon the elimination of the unfit students who lower the standard of work and energy.

In Germany industrial education has gone further and has produced more impressive results. A German official in a Westphalian museum writes:

The modern German merchant has acknowledged the part that form plays

the co-operation of the artist and the manufacturer. In this association the manufacturer is given the opportunity to make himself conversant with all the technical details and conditions of the artist's work, while the artist learns the conditions controlling the activities of the manufacturer and learns to adapt his design to the material and to the market.

Evolution in Furniture.

An extremely interesting example of the practical side of this education is the evolution of a kind of furniture intended for cheap production in large quantities, in which the constituent parts are made in many different but definitely standardized sizes and shapes, which admit of numerous combinations and are so carefully worked out in accordance with artistic ideas that artists of very different tendencies are able to make from them finished pieces of furniture that have each its own individuality and character, free from the mechanical appearance of the ordinary machine-made article.

What can be done in other countries can be done here with adequate knowl-

will serve to show the character of the material for judgment already assembled. The first is from a leading manufacturer, who says that there would be a larger demand than there is at present for designers in the United States if there were men here who had establishments such as exist in Paris, designing firms employing considerable numbers of designers who make a study themselves of the current fashions and of past fashions and make their designs to meet the requirements of the day.

He points out that at present a very large proportion of the designs for printing silk dress goods are made in Paris, and says that designs made in America do not compete in their finish and appropriateness with those coming from the Paris establishments. The same is true of upholstery designs, and those that are imported are practically all taken from museum sources, the originality appearing in the adaptation of colors and fabrics rather than in the outline of the design. He adds, also, that designers in this country have been too much given to repetition of their designs for different manufacturers, so that it is difficult to get one that is ex-

comes also from a leading business house. The writer says that manufacturers of all kinds seek their inspiration from France and that advance collections of textiles, wall papers, silks, cottons, upholstery goods, draperies, and a variety of other productions are obtained in France long before the goods themselves are going to be put upon the market and brought to this country by people specializing in this business who furnish advance samples to the manufacturers here. The collections show new fabrics, designs, and coloring which are adopted by designers frequently of foreign training who are employed in the manufacturing houses here.

The fundamental fact, as related to the interests of the Art Alliance, is that "no purely American art has developed to a point which can as yet be independent of the foreign inspiration, and that such a result will probably only be achieved when American art students in this field of endeavor have received a higher artistic education than the opportunities now afforded them permit."

Sifting Art Product.

From letters such as these, assembled from many quarters, it became obvious that the Art Alliance must undertake in the logical development of its programme not merely the placing of artists in communication with buyers of art, but the sifting of the art product offered and the limiting of the registration to the more competent producers, together with the direction of the less competent toward opportunities for improvement and the urging of definite training with reference to definite requirements. It was apparent that a department of information must be established, giving not only details of the market for art work, but details of the existing schools and classes where special training can be obtained, and also vocational guidance when that is needed. This in time will have its effect upon schools and industries as well, but the establishment of a thoroughly good and efficient department of experts in direction and criticism is the first step taken by the new organization toward the development of American talent to meet American requirements.

The next point of concentration for the Art Alliance was the question of exhibitions. Many of the artists to whom papers on questions were sent before organization were eloquent on this subject, some of them citing the example of the French and German exhibitions, where space is given up to such things as wall paper designed by artists, and where suites of rooms with all the accessories designed and carried out by artists and craftsmen are shown.

The Art Alliance will follow this general ideal of providing practical

LITTLE STORIES OF FACT AND FANCY

Panama Hats Are 265 Years Old.

It is 265 years since the first Panama hat was made. In 1629 the first bit of toquilla straw headgear was fashioned in the Province of Manavi, Ecuador, by Francisco Delgado, an Ecuadorian. At that time Panama was the great distributing centre for articles produced on the west coast of South America, the name Panama thus becoming applied to hats made from toquilla straw in Manavi.

It is stated that the two finest Panama hats ever made were the work of a native Ecuadorian named Palma. They were purchased for \$200 each and presented to Emperor Napoleon III. and Marshal MacMahon.

During 1913 hats to the value of \$1,137,508 were exported from Ecuador, so it is reported by Consul General Frederic W. Goding at Guayaquil. The bulk of the exports went to the United States, France, Germany, and Belgium. In the preparation of the straw the veins are removed and the leaves are dipped repeatedly in a vessel filled with boiling water, and after being shaken well are exposed to the sun to be bleached. Exceptionally white straw is obtained by adding a certain proportion of lemon juice to the boiling water. The straw is then carefully selected, its value depending upon the length, thickness, color, and number of strands obtained from each leaf.

The straw is next very finely divided into the required widths by the aid of the little finger or thumb. A bunch of straw is bound in the middle and placed on the centre of a wooden mold, the strands arranged radially and equally distant from each other in pairs. The plaiting begins at the apex of the crown and continues round and round until the hat is finished, care being taken that no straw is added while the

crown is being made. Others are added, however, in forming the brim and border. On the degree of nicety with which the straws are lengthened depends the beauty and durability of the hat. Should a strand be broken it can be replaced and so plaited as not to be noticed. The finishing touches are put on by trimming the brim, edging the border, and neatly fastening all projecting ends of the straws so as to be invisible. The hat is washed in clean cold water, coated with a thin solution of gum, and polished with dry sulphur.

The necessary qualities of a fine hat are durability, strength, elasticity, impermeability, and the quality of being easily washed when soiled.

The Refinement of Indolence.

"You think slowish is lazy?" "Lazy? Why, I've seen him wait five minutes beside a revolving door until some one went through ahead and turned it for him."

Luck.

Hewitt—Did you and Groot have any luck on your shooting trip?
Jewett—We certainly did; we shot each other and both of us had perfectly good accident policies.

Under Cover.

Maude—Do you think that styles in our street attire will continue to grow more daring?
Marjorie—If they do, my dear, the girls will have to wear masks.

Higher Criticism.

Visitor—Don't you believe in the sand man?
Boston Child—Certainly not; how could he throw through my spectacles?

The Directory.

A BROOKLYN drug clerk tells of a man who came into his shop for the purpose of consulting the directory. He stood, first on one foot and then on the other, watching the young woman who had got possession of the volume. She was a nice, leisurely sort of young person, and she had a large sheet of paper, that she spread out upon the counter beside the directory, and on which she now and then inscribed a name from the volume.

The man became a little impatient. He coughed significantly, and the young woman turned to look at him.

"I beg your pardon," she said, "but you wish to consult the directory?"
Now, as the young woman was pretty, the man shifted from one foot to the other and said uneasily: "No hurry; don't let me disturb you."

Whereupon she resumed the directory. Several minutes elapsed. At last she closed the book with a sigh of satisfaction. "Thank you," said she, sweetly. "I am afraid I have kept you waiting. But, you see, I am going to write a short story in a prize contest, and I really didn't know how to begin until I had picked out the names for my characters."

What Father Did.

THE little girl who was visiting at a neighbor's house was being entertained by taking her out and showing her the horses.

"Here's one of them," she said, "that coughs and hangs his head and has watery eyes, just the way daddy's horse did last Summer."

"What did your father do for his horse?" asked the owner of the afflicted animal. "Do you remember?"

"Oh, yes," said the little girl. "He said him."

NEW SYSTEM OF PHYSICAL TRAINING FOR U. S. NAVY

Method Based on British Navy's Swedish System Now Being Introduced—Sailors of Today Not Physical Equals of Those of Sailing Ships, but Improvement Is Expected.



Stall Bar Exercise.

An entirely new system of physical training is being introduced into the United States Navy. It is based on the Swedish system in use in the British Navy, and experimentation with it has been going on at naval training stations in this country for months. The following description of the system by Surgeon J. A. Murphy, U. S. N., appears in The United States Naval Medical Bulletin, issued under the direction of Passed Assistant Surgeon L. W. Johnson, U. S. N. Surgeon Murphy was detailed to the several naval training stations successively, and at each of these he not only taught the method to the apprentices in training, but also instructed petty officers, in order that the latter might become qualified to act as teachers on shipboard. Thus the system is being gradually introduced into the service, afloat and ashore. It is at present in use on several ships, and will ultimately be in vogue on all.

By J. A. MURPHY,
Surgeon, United States Navy.

THE adoption of some system of physical upbuilding has been necessitated in the navies both of Great Britain and the United States by more or less similar causes, which may be put down as due most probably to changes in the type of ship, to possible deterioration or lack of maturity in the material applying for enlistment, and to great expansion lowering the standard of acceptance.

It is evident when general comparisons are made that sailors of today are not the equal in all-around physical ability, general nimbleness, and lack of physical fear, of those who manned the sailing ships of former times, due probably to the fact that the life aloft strongly aided in the formation of these characteristics.

In examining various systems of physical training in order to find a substitute for this lost training as the modern ship developed, it was found that many were lacking in system and that many of the exercises tended to distort the body rather than to develop it symmetrically or to make it other than massive in quality.

The Swedish System.

In the Swedish system was discovered a system on a scientific basis, adjusted to meet necessary faulty conditions, and suitable for the gradual physical education of the different types of the navy personnel. Exercises which tend to exhibition movements alone or whose good or bad effect cannot be clearly shown have no place in this system.

The Swedish system of physical training lays stress on the following points:

1. The day's order.
2. Progression.
3. Word of command.
4. Form.

The day's order (lesson) is an arrangement of the exercises in groups in a definite, practically fixed relationship according to their effect from an anatomical and physiological standpoint, with the general plan of fitting the body parts gradually and progressively in turn to withstand the more severe physical strains which follow. This arrangement also prevents the exhaustion of one group of muscles by too long concentration of effort at this point. It provides also for a general work-out at one time of all the various muscle groups of the body.

The different muscles are grouped in the following order, chiefly because the effect sought in each instance is desirable, as mentioned above, from the anatomical, mechanical, and physiological standpoint:

Introductory: Composed of easy exercises serving to fix attention, loosen joints, and to warm up the body by mildly increasing the circulation in various parts.

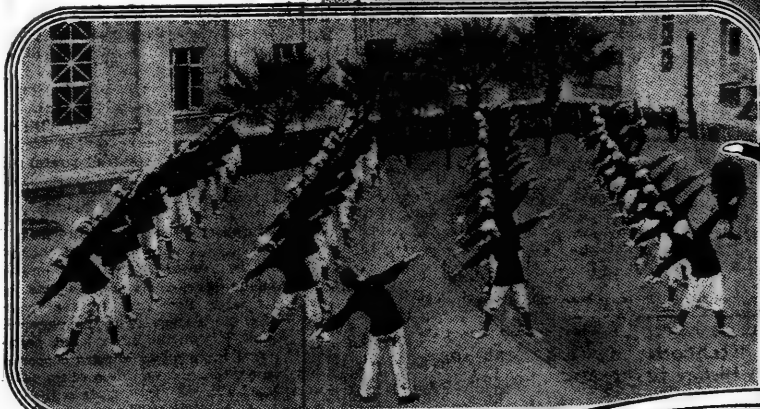
Leg: Composed of exercises to stimulate circulation and nutrition and to improve nervous control in the important muscles of the lower limbs.

Span bending: An important set of exercises because of the effect on the thorax, which is cramped and fixed in most people unless exercises of this type are practiced. These movements contract the muscles of the back, pull the points of the shoulders back, stretch the muscles on the front of the chest, and bow the ribs forward as the spine is straightened. The abdominal muscles are toned up so as to counteract the tendency of the pelvic arch to drop downward in

front with the production of a hollow or sway back. The ribs are rendered supple and resilient, and the heart and lungs therefore function better.

Heaving: Exercises strengthening the arm muscles and those attaching the arms to the body about the shoulder joint and shoulder blade. These exercises are harmful to a proper set-up, instead of being beneficial, if the head is permitted to droop and the chest to flatten, with the points of the shoulders carried forward and inward.

Balance: Exercises training the nervous system to control antagonistic muscles with the least degree of energy expended. The result is



Free Standing Exercise.

conservation of endurance, grace and ease of action, and increased quickness and agility.

Dorsal: Exercises which strengthen the muscles of the spine and thus counteract the tendency to collapse upon oneself, so prevalent everywhere. Erection of the body with proper carriage is made easy to maintain.

Abdominal: Exercises which strengthen the abdominal muscles and raise the forward rim of the pelvic bones, and correct thereby the condition of hollow back. Support is provided for the abdominal organs, and congestion due to dragging prevented. The movements of this group also improve the functioning of the abdominal viscera.

Lateral: These exercises strengthen the waist line and increase suppleness in this region. They produce effects similar to the abdominal exercises. The resiliency of the thorax is increased and deformities of the spine corrected by equalizing muscular pull and increasing flexibility.

Jumping and vaulting: These exercises improve nervous and muscular control, judgment, presence of mind, physical courage, and muscular teamwork. They teach an individual to handle himself in an awkward physical situation.

Breathing: Exercises given for calming effect after unusual exertion and as an exercise for the organs and muscles of respiration.

Marching and running: Exercises used to accustom the individual to use a free and easy movement in walking by their effect on the hip, leg, and foot positions.

Finishing: Exercises used to calm excitement following more or less violent effort, and as corrective exercises to overcome a tendency to faulty posture while the individual is engaged in exercises with the arm in the forward position.

Avoiding Strain.

Progression is provided by having a large number of exercises of each type, each one a step harder to accomplish than its predecessor. This effect is to avoid strain, either local or general. No exercise is used with the idea of producing size, the qualities sought being suppleness and agility. Strenuous effort is approached slowly, as the exercises are not used to test the limit of power. Prolonged effort is avoided in order that a condition of stimulation will occur rather than exhaustion.

Exercise should produce the simple symptoms of physical activity, such as a general sense of warmth and well-being, animation, sparkling eyes, cheerfulness, and mental exhilaration, instead of the opposite effect of overactivity, such as a vague sensation of discomfort about the heart, with constricting girdle sense, obscuration of vision, confused ideas, blunted sensation, and air hunger.

Progression and moderation are important features, therefore, as the effect desired is one of refreshment and rest instead of fatigue.

An Important Adjunct.

The word of command from the military standpoint is an important feature, the Swedish system of physical training proving on this account a desirable adjunct to the strictly military drills, affecting, as it does, the individual's all-around response to discipline as well as his physique. The constant introduction into consciousness of words of command, requiring attention, quick thought, and rapid muscular action, soon gives rise to a habit of obedience and quick response which greatly improves the military smartness and precision of the men. In the same period of time many more mental impressions and responses are possible than in the strictly military drills. These exercises, which through the system of application become pleasurable and exhilarating, work subconsciously in improving discipline and in creating a habit of attentiveness to the work in hand.

Form is insisted upon not so much from the show idea, but to correct faulty posture and to place the body in a designed starting position for work, with a view toward getting the physical effect desired. Certain fundamental starting positions are used, such as standing, sitting, kneeling, lying, and hanging. Thousands of men and boys are examined for enlistment in the army, navy, and marine corps each year, and of this great number very few, relatively speaking, succeed in passing the physical requirements. The physical standard is not too high when the mental, nervous, and physical wear and tear that exist even in times of peace are considered. The individual's existence will not in time of war run along at freight-train speed, but rather at that of the fastest passenger train in comparison. A large percentage of the physical defects appearing before recruiting officers would prove otherwise if physical training was carried out along proper lines as part of the education of the young. The results are poor because of lack of this training or of misdirected application of the idea. Many are satisfied that all is well, because the comparison standard is a common one, which, through familiarity, no longer seems unusually low. The tailor's art conceals a lot, and the freedom of choice of occupation in civil life covers physical weakness in many cases.

It is to be presumed that after careful selection the picked men enlisted for the service would stand out physically. This is not true from a muscular point of view, judging from observation covering several thousands of recently enlisted men. It is exceptional to find one who carries himself well or who is able to handle his body off the ground. The majority of boys and men are muscularly weak from the waist line up, the legs usually showing up well as regards strength. Others are strong, but through excess of weight (fat usually) prove relatively weak. Many of the strong are awkward, unresponsive, ponderous, and through stiffening of joints and contractures of muscles lack speed and agility. All of these types, with few exceptions, have rounded heads, protruding abdomens, drooping heads, and flat chests. Any attempt at effort lacks power, because orientation is disturbed and the normal straight line of thrust through the bones and joints is lost.

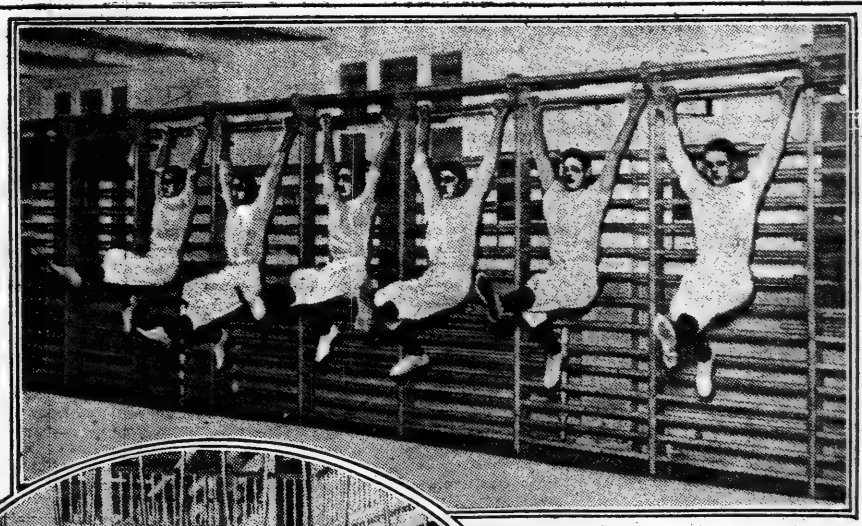
If called upon to advance upon an enemy's position, even though lightly equipped, of necessity in rushes, up a slope, through and over obstacles, already mentioned, was exaggerated, and while the men gained in weight and robustness, relatively speaking, a compensatory gain in strength did not occur. The men longest under training showed little or no improvement in ability to handle the body in situations where weight is a detriment rather than a help.

The old system consisted of a limited fixed set of exercises lacking variety and progression and performed either to music or by following the movements of a leader. After a short time, through familiarity, attention in this system becomes unnecessary, and the action soon becomes monotonous, indifferent, and spiritless. Form was only thought of from the exhibition standpoint and was considered from the point of view of rhythm rather than effect. Music drill or a follow-the-leader method is fatal to accentuation of attention and response, the action instead being dreamy and negative. Instructors in direct charge of the men at training stations unanimously criticize music drill for any purpose, because they lose control of the men once the music starts, attempts at correction interfering with the rhythmic effect. The mind is put in a dreamy unresponsive state, so that the retention of memory study is interfered with. Much time that could be better spent otherwise must also be taken to teach the men the sense of rhythm.

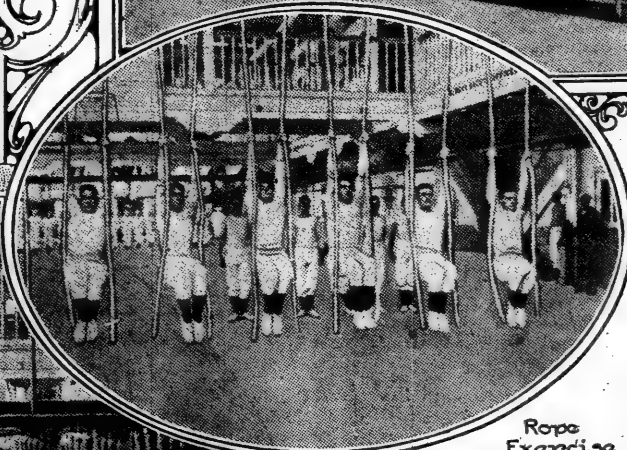
Shelf Exercise.

with the effect of dread snapping physical vitality, what hope would this type of manhood give of arriving with sufficient wind and strength remaining to overcome in close combat a well-built, active individual of equal moral courage?

Observation shows that the former system of physical drills did not accomplish good results. Poor posture,



Another Position in the Stall Bar Exercise



Rope Exercise.

effect of weight and leverage, this last accentuating the already poor posture existing. Music drill is fascinating to the eye and ear of the spectator, but it will subordinate physical efficiency to show and display.

As applied at training stations, the Swedish exercises aim to develop uniformly both flexor, (bending,) and extensor, (stretching,) muscles at the same time, so that a proper balance may be preserved between them, thus conserving the effort required in a planned action. The muscles are brought under the control of the will by the constant attentiveness necessary, due to the use of commands which are varied at will both as to intensity and rhythm. The variation permitted here can be used by a good instructor to hold the interest of the class, the commands and the response demanded placing a recreational element in the exercises.

A Welcome Change.

Corrective exercises permit of a quickly produced marked change in the posture of the subject. A proper military carriage is a welcome change from the usual appearance of the majority of men. Everywhere are seen forward-drooping heads, rounded backs, flat chests, hollow backs at waist line, protruding abdomens, (not fat,) and pointed shoulders, provided padded clothing does not conceal these defects.

Primarily effort is concentrated on faulty posture, then on attentiveness, obedience, and responsiveness to commands; then on all-around physical condition.

Constant play of will power on the part of those under drill is brought out by the inability to know what is coming next. Physical development becomes then a companion to increased mental quickness. As a result of the drill it has been very apparent that mental processes are exercised as well as the muscles, intellectual awakening having occurred, as manifested by greater ease in learning signals, for instance, and in brightening up the almost hopelessly stupid men who occasionally pass the recruiting officers.

The thinking and acting at the same time has the opposite effect to that already described as accompanying music or imitative drill.

The effect of nervous concentration on throwing the left leg forward on the order "march" is undoubtedly responsible for making the left thigh flexor muscles average stronger than the right. This muscle group is the only group in the body to average this way. Nervous action can be counted on, therefore, to aid development, and there is no lack of it in the Swedish system.

Nervous control permits of instantaneous contraction of all the fibres of a muscle so that bulk, with its disadvantages, is not essential always to great strength. The Swedish system favors nervous concentration on parts ordinarily rarely used, and by so doing aids in uniform development.

Numerous exercises of a balancing nature provide for a better co-ordinating sense between the nervous and muscular systems. This teamwork, best appreciated when antagonistic muscles are in action, tends to easy and graceful action and conservation of endurance. Teamwork is also seen in exercises which train one limb to work with another, so that complicated physical situations or movements requiring judgment, both of time and place, can be successfully met.

With mental and motor nervous action stimulated, muscular response becomes active and smooth, effort being applied economically.

Improved mental processes, nervous impulses, and co-ordinating muscular response are favored by the use of words of command given in irregular rhythm, and by the use of unusual and contrary movements. Prompt decision, self-control, and judgment are soon developed.

Constant changes in the character of the exercises and in the variations that can be given produce a recrea-

tive feature without the loss of control and discipline. A feeling of pride, alertness, and fitness for any unusual physical situation is cultivated.

For mental and muscular quickness it is necessary to prevent draggy, monotonous, and slow action. For this snap and lift in action much depends on the instructor, who should be young in physique if not in age, and be of active habit and athletic taste, and display in his own person interest, smartness, and proper bearing and form. Lax commands and no insistence on proper response soon show bad effects in the action of the class.

Improved carriage of the body besides the constitutional effect derived from giving the heart and lungs more room and improving the support and function of the abdominal organs places the body in a better position to do work by making lines of resistance pass along the bones, rather than off into space, (sway back,) and by rounding the chest gives the muscles attached to the thorax a better leverage.

Much of the physical unfitness as regards robustness and organic defects of the organs, seen in many applicants for enlistment, is due most probably to the effect of poor posture on the proper digestion and absorption of food and deficient oxidation from defective lung and heart action.

Postural defects are sometimes due to over or one-sided development. Here, through lack of nervous control or to muscle contractures and lack of balance between antagonists, much energy or effort is wasted when attempts are made to accomplish work. It is common in swimming instruction, for instance, to meet well-muscled individuals who, because their muscles refuse to function in proper team work with each other, in a surprisingly short time become exhausted.

Correction of postural defects about the thorax and spine is not limited alone to younger subjects. The exercises in use take only slightly longer to affect older men. Older subjects, even when physically strong, need physical training to prevent stiffening in joints, sluggish mental and muscular action, development of flabby or fatty flesh, and poor balance and decreased range in the motion of their muscles.

Poor form is an evidence of weakness somewhere or is due to contracted muscles and lack of play in joints. Gracefulness and proportion as well as strength should be sought.

Practical Apparatus.

Such apparatus as is used, hand apparatus for additional weight, ropes, stall bars, booms, and shelf, is designed to provide a recreational effect that comes from exhilaration brought out by the necessity of overcoming something that presents some risk and difficulty. The various pieces of apparatus and the exercises performed thereon operate to fit the body to meet possible service conditions. The apparatus requires little space and would add but little weight aboard ship, and the cost is not great. The element of risk brings out the serious side of a man's nature so that his application to the work in hand is increased and a tendency to thoughtlessness or irresponsibility combated.

The primary object of the training should be to produce a military bearing and set-up, which, aside from the physical benefits already noted, cause an increase in esprit de corps, through personal pride developed and, the resulting favorable impression on the spectators.

The secondary objects to be sought are increased attentiveness, responsiveness, obedience, and muscular power, all of which are very desirable qualities in a military body of men.

This training is essentially planned to develop the healthy and active efficiency of all and not of a specialized few. By doing this a decided gain is made in military efficiency, it being very apparent that the weaker units of a company of men slow the speed of the whole. This is of little moment when the opposing force also lacks speed and initiative. As mentioned before, the comparison standard may seem fast enough because a better standard has unconsciously been lost through slow retrogression.

The effects noted in the men and boys under training have been very marked along lines already touched on. These effects were especially pleasing in details like cooks, bandmen, and coal passers, who, through occupation, mixed nationality, or mental dullness, lacked cheerfulness and military characteristics. These individuals were united into concerted effort, and slouchiness, laziness, and negativities were quickly replaced by mental brightness, speed, aggressiveness, and smartness.

NOVEL LAW DRAFTED TO GOVERN PUBLIC UTILITIES

By Davis Edwards.

WHILE many men are arguing concerning the control of public utilities some are striving earnestly. Among these has been a notable group, working principally in New York City.

In 1907 the National Civic Federation appointed a Commission on Public Ownership and Operation. It investigated the best movements in this direction in this country and abroad. Including among its members men who did and men who did not originally believe in public ownership, representatives of organized labor, and representatives of private ownership and operation, it reported that public utilities, from their nature, tend to become and ought to be monopolies, and that unregulated monopoly in such a field is impossible.

Following this important work, the National Civic Federation, in 1911, called another conference, and, as a result, a department was created to prepare a draft bill for public regulation of interstate and municipal utilities.

I have had the privilege of making an advance study of the resultant bill and the report accompanying it, although they have not yet been made public.

All the States in the Union save Delaware, Wyoming, and Utah have regulatory commissions of some sort. Therefore it is held that the desirability of uniform regulatory legislation is apparent.

Members of Council.

The council named to draft the model bill consisted of Edward M. Bassett, Franklin O. Brown, Herbert Erickson, John H. Gray, William D. Kerr, Franklin K. Lane, Hewitt Lee, Emerson McMunn, Milla S. McBride, and Arthur Williams. Mr. McMunn was selected to be Chairman. Prof. John H. Gray of the University of Minnesota was loaned as Director, and William D. Kerr acted as Assistant Director.

First, all important legislation, at home and abroad, was collected and studied. A year's work had been done before the drafting of the actual bill was begun.

The model bill which has finally resulted (not without dissenting voices) contains over 300 sections, of which only sixty were criticised by any one when the document was submitted to the National Civic Federation.

These deal, however, with important matters, so the bill goes out as the best which could be agreed upon and nothing more than that.

It provides for a salaried commission of five appointed by the Governor for five years, its Chairman being elected by its members, and none to be employed with, interested in or owning stocks or bonds in any public utility under the jurisdiction of the commission. Power of removal is vested in the Governor.

The bill grants to this commission general power to regulate and supervise every public utility; gives it the right to inspect books and examine witnesses, and receive complaints.

It gives the commission the right to investigate complaints, cost of properties, operating statistics, physical features of operation, and many other matters.

It may make orders in regard to violations by omissions, and may determine what rates are reasonable and fix them. It may also prescribe service or facilities as regards extent, discrimination, safety and justice, and may compel compliance with its rulings.

It may determine the division of expense to be assigned to utilities rendering joint service. All its records must be open, and it must render to the Governor a report annually.

It is empowered to supervise and regulate the manner in which stock is issued and loans created; but it is especially provided that the State shall

After Long Investigation and Study, at Home and Abroad, the National Civic Federation Prepares a General Legislative Plan—Seth Low Discusses at Length the Problem Confronting Its Members.

not guarantee stocks, &c. It provides against issuance of bonds for more than actually required; that stock shall be issued at par only, though bonds may be issued below par.

The commission may require provision for amortization of discount and all expenses connected with such issue. Stocks, bonds, &c., must bear reasonable relation to business, actual or expected, and the commission may investigate to determine the value of properties; but notes for a year are issuable under certain circumstances without the approval of the commission.

Funds from stocks, bonds, &c., must not be applied to purposes not specified by the commission, and, upon demand, utilities must account to the commission for proceeds of such disposal.

No contract for consolidation or lease can be capitalized, franchises may not be directly or indirectly capitalized, and capital stock must not exceed the value of properties merged, as determined by the commission.

Under this plan reorganized utilities are subject to the same regulations as new and old utilities; impairment of capital may be followed by an order to repair the loss from income; and, in Article V, the bill goes deeply into intercorporate relations.

Article VII demands reasonable rates and prohibits discrimination or undue advantage or preference. The commission may suspend rate schedules.

Full publicity is provided for, safety is demanded, and the commission is empowered to establish standards and to inspect. Physical connections may be demanded by the commission between telegraph and telephone facilities. Accidents must be reported to the commission and it may investigate them.

The bill provides for the regulation of accounts and reports, and all its regulations are applicable to municipally owned utilities. Uniform accounts may be required. A depreciation reserve is required, and rates, as well as provisions for impairment of capital, may be fixed by the commission.

To the commission utilities must make such reports as are required.

Careful provisions regarding future franchises, and authority granted by the commission must be exercised within six years. Franchises must be governed by rules made by the commission.

Municipalities are given power, under regulation, to construct and operate public utilities or to acquire old ones; but only by and with the consent of the commission, compensation to be determined at hearings before the commission, with the right of appeal to the courts reserved by both sides. The commission may enforce its requirements through suits at law and heavy penalties are provided for violations.

Seth Low's Views.

I discussed the whole matter recently with Seth Low, who was among those most importantly instrumental in the creation of the movement leading to the drafting of the model bill.

"Assuming that this country will not permit its Government utilities to be unregulated, what may be considered adequate Government regula-

tion?" was the first question put to Mr. Low.

"The question is easier to ask than to answer," he replied. "In the first place, Government regulation of public utilities has gone hardly beyond the experimental stage; but the necessity for it has been generally recognized and has been the result of the many evils which have marked unregulated private ownership, and operation of utilities the principal object of which is the service of the public."

"Evils of two kinds offered themselves for consideration. Primarily the public was receiving through many of the enterprises nominally devised for the public convenience and comfort very unsatisfactory service. This was due mainly to the fact that unregulated private enterprises were

"When the public undertakes to regulate an enterprise based on private capital, the real danger is that it will regulate so severely that no more private capital will be forthcoming for other more or less similar enterprises which may be essential to the comfort, convenience, and progress of the community."

"In the older States of this country, where such facilities already have been provided upon a fairly adequate scale, existing corporations, by enlarging their operations, may cover the broadening field sufficiently well, but in the younger communities too much regulation may easily deprive communities of needed service."

"The problem involved in the regulation of privately owned and regulated corporations, therefore, is to

of every public body charged with the regulation of public utilities in every State, how it is created, and the precise powers conferred upon it."

"Having thus obtained a basis for intelligent study, the committee then gave a whole year to the preparation of a model statute to be proposed as a basis in various States for uniform legislation."

"Before the form of this model legislation was decided upon the committee was careful to consider every point of view and study all suggestions with minute care. I doubt if such a careful and comprehensive study of this subject ever before has been made for a like purpose, and yet the draft act, as finally settled upon, means compromise upon many points."

"When it was submitted to wider

of opinion are found. Some frankly avow belief not only in the necessity for public regulation of privately owned and operated utilities, but in the advantages of such procedure. These wish to see regulation successful in the best sense."

"Others are afraid of any kind of regulation and desire to minimize as far as possible everything of the sort."

"It is evident that people approaching a problem from such different angles must reach different conclusions as to every point of great importance. If the National Civic Federation were a legislature, required to act upon the draft bill, it would make every effort to secure the judgment of the majority of its membership in regard thereto. This, however, is not its function. That is to make a contribution of general value to existing knowledge of the subject and to equip legislators who may be considering this or that proposal with material which may help them to an understanding of the questions involved."

"To this end the federation has authorized the publication of the draft bill, and submits with it a memorandum by William R. Wilcox and myself, in which some of the larger aspects of the question are discussed."

"An even more important content of this publication is a study of the bill's most vital provisions by William D. Kerr, who was Assistant Director of the Committee that prepared the bill. This paper states the most important suggestions made while the bill was in preparation, and summarizes the arguments favoring and opposing each of them."

"In the light of the studies which you have made in the course of your work in connection with the preparation of this draft bill," I asked Mr. Low, "what have you now to say about the public service law of New York State?"

"My impression is," he replied, "that, in the main, the New York State law is a good one. I have very little doubt, however, that it might be improved as the result of careful study of this draft bill."

Two Important Results.

"One or two large results from the law stand out as worthy of comment. My impression is that only one new public service corporation has been formed in New York State, at least in New York City, since the passage of the law. On the other hand, perhaps every large public service corporation in existence at the time of its passage has enlarged its field since then, and, I think, now giving better service than it did before the passage of the law."

"An important result of the law has been the creation of the dual subway system in New York."

"Until the Public Service Commission was established communities had only the opportunity to say 'yes' or 'no' to what public service corporations proposed to do; but in connection with the dual subway system, here, the Public Service Commission, in co-operation with the Board of Estimate of the city, worked out a plan in the public interest and then found private corporations to carry out the work. That is to say, the State Public Service Commission for this district gave to the public a competent and technically well informed agent to represent it in the negotiations."

"The two significant facts are, first, that the subway is the property of the

city, and every dollar invested in it becomes an asset of the city as soon as it is invested; second, that if the city, after the completion of the work, is not satisfied with the methods of the operating company, it has large rights reserved which will enable it to re-enter upon possession of the operating franchise."

"Thus we find an illustration of the fact that an old community may be satisfactorily served by old existing corporations if they are permitted to enlarge their operations; while, in a community not already well served, it might be quite fatal to prevent the formation of new corporations to enlarge the facilities enjoyed by the public."

"It may be that this situation is not so much due to the law as to the fact that, in New York City, the opportunity for advantageous franchises had been largely if not entirely preempted."

Greatest Achievement in U. S.

"The dual subway system is the greatest achievement in the line of public service enterprises which so far has been accomplished in this country, and I am not sure that it has a parallel anywhere in the world. It was made possible only by giving to the public an agency like the Public Service Commission, which could take the initiative, as representing the public, and which was not confined to a passive rôle."

"In this particular instance, William R. Wilcox, as Chairman of the Public Service Commission, invited the co-operation of the city, as represented by the Board of Estimate."

"Here again the city was fortunate in having a small board, thoroughly intelligent and devoted to the public welfare, to act for it. My impression is that the credit for devising the dual subway system should be accorded to George McAneny, but the good results were due to the large-mindedness of the Public Service Commission in inviting the co-operation of the city, and to the hearty and loyal co-operation between the Public Service Commission and the Board of Estimate."

"Ever since I was Mayor of Brooklyn I have contended that the public ought to be in a position to say what it wants and to get that done on the best possible terms; but this is the first time when such a desirable situation has materialized on a large scale."

"In my judgment this is the sort of thing that public service commissions should do for communities wherever circumstances make it possible. The result in this case has been that while the title to the property is in the city a large part of the money necessary for construction, and all of the money necessary for equipment, is furnished by private corporations in return for the privilege of operating the public utility under the conditions of a contract carefully devised to protect the public interest at every turn."

"This outcome in New York City indicates the possible development of a system of public ownership with private operation. That is really a very good outcome where it is practicable."

"All of this goes to show that the Public Service Commissions ought to command the services of the best men in the State. When the New York State Commission for the First District was appointed by Gov. Hughes it was non-partisan, and, while its members were inexperienced, their disinterestedness commanded respect. I hold it to be a matter deeply to be regretted that since the time of Gov. Hughes every experienced man has been retired from the commission as his term expired, and his position given to an inexperienced man belonging to the same party as the Governor appointing him."

"This tendency must be checked if the Public Service Commission in the future is to command the sort of confidence that makes such achievements as the dual subway system possible."



Dr. Seth Low.

more intent upon making profit than they were upon giving good service."

"They capitalized their possible earnings at very high figures, and then gave poor service in return, pleading that they could not afford to do better. As an incident of much of this kind of financing, minority stockholders were often treated with great unfairness."

"Public regulation, therefore, aims first of all to get the good public service for which the public utility is chartered; and, secondly, it aims to protect the investor against abuse, because experience has shown that good public service is made more difficult to obtain by bad financing."

avoid, on the one hand, demands so severe as to check enterprise, and, on the other hand, to avoid procedure so lax as to permit old abuses to continue."

"It is easy to talk in general phrases, but the problem remains difficult of reduction to definite form. The National Civic Federation committee devoted two years to the study of the subject. Its members were men familiar with the problems involved, and they brought their knowledge to bear with painstaking care."

"First, the committee collected all the information available in the United States, and this is now condensed into a volume which shows the composition

criticism, outside of the committee, similar differences of opinion were immediately evidenced. This illustrates and emphasizes the complicated and difficult nature of the problem involved."

"Radicals lean toward very strict regulation, and many of them seem not much to care whether or not this regulation is so strict that it will prevent the investment of private capital in public enterprises. It is not difficult to believe that at the back of such men's heads is the conviction that it would not be a misfortune were public ownership and operation to supplant private enterprise."

"Among investors, also, differences

THE INTERNATIONAL POSSE COMITATUS--By THEODORE ROOSEVELT

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cates German willingness to look squarely in the face all possible facts.

Of course, and quite properly, the German General Staff has carefully considered the question of hostilities with America, and doubtless plans were drawn up with minute care and prevision at the time when there was friction between the two countries over Samoa, at the time when Admiral von Diederichs clashed with Dewey in Manila Bay, and on the later occasion when there was friction in connection with Venezuela. This did not represent German ill-will toward America. It represented the perfectly proper and common-sense consideration of possibilities by Germany's rulers; and the failure to give this consideration would have reflected severely upon these rulers. To become angry because such plans exist would be childish. To fall to profit by our knowledge that they certainly do exist would be worse, be not merely childish but imbecile. I have myself become personally cognizant of the existence of such plans, and of the larger features of their details in two cases, as regards two different nations.

The essential feature of these plans has been the seizure of some of our great coast cities, and the terrorization of these cities so as to make them give enormous ransoms; ransoms of such a size that our own country would be crippled, whereas our foes would be enabled to run the war against us with a handsome profit to themselves.

These plans are based, of course, upon the belief that we have not sufficient foresight and intelligence to keep our navy in first-class condition, and upon not merely the belief, but the knowledge, that our regular army is so small and our utter unpreparedness otherwise so great that on land we would be entirely helpless against a moderate-sized expeditionary force belonging to any first-class military power.

Foreign military and naval observers know well that our navy has been used during the last year or so in connection with the Mexican situation in such manner as to accomplish the minimum of results as regards Mexico, while at the same time to do the maximum of damage in interrupting the manœuvring and the gun practice of our fleets. They regard Messrs. Wilson and Bryan as representatives of the American people in their entire inability to understand the real nature of the forces that underlie international relations and the importance of preparedness.

They are entirely cold blooded in their views of us. Foreign rulers may despise us for our supine unpreparedness, and for our readiness to make treaties taken together with our refusal to fulfill these treaties by seeking to avert wrong done to others. But their contempt will not prevent their using this nation as arbiter in order to bring about peace if to do suits their purposes; and if, on the contrary, one or the other of the several great military empires becomes the world mistress as the result of this

war, that power will infringe our rights whenever and to the extent that it deems it advantageous to do so, and will make war upon us whenever it believes that such war will be to its own advantage.

In the event of such a war against us it is well to remember that the spiritless and selfish type of neutrality which we have observed in the present war will be remembered by all other nations on whichever side they have been engaged in this contest, and will give each of them more or less satisfaction in the event of disaster befalling us. These nations, if they come to a deadlock as the result of this war, will not be withheld by any sentiment of indignation against or contempt for us from utilizing the services of the President as a medium for bringing about peace if this seems the most convenient method of getting peace. But whether they do this or not they will retain a smoldering ill-will toward us, one and all of them; and if we were assailed it would be utterly quixotic, utterly foolish of any one of them to come to our aid no matter what wrongs were inflicted upon us.

It would be quite impossible for any power to treat us worse than Belgium has been treated, or to attack us with less warrant than was shown when Belgium was attacked. Bombs have been continually dropped in the City of Paris, and in other cities, wrecking private houses and killing men, women, and children, at a time when there was no pretense that any military attacks were being made upon

the cities, or that any other object was served than that of terrorizing the civilian population. Cities have been destroyed and others held to huge ransom. All these practices are forbidden by The Hague conventions.

Inasmuch as we have not made a single protest against them when other powers have suffered, it would be both ridiculous and humiliating for us to make even the slightest appeal for assistance or to expect any assistance from any other powers if ever we in our turn suffer in like fashion. It would be purely our affair. We would have no right to expect that other powers would take the kind of action which we ourselves have refused to take. It would be our time to take our medicine, and it would be folly and cowardice to make wry faces over it or to expect sympathy, still less aid, from outsiders.

As I have already stated, my own view is most strongly that if we were assailed in accordance with the plans of foreign powers above mentioned, it would be our business positively to refuse to allow any city to ransom itself, and cheerfully to accept the destruction of New York, or San Francisco, or any other city as the alternative to such ransom. Our duty would be to accept these disasters as the payment rightfully due from us to Fate for our folly in having listened to the clamor of the feeble folk among the ultra-pacifists, and in having endorsed the unspeakable silliness of the policy contained in the proposed all-inclusive arbitration treaties of Mr. Taft and in the accomplished all-inclusive arbitration treaties of Messrs. Wilson and Bryan.

I very earnestly hope that this nation will ultimately adopt a dignified and self-respecting policy in international affairs. I earnestly hope that

ultimately we shall live up to every international obligation we have undertaken—exactly as we did live up to them during the seven and a half years while I was President. I earnestly hope that we shall ourselves become one of the joint guarantors of world peace under such a plan as that I have already outlined, and that we shall hold ourselves ready and willing to act as a member of the international posse comitatus to enforce the peace of righteousness as against any offender, big or small.

This would mean a great practical stride toward relief from the burden of excessive military preparation. It would mean that a long step had been taken toward at least minimizing and restricting the area and extent of possible warfare. It would mean that all liberty-loving and enlightened peoples, great and small, would be freed from the haunting nightmare of terror which now besets them when they think of the possible conquest of their land.

Until this can be done we owe it to ourselves as a nation effectively to safeguard ourselves against all likelihood of disaster at the hands of a foreign foe. We should bring our navy up to the highest point of preparedness, we should handle it purely from military considerations, and should see that the training was never intermitted. We should make our little regular army larger and more effective than at present.

In addition, I most heartily believe that we should return to the ideal held by our people in the days of Washington, although never lived up to by them. We should follow the example of such typical democracies as Switzerland and Australia, and we should provide and require military training for all our young men. Switzerland's efficient army has unquestionably been the chief reason why in this war there has been no violation of her

neutrality. Australia's system of military training has enabled her at once to ship large bodies of first-rate fighting men to England's aid. England at the moment is saved from the fate of Belgium only because of her navy; and the small size of her army, her lack of arms, her lack of previous preparations, doubtless afford the real reason why this war has occurred at all, for there would certainly have been no war if the peoples of the Continent had had to face the fact that England could at once put in the field an army as large and effective as, for instance, that of France.

Training of our young men in field manœuvres and in marksmanship, as is done in Switzerland, and to a slightly less extent in Australia, would be of immense advantage to the physique and morale of our whole population. It would not represent any withdrawal of our population from civil pursuits, such as occurs among the great military States of the European Continent. In Switzerland, for instance, the ground training is given in the schools, and the young man after graduating serves only some four months with the branch of the army to which he is attached, and after that only about eight days a year, not counting his rifle practice. All serve alike, rich and poor, without any exceptions; and all whom I have ever met, and this even more than the rich, are enthusiastic over the beneficial effects of the service and the increase in self-reliance, self-respect, and efficiency which it has brought.

The utter worthlessness of make-believe soldiers who have not been trained will be evident to any one who cares to read such works as Prof. Johnson's recent volume on Bull Run. Our people should make a thorough study of the Swiss and Australian systems, and then adapt them to our own use. To do so would not be a stride toward war, as the feeble folk among

the ultra-pacifists would doubtless maintain. It would be the most effective possible guarantee that peace would dwell within our borders; and it would also make it possible for us not only to insure peace for ourselves, but to have our words carry weight if we spoke against the commission of wrong and injustice at the expense of others.

But we must always remember that no institutions will avail unless the private citizen has the right spirit. When a leading Congressman, himself with war experience, shows conclusively in open speech in the House that we are utterly unprepared to do our duty to ourselves if assailed, President Wilson answers him with a cheap sneer, with unworthy levity; and the repeated warnings of Gen. Wood are treated with the same indifference.

Nevertheless, I do not believe that this attitude on the part of our public servants really represents the real convictions of the average American. As Charles Bonaparte in his recent admirable article has said: "A militia would afford little security to a free State if made up of potrooms or of peace-at-any-price people; the ideal citizen of a free State must be a first-class fighting man, who scorns either to endure or to inflict wrong. American society is sound at core, and this means that at bottom we as a people accept as the basis of sound morality, not slothful ease and soft selfishness and the loud timidity that fears every species of risk and hardship, but the virile strength of manliness which accepts as the ideal the stern, unflinching performance of duty, and which follows whithersoever that ideal may lead."

Theodore Roosevelt
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NEW YORK WATER COLOR CLUB'S 25TH EXHIBITION

Art at Home and Abroad: News and Comment

THE twenty-fifth anniversary of the New York Water-Color Club provides a sensation. Not a blood-curdling affair calling for headlines, but a genuine rich sensation of joy in work and delicate bright beauty. Flower gardens on bright mornings give a pleasure not quite so keen because less charged with that human satisfaction in the power to create which makes us prefer the art of our own making to Nature, in the making of which we have been denied a share.

It is not to be assumed that the walls of the Fine Arts Building are crowded with masterpieces, or that we shall be impelled to make our rounds steeped in devotional languors. Part of the entertainment is the general high level without the impertinence of masterpieces in a so homogeneous assemblage. These pictures have no messages. There are no deep spiritual intentions made manifest. There is not even the splendor of undertakings so exacting that failure in them seems better than any conceivable success. One finds none of these heroics in the painting of the twentieth century, except at rare intervals where some near-sighted dreamer, blind to the signs of his own age, has a vision of an age to come. But we have got this far, as the exhibition of the Water-Color Club shows: We can treat light things lightly, and discover as much art in a few scratches of the pen as in a life-size painting.

The first group to command attention is that comprising work by David Milne, Ethel Paddock, E. L. MacRae, Irene Weir, Alexander Robinson, and three or four other painters deeply concerned with pattern. There is a touch of recipe about some of these vivacious productions. Alexander Robinson, for example. It is positively disconcerting to find him so completely familiar, with a perfectly new manner, when we left him a year or two ago so perfectly familiar with a quite different manner. We think, instinctively, of the travelers who make themselves at home in the best hotel of every place. One knows beforehand that it will be the best, but, of course, it cannot cease to be a hotel. Mr. Robinson is, however, immensely skillful, and if you find that he is stopping for the moment in the hotel made famous by Gauguin you see at once how well he appears in his environment. He needed Gauguin, in fact, with his defined contours and flat planes.

David Milne invariably maps an effect of modernity. His subjects are just the same pleasant old subject—men reading, women sewing or peeling apples or having tea. It is all just the same, except that the work is dressed in the fashion of the moment, and well dressed. The artist has a genius for fashion. Not one in a thousand can spot a piece of paper as cleverly as he. It is amusing to note that in the little picture called "Posing" he goes back to the early Egyptian convention and paints the face of his man an arbitrary dark red and the face of his woman a lighter and equally arbitrary yellow. They look very nice, too.

Ethel Mars does charming things with little stains of pure color. Give her a spotted dress and a yellow parasol and an outdoor tea-table, and she makes France out of it in the twinkling of an eye. Perhaps that is not so very hard, but we all know that one cannot make France in any of her numerous aspects out of ingredients alone. J. O. Nordfeldt makes France seen from a different angle with his "14 July, Paris," but here the tri-color floating over the music-stand is a help, and so is the angle made by the Parisian leg in the street dance of that renowned holiday. R. MacGill Makall does a French market where coats and wood are sold en gros et en detail, where the women carry umbrellas and there are bird cages and flowers in the windows of the watching houses. Well, that is France, too, only a shade too precise for her fluttering spirit. Still there is that dowdy note in Paris itself, and there are the little dowdy towns nearby. To paint it so, no doubt, is well. Dishcloths and clusters can be made to look too chic, and one must remember now if ever on what a solid foundation rests the blithe temper of the nation. Moreover the painter has beautifully balanced his restful walls with the little crowd of traffickers.

William Fair Kline does an old peasant woman whom he calls "Somebody's Mother," and realizes in a way far removed from sentimentality. The smiling old lady is seen against a background of the pleasant village of Meudon, nestling, red-roofed, in its thick bosage, with the hill beyond and the viaduct and the lines of orderly trees; another version of the unmistakable physiognomy of France, sympathetically felt and shown.

E. Varian Cockcroft's interesting work in pastel reveals the possibilities of the medium in the direction of bold attack. His dining-room scenes at St. Malo have character and vigor. Anne Goldthwaite's painting, "A Wall Flower," tells us how well she has learned Whistler's oft-repeated lesson of economy of means. She uses her brown paper ground with much discrimination. Rhoda Holmes Nichols has been swayed of late by the delightful sport of making patterns. She shows a woman with a strip of green silk across her lap, bending toward a sewing basket from the depths of her wicker chair. The gesture is natural and the characterization is frank and decisive. One thinks of that first, and then of the spots in the wall paper, the rug on the floor, the cretonne flowers on the sewing basket, and the lovely flowers in the Chinese pot. Jane Peterson's ladies are more casual, one of them is quite uncannily clever, seeming to express herself in the short cuts of speech that we hear now in the modern plays and fill in according to our knowledge or ignorance of the argot



"A Study in Blue," by Jane Peterson.
(In the Water-Color Club Exhibition.)

And this very "smart" lady is, on the whole, the most entertaining person in the exhibition.

Naturally there are flower pictures in numbers, but here also there is a change. Here also the pattern's thing. Irene Weir manages a harmony between the spiritual essence of her flowers, the boldness of her handling, and the undisguised structure of design, but not every one does it well.

There is great variety in the exhibition. Pastels chalked in with a frank touch and pastels "worked up," water colors with pure tints surrounded by outline, water colors running into each other swimmingly, gouache, paintings in water color on silk, everything that could pass the jury in the way of method, but there is also an extraordinary care in the fitting of the method to the subject. The gallery visitor repeatedly finds himself saying: "That was just the way to do it."

Certain walls are dignified by Childs Hassam's beautiful studies of places, his "Antwerp Cathedral" lifting its spire against the loveliest sky that ever hung over the Scheldt, and by J. Alden Weir's landscapes, as fresh as the morning, without a touch of sophistry in their easy mastery of the medium. There is a head of a girl done in pastel by William Sergeant Kendall, interesting to study in contrast with other studies of pretty girls in which the subject charm is the whole charm. Mr. Kendall's model has all the sweetness of all the years from "sweet sixteen" to "sweet and twenty," but every touch of his chalk takes account of underlying construction and the head has the dignity of good building.

One could say much of the other things, of little delightful things like the chicken and duck miniatures of E. W. Knowles and the irresistible puppy dogs of Hilda Ward wobbling and nudging over their plate of food, and of bigger things, Hilda Belcher's picture of a child with apples "en gros" and eyes a shade, too emphatically dreamy, and the fine "Philosopher" by George Lukas. The bits of sculpture, too, are notable, especially the woman and child by Paul Manship. But the exhibition will last through the month and there will be chances

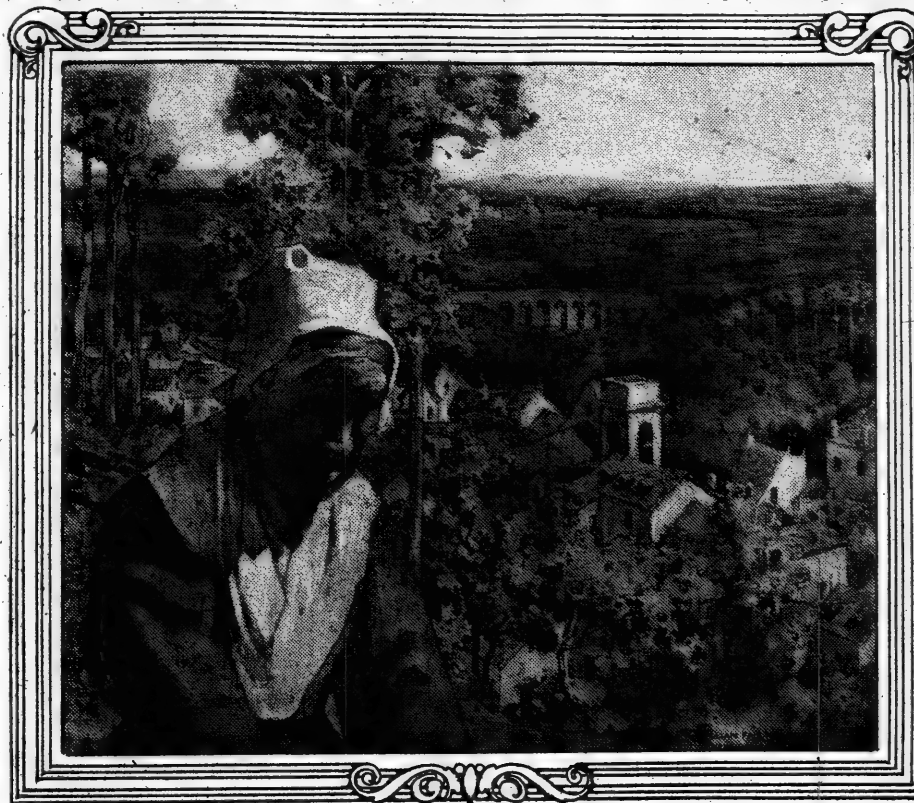


"Somebody's Mother," by William Fair Kline.
(In the Water-Color Club Exhibition.)

day until 7 P. M. Three of the panels by Mr. Blasfield are for the house of Everett Morse in Boston. In their delightful color, the woven mesh of many colors, these are far and away the finest things in the artist's later accomplishment. He has given himself over to purely romantic and mediaeval influences. His ladies are clad in fabrics that would have aroused the deepest envy of Rossetti's mediaeval mind, for the Pre-Raphaelite in his best hour never achieved a pattern so satisfying as those dipping in and out of the folds of these sumptuous robes, or a color so mysterious as that which lies like the bloom on ripe fruit over the textures enfolding the damsel with the dulcimer. These musical instruments, too, this illuminated vol-

um and "Civil Law," and about this group cluster men, women, and children of the various races making up our olla podrida of civilization. A young German girl and a Slav child stand side by side, a Russian stands back of them, a fair-haired Swede is at the left of the foreground, a negress, a Chinaman, a Croatian, an Italian are there, and each is painted from one of these children of our national adoption.

The two lunettes by Mr. Cox are painted for the Administration Building of Oberlin College in memory of the mother and father of the artist. The color is characteristically strong and arranged in boldly separated masses. Such softening as time chooses to do will mellow and enrich



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time with its rich initial glowing like imprisoned fire from its ivory-toned page, this casket with a cardinal's emblem, all these details lovingly recreated from the past, how they would have spoken to the young painters impaled for the Van Eycks and Memling. For once Mr. Blasfield has let the contemporaneous take care of itself and for the sake of these dear delights has lived laborious days. Every touch on the panels is his own, and that is why every touch is vital. One of his subjects is "Music," another is "Books," the third is "Hospitality," and in this last a mediaeval touch is added by the element of portraiture, three of the figures being portraits of the children of the house for which the panels are designed.

In addition to these decorative panels for a private house, the artist is showing an unfinished canvas for the State Capitol of Utah in which he returns to the specific symbolism of most of his public work. The subject is called "In Peace Through Order Under the Law," and the conception is highly original. In the center sits the genius of the place, her head relieved against the nimbus of the State seal. She holds a tablet on which is inscribed "Recognition of the Rights of Others, Fidelity to Promises, Individual Liberty in Peace Through Order Under the Law." Two men of legal type stand at either side holding books inscribed "Common Law"

the effect. The drawing has the firm decisiveness also characteristic of this artist who knows not the name of compromise, but what drawing it is! Let those who prefer a more casual method observe before they leave it the magnificent foreshortening of the arms in the helmeted figure, the hands doing precisely what they are meant to do without strain or weakness in a single line. Let them observe the sinking of the neck in its deep socket, the competency of the muscles supporting the weight in the figure that leans on its hand outspread on the marble bench, the easy sway of the bodies at waist and shoulders. And for pure joy of painting let every one look long at the painting of the hand resting on the open page of a book, its relation in color and tone to the page, the shadow that it casts, and the book itself—a marvel of lovely workmanship. These are the incidents in Mr. Cox's work, subordinate to the science of the design, but they are eloquent of that passion for rightness which lifts his paintings to their high place in modern decoration.

Acquisitions by the Worcester Art Museum.

The Worcester Museum has been both energetic and fortunate. It announces in the current number of its bulletin the purchase of a "Madonna Adoring the Christ Child," by Perugino, which, the authorities believe, may help to solve the troubled prob-

lem as to the origin of that artist's paintings. "It tends emphatically to prove," they say, "that among the various artists whose work he studied carefully Florentine di Lorenzo held the chief place, whether as master or associate," but the evidence is withheld as being of too technical a character to interest any but special students. Another and more striking painting recently acquired is a "Portrait of an Ecclesiastic," by Ridolfo Ghirlandajo, which is regarded as the artist's masterpiece in portraiture, and which, according to the reproduction, is a work of extraordinary artistic power and glowing humanity. The note on the picture says "so profound and intimate is the revelation of benignant character and so quiet and simple the means

Paintings by Alexander Grinager.

At the Arlington Art Galleries the paintings of Alexander Grinager will be on view until Nov. 14. Mr. Grinager was born in Minnesota of Norwegian parents and studied for four years at the Royal Academy of Fine Arts in Copenhagen, Denmark, before he entered upon his Paris training. The freshness and sturdiness of the Scandinavian impulse seems to have been somewhat dulled and weakened by the artist's attention to conventional studio problems, but occasionally it crops out as in his picture of "Boys Bathing," where the drawing of the lank young figures is unhesitating. His other paintings lean heavily on the interest of the subject, which often, as in the case of the two drawings of the Metopes of Selinus, makes a definite and individual impression.

Board of Education Lectures.

The Board of Education opens two new courses of lectures on art this week. At Public School 163, 108th Street, west of Amsterdam Avenue, John Quincy Adams will open a course on "Art and Daily Life," while at Public School 59 Prof. Louis Weinberg of the College of the City of New York will begin a course on "Modern Artists and Their Message."

Jewelry at Newark and Elsewhere.

The Newark Museum Association announces an exhibition in the public library building of antique, Oriental, and modern jewelry, illustrations of the history of jewelry, also vasecraft pottery lent by the Fulper pottery. The exhibition will close Nov. 22.

At the galleries of the Society of Craftsmen is an exhibit of hand-wrought jewelry and silverware from the Elverhol Colony which displays the thorough and workmanlike methods of the colony, together with its excellent traditions of design. The silverware in particular shows short of the extreme finish that obligates the surface charm gained through personal manipulation, but goes far beyond the crudity that cheaply announces the "hand-made" article with incompetent workers. In each case the metal seems to have been developed to the limit of its capacity, and the execution appropriate to iron is not given to silver and gold as in too much of the modern work. The exhibition, as a whole, is characterized by that rarest of qualities, a combined artistic and industrial intelligence.

The table silver by George Gebelin, shown at the Little Gallery until the 14th of the month, is especially fine in the fidelity to fundamental principles shown by the artist. The scale of areas and organic planning, often wholly disregarded in industrial design for the sake of some trivial appeal, are given adequate consideration, and the different pieces grow like a

building from logical and coherent beginnings. The simplicity of the designs is, of course, the most severe test that could be made of their integrity. The knowledge and skill shown in work of this kind should be an object lesson to the innumerable workers who partly learn their interesting and useful art at much expense of time, energy, and money, only to find it mercenaryly unwarranted because they have begun at the wrong end and have tried to make themselves artists before they were good workmen.

Paintings by Bror Nordfeldt.

The paintings at the Daniel Gallery this week and until the 17th of the month are energetic applications of Post Impressionist principles. Bror Nordfeldt has a Scandinavian's interest in reality and his work is never pushed to the extreme of decorative convention, but he very well understands how to make an organic design out of pyramidal hills and figures of men and women, repeating the pyramidal form in groups without too much insisting upon the formal arrangement. It is not surprising that his small figures have character when one observes the extraordinary characterization of the "Broom Pedlar." But the colored boy against a red background is not a success. We get too much of the background, and the little brown head simply ceases to exist against it. How easily such a catastrophe could have been avoided is seen by the other brown head against an orange background, where everything keeps its place and all goes merrily. The mistakes in Mr. Nordfeldt's work are, however, all the mistakes of a strong man thoroughly convinced of the right direction of his road.

Panama-Pacific Exposition.

The official classification of the Department of Fine Arts at the Panama-Pacific Exposition is: Department A (open to works of United States and foreign artists, whether previously exhibited or not). Group 1—Paintings on canvas, wood, or metal, by all direct methods, in oil, wax, tempera, or other media; engravings, on porcelain, faience, and on various preparations, of purely pictorial intent; mural paintings in any media. Class 2—Paintings and drawings in watercolor, pastel, chalk, charcoal, pencil, and other media, any material, on any surface on ivory or ivory substitutes. Group 2, Class 3—Etchings, engravings, and block prints in one or more colors. Auto-lithographs with pencil, crayon, or brush. Group 3—Sculpture. Class 4—Works in the round, high and low relief; busts, single figures and groups in marble, bronze, or other metal; in terra cotta, plaster, wood, ivory, or other materials. Class 5—Medals, plaques, engravings on gems, cameos, and intaglios. Class 6—Carvings in stone, wood, ivory, or other materials. Group 4—Loan collection. Selections of especially interesting art works of various kinds from institutions and private collections.

The following will not be admitted to the fine arts department: 1—Copies; works resulting from industrial or mechanical processes. 2—Pictures, drawings or engravings not framed. 3—Sculpture in unbaked clay or any form of modeling wax. 4—Architectural ornaments, except such as may be included in Group 3. The exhibit of the department will be divided into a United States section, a section for each foreign nation represented at the exposition, and a commission or a national committee, and an international section. Conditions arising from the European war are such that the department can in no way guarantee the exhibition of its agent in Paris to receive or forward works intended for exhibition, nor can it guarantee that a jury will be held in Paris. Every effort will be made to meet whatever emergency may arise in the interest of exhibitors who naturally forward their works to Paris, but no works should be forwarded without the approval of the agent in Paris, and it is urged that wherever possible artists should arrange for the delivery of their entered works to some of the collection centres in the United States.

At the MacDowell Club.

The current exhibition at the MacDowell Club is unusually interesting, although it brings forward no unknown genius. John W. Alexander exhibits two delightful figures, and Robert Henri has a group of Irish boys and girls that include "Pat" and "Sis," the latter one of the most sensitive and bewitching types in the sum of his accomplishment. Charles C. Curran, Richard F. Maynard, Francis C. Jones, and Jules Turcas are represented by a variety of paintings characteristic of the artist's style and execution. William Laurel Harris shows a number of the studies of decorative work which he has in hand for the Corpus Christi Monastery, one in a carved and gilded frame of extremely interesting workmanship, the motive of the passion flower having been conventionalized with unusual force and vitality. Other panels by this artist are of studies made from the stained glass of Chartres Cathedral, thirteenth century windows corresponding in period to those of slaughtered Rheims. A still finer design, one of the most splendid known, is from a window in the Frankfurt Museum. Two sculptors, Anna Vaughan Hyatt and Frances Grimes, are also represented in the exhibition. One notes afresh Miss Hyatt's power of psychological characterization in her studies of animal life. The "Girl by a Pool," by Miss Grimes, is in itself sufficient reward for visiting the gallery. The contours of the long young body, pulsing with life; the exquisitely awkward gesture of the lank arm, so much lovelier than grace; the slim legs and big feet, and the tender curve of the shoulders, all combine to express the spirit of youth. Nature and art meet in the work on the most amicable terms. The exhibition lasts until the 15th of November.

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ARMIES OF THE ALLIES

Books by Military Experts That Give an Intimate View of British and French Forces in the Field

THE FRENCH ARMY FROM WITHIN. By "Ex-Trooper." New York: George H. Doran Company. \$1.
THE BRITISH ARMY FROM WITHIN. By S. Charles Vivian, author of "Passion Fruit." New York: George H. Doran Company. \$1.

BOTH of these books were written since the present war began, and for that reason are brought "up to the very minute" both in information and comment. The expert who writes on the French Army, and who has served in it, believes that it is properly entitled to the judgment "Magnificent" from the lips of a soldier, and that it is today to be considered rather the successor of the army which won at Austerlitz than that which lost at Sedan.

The author holds that the French have done marvels in building "the great and effective machine of today" from the "sorry foundation" of the military establishment which was left when the Germans got through with it in 1871. Forty-three years, it is pointed out, is a brief period in the history of an army, yet in that short time the French have worked a military metamorphosis. The improvement has taken place both among the officers and the men; there is in all ranks a more thorough knowledge of fighting. The advance in efficiency has resulted from the conviction on the part of all Frenchmen that a combat was sure to come with Germany such as that now on. The author says that ever since 1871 the French officers, in common with the rest of the nation, have known that there would be "a life and death struggle with Germany." Accordingly the officers have set themselves the task of mastering the difficulties attendant on getting the army into such condition that it would be able to meet the Teutonic invasion with success.

The idea that the Germans would be the aggressors has been persistent in the French mind, and has amounted to a conviction, according to the author. He declares that it must be remembered that the maintenance of so huge an army, proportionate to the total population of France, has "been vital to the life of the nation." He says that, with a far smaller population than Germany, France has felt that she must keep pace with the more populous country; she "has had to train and arm men for man, produce gun for gun." It is pointed out that "when the hour of trial came it was found that the preparation had been none too great"; that every possible trained man was necessary to cope with "Prussian militarism and Prussian greed of conquest." The big army, the author insists, has been regarded by the French as "a means of defense only"; "the army is, because it must be, for the safety of the nation, not because the nation desires territory or conquest."

"Ex-Trooper" gives some consideration to the teachings of the present war thus far. In the great retreat of the French to the shadow of the walls of Paris he sees the proof that the French Army of 1914—unlike some of the French armies of the past—is capable of retreating in good order when strategy requires a retreat. It has often been insisted by students of France's long and remarkable military history that the French are only consummate on the attack. The author finds that the training of the present army has been admirable, or the men could never have stood the retreat, day after day, under the continual hammering of the Germans. The entire first phase of the war has been "all against the French way of fighting"; yet if the troops have done so well on the defensive, it may be judged how admirably they are likely to do when they are able to take a sustained offensive.

The author points out that there is a vast difference in the composition of the French Army of today and of Napoleonic times. Napoleon had armies of seasoned veterans, but the men now battling, with comparatively few exceptions, have had but two years' training apiece, and those under peace conditions. The author goes on:

Yet out of this semi-raw material (semi-raw as far as war experience goes) France has

raised an army which may without exaggeration be termed magnificent, an army that has kept the field under harder circumstances than those which brought about the surrender of Sedan, an army that no more knows when it is beaten than does the British force fighting by its side.

The strength of the active army on a peace basis is placed at 535,000 men, together with an approximate total of 55,000 men serving in Algeria and 20,000 in Tunis. The gendarmerie and Republican Guard add another 25,000, while the colonial troops serving in the colonies total about 60,000. On a war footing the total strength is approximately 1,800,000. Of these, 1,350,000 comprise the first line troops, made up of the active army and the younger classes of reserves, constituting the first field armies sent to the front in August. The author says that since the battle of the Marne it has become clear that "almost a second army" was collected under the shelter of the Paris forts to reinforce the retreating line which fell back from the Belgian border. It is stated that the traditional French method of conducting war is with 60 per cent. of the men in the firing line and the remaining 40 per cent. held as reserves. "Ex-Trooper" declares that France's conduct of the present war has shown that this method of fighting—"diametrically opposed to the German conception of war"—is being adhered to and that the troops in the firing line by no means compose the whole of the French striking force.

While the discipline is much more severe than that of the British Army, there is among the French troops far more comradeship between officers and men than prevails in England. There is a sympathy between the man with the shoulder straps and the man with the bayonet which probably does not exist in any other large army of Europe. "Republican rule and French military methods have forged bonds between officers and men which never have existed and never will exist in the army of their great opponent, for instance." The spirit of comradeship is fostered by the fact that "not less than one-third" of the total number of French officers obtain their commissions by promotion from the ranks of the non-commissioned officers, who, in their turn, began as privates. "Napoleon's remark about the marshal's baion in the private soldier's knapsack still holds good in the French Army."

Particularly high praise is given the French for equipment. "In all matters of military equipment and armament the French Republic has led the world since its reconstruction after 1870." The Lebel rifle and the 75-millimeter gun brought in new eras in their respective fields. Further, France led the world in developing the aeroplane.

THE BRITISH ARMY

Mr. Vivian, in his book on the British Army, points out that this body is now undergoing a revolution, and that many of the ideas will have to be discarded which have prevailed in the past about the small army which has been doing Great Britain's fighting in the four quarters of the world for many years. "The new army" he terms the vast force now being called to the colors, and he points out that this new army, quite unlike the old British Army, "is not a thing apart from the nation; it is the nation."

Rapidly in training the legions of recruits is the great necessity which England now faces, and in commenting on this fact the author casts some slight doubt on the value in all practical respects for field service of the training which the young soldiers are getting from the veteran non-commissioned officers of other days, who, past the fighting age themselves, are being called out in large numbers to train squads of recruits. Mr. Vivian points out as a "minor drawback" the fact that these old soldiers are out of touch with some of the details of modern weapons and drill. The field gun, for instance, now in use by the British, was only introduced after the Boer war.

It is essential that the new army should begin training itself at the earliest possible moment, says the author, and for this reason "there are endless opportunities for the man with brains who exists at the present time." No man can foresee, of course, how large the new army will be on a peace footing after this war is over, but "not while a first-class power remains on the Continent of Europe will conscription cease altogether," although the war will probably result in the end of universal conscription; in any event, a considerable portion of the new British Army will have to be retained.

FICTION FOR NOVEMBER

May Sinclair's "The Three Sisters," Novels by the Late Mgr. Benson, William Caine, J. Forman, and Others

THE THREE SISTERS. By May Sinclair. The Macmillan Company, \$1.50 net.

FOR the theme of her new novel, "The Three Sisters," Miss Sinclair has chosen one about as delicate and difficult as could well be found—so delicate and so difficult, indeed, that it has rarely if ever been used either in English or American fiction. While the case of the "hysterical" Alice is one familiar, not only to medical science, but to every person who has dipped into almost any one of the books on hysteria and nervous disorders, it belongs to a type with which the average reader is perhaps but scantily acquainted. Miss Sinclair has handled it with the utmost tact—else it would be intolerable. Moreover, she succeeds in making Alice an object of pity instead of repulsion. From the opening chapter of the story, when the vicar and his three daughters are first seen in the old gray stone vicarage at Garth, waiting impatiently for 10 o'clock prayers because there was nothing else for them to do—"It was all that could happen"—one cannot but feel sorry for Alice, whose "awfulness" had been the cause of her father's giving up his seaside parish on the south coast and coming to this "last village up Garthdale; a handful of gray houses, old and small and humble."

For Alice, so pitifully aware of her "awfulness" and, as she asserted, quite without the ability to play the cad who Mary did, was not responsible for the inherited taint which was in her blood. That taint was derived from her father, whose "profession had committed him to a pose, and who was now "an unwilling cellmate," his third wife having run away from him. He was very sorry for himself, was the vicar who succeeded in "smoothing everything" for his three daughters. These three daughters are, of course, the sisters of the title. First came Mary, the eldest, so sweet and good in the general opinion, and in her own; the "innocent and tranquil sensualist," self-complacent, secretive, ruthless, the most repellent character in the book—and the person who got what she wanted. For there were "three women to one man," and Mary was "the one without scruple." So she conquered Steven Rowcliffe and so she wrecked him, setting herself to destroy "secretly, insidiously," the youth and energy which threatened to take him away from her and give him to Gwendolyn, the vicar's second daughter. She is the novel's heroine, this Gwendolyn, who is about its only sane, thoroughly well balanced character, strong and honest and generous. And it is this very generosity of hers, manifested by the great sacrifice she makes in the hope of saving poor Alice, who "would die or go mad if she wasn't married," that does much to bring about the spiritual tragedy in which the book closes. She is a fine, real, virgily drawn woman, admirably presented. All through the novel she stands in the foreground, distinct and splendid. We see her striding over the great moor she loved, what time Steven Rowcliffe caught sight of her and she "flashed by like a huntress, like Artemis carrying the young moon upon her forehead"; or we see her standing by the open window of his study while he looked at her "taking in her tallness, her slenderness, the lithe and beautiful line of her body"; and always she lives and moves before us. From the beginning until at the very last, when she receives her mortal wound, there is something magnificent about her. Even when she became terrible and fierce and mad, it was through pity and compassion. And it is she who suffers, after the most of all.

For though it is poor little Alice who is "tragically foredoomed and driven," it is Gwendolyn who in the end pays the price—the price of the perverted or excessive sexuality of practically

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and "not hurried nor nothing; only human." And who but Calliope went to call on the outcast Lisbeth Note—an act which required considerable courage, even though it was not done until after dark—and so started the train of events which made the week of the "Homecoming" memorable in more ways than one?

The generosity and the meanness, the quarrels and the love affairs of Friendship Village—is it necessary at this late day, when to so many of us that pleasant town is a well known and well loved spot, to say how real, how vivid, Miss Gale makes them all? Moreover, in these tales of life in a Middle Western village we find many of the problems which vex and worry us all—the questions of politics and poverty and the "Bigger Business" for example—treated with shrewdness and insight. Miss Gale's work possesses in abundance that quality so many writers strive for and so few attain—that quality we call *humanity*. It is not merely that her people are real, that we feel as though we had known Calliope and Mir Toplay and Timothy and Silas Sykes and Mir Holcomb—that was Mame-Bliss "the last of her kind," we live in that they are—well, just folks! We like to hear about them, and we hope that Miss Gale will tell us some more stories of them and of Friendship Village.

CAPTAIN OF HIS SOUL

THE CAPTAIN OF HIS SOUL. By Henry James Forman. McBride, Neale & Co.

THE young man who comes fresh from college, full of more or less vague yet splendid ideals and aspirations, to earn his living in New York is by no means an unusual figure in fiction. Often, however, as he has been portrayed, the general picture of the man and his surroundings has rarely, if ever, been any better drawn than is this of Gilbert Spotswood and the persons and places he learned to know. The number of young men—and women, too—who have gone, and are now going, through experiences akin to his is legion; there is the long, dispiriting hunt for a job, when the college education won, in his case, in the face of so many obstacles, seems to have qualified him for nothing more the position of "make alterations"; the endless disappointments, the feeling of being "wretchedly and helplessly condemned to idleness." And then, when at last the job is obtained, when he becomes "the latest acquisition" of Scripps' Advertising Agency, instead of being able to do the newspaper or magazine work for which he had hoped, his chafing against circumstances, his attempt to write a story, the life of Danis, his feeling of inferiority to the other members of the little circle which presently becomes his—Mary Fairweather and Lucy Grove, both on the staff of the *Macabre Magazine*; Luther Tabard, who served on commission, possessed a multiplicity of interests, and was likely to rush off to the Balkans or to a momentary notice—as he is as the descriptions of honest, vulgar Scripps himself and his satellite, Seide.

These experiences form the first "Book" of the three into which Mr. Forman's very interesting novel is divided. For Gilbert does not remain long in the advertising business. There is a certain Clarence Coleman, a free lance in the battle of Wall Street, whose attention Gilbert Spotswood, the well-born, well-bred, well-educated Southerner presently attracts—possibly because he himself possesses none of these attributes. And in his train Gilbert enters another world, the world of slightly dubious financial operations. There he meets Ned Holroyd, who "was neither outcast nor Brahmin, yet something of both," and Mrs. Holroyd, herself connected by blood with some of the "Archbishops" as Mr. Forman calls them—the financial and social hierarchy of New York. It is this lady who introduces Gilbert to an especially futile section of New York society, which accepts him as it will always accept practically any presentable young man. And under the influence of these two Gilbert, who had once dreamed such magnificent dreams, joins the worshippers of the Golden Calf. There comes a moment when he sees himself clearly as "another Peer Gynt, seeking the unclean wealth and the princess of the subterranean troia," but it is soon over, and he sinks to a depth of spiritual degradation he never believed possible for him. So he lives in the

moral miasma which is Coleman's atmosphere until two great shocks, following swiftly upon one another, teach him some much-needed lessons. And when at last we leave him, he is in the enviable position of the man who has found and is doing his own appointed work.

The book is full of strongly contrasted characters and situations, all skilfully and admirably handled. The scenes of Gilbert's life shift from the extravagant little restaurant known as "Frisquita's" to the Savarin and Sherry's from Mrs. Holroyd's glittering ballroom to the police court, where he works as probation officer for the Prisoners' Rescue League. And the characters differ even more greatly than does their environment. There is Mary Fairweather, who represents the modern, self-supporting young woman at her best—we feel sorry for the person who does not love Mary!—full of intelligence and sympathy and understanding, neither proud nor Bohemian, capable of great friendship as well as of great love, entirely human and far from faultless. Mrs. Holroyd is somewhat the conventional staid, but Fran Schmidt and poor little Lucy are real and delightful. Next to Gilbert and Mary, the best portrayed character in the book is Coleman, the guerrilla financier. He is drawn at considerable length, with innumerable little touches which make of him a living, if not at all admirable, human being. And then there is Luther Tabard, whose mere handclasp was a help and an inspiration, who knew everybody, knowing—and most of the others.

Judging from the printed list, this, though not Mr. Forman's first book, is his first novel. Yet it has none of the usual defects of a first essay in fiction. The plot is excellently developed, the whole well and firmly handled. It is long, but not one whit too long for the amount of material; the style is clear and natural, with many clever and quotable bits; and there is a well-thought-out philosophy of life. "The Captain of His Soul" is a decidedly notable novel, and places its author at once in the ranks of those who have "made good" in fiction.

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every other individual in the novel. Ally is saved, saved in the one possible manner: given as much the victim of his own weakness as of Mary's duplicity and Mary's "way." It is impossible to feel any great sympathy for him, especially with the memory of the "red-headed little nurse" always in the background. And then, too, he is not quite so real as are the majority of Miss Sinclair's people. There is something reminiscent at once of Goss's "Lagado" and of "Wuthering Heights" in the grime and ruthlessness of this book. From the very first a terrible destiny seems visibly to hang over the gray stone vicarage. In that village which "creaked there, like a beaten thing, with its huddled houses, naked and blackened as if fire had passed over them," Gray and desolate, silent and secret and dark, it is a fit setting for the leprous horror of the drama which slowly, steadily unfolds itself. The image of death which Gwendolene sees in the long house at Uphorne is an appropriate symbol. And yet that long gray house at Uphorne was the one which ultimately sheltered happiness of a kind. Jim Greatorox was obliged to purchase his joy dearly, even though he did not grudge its cost. He is a complex character, this Jim Greatorox of the beautiful voice, the kind, the complex in the book. And, like them all, he is well and firmly handled, vivified with the utmost skill.

Miss Sinclair has lost none of her ability to analyze human motives, particularly those motives which people rarely acknowledge, even to themselves. She shows us her characters as they are and as they believe themselves to be—very different things, especially with the vicar and with Mary. She gives us, too, some fine pictures of the calm scenery, when Gwendolene, the inveterate walker and lover of out-of-doors, goes on her long tramps up from Morfe to where "Karva lowers its head and sinks back upon the moor," or where the flowering thorn-trees on Greffington Edge become white and beautiful in the moonlight. "The Three Sisters" is a powerful novel, written with both vigor and delicacy, dramatic, absorbingly interesting—and very painful.

ODDSFISH!

ODDSFISH! By Robert Hugh Benson. New York: Dodd, Mead & Co.

IT was of his excellent tale "Come Rack, Come Rope!" that Mr. Benson once said: "I fear it is the kind of book which any one acquainted with the history, manners, and customs of the Elizabethan age should find no difficulty in writing." Similarly modest, no doubt, would be his comment on "Oddsfish!" his latest novel, and to the world's sorrow, his last.

But historical knowledge, however extensive, will not by itself enable a writer to make the people of past ages seem to live again. Mr. Benson's study of the politics and social customs of England during the reign of Charles II. has given "Oddsfish!" accuracy, no doubt, but many a scholar has devoted to that period for a longer time a mind more specially trained in historical research.

No, it is not the author's acquaintance with history that makes "Oddsfish!" a notable book. It is his ability, never before more apparent, to infuse life into history, to recreate the loves, hates, and aspirations of a bygone time. To Mr. Benson there were, it seems, no great names of the Restoration that were merely great names; he combined with his historian's understanding the clairvoyance of the true novelist and the sympathy of the lover of mankind.

Therefore, even more than his other historical novels, "Oddsfish!" is a vivid, and, in the best sense of the word, a realistic work. Roger Mallock's account of his secret and important mission at the Court of Charles II., a mission which brought this monastically-bred young English gentleman into association with people of such tragic eminence as Dr. Titus Oates, the Duke of York, the Duchess of Portland, Lord Stafford, and Pope Innocent XI.—to name only a few—has about it a curious air of actuality. It is difficult for the reader of this enthralling romance to believe that it is after all a romance, that Roger Mallock was not as real a person as King Charles himself. The book gives, indeed, almost as clear and convincing a picture of the time as does the immortal diary of Mr. Samuel Pepys.

This is largely due, perhaps, to the fact that in writing historical novels

Mr. Benson had a method which is peculiarly effective, but is too daring and too exacting ever to be adopted generally by novelists. As a rule, the maker of a historical romance devotes most of his attention to the fictitious characters. He introduces the names of real personages sparingly, mentioning only episodes already so well known that the suggestion of them will give the reader a pleasant thrill of recognition. The famous men and women who appear in most historical novels are nothing but decorative backgrounds before which the creatures of the author's fancy disport themselves.

But no such obvious device appealed to Mr. Benson. In "Oddsfish!" there is, of course, much about Roger Mallock; who tells the story; his servant, his cousin, his sweetheart. But there is much more about Charles II., as King and as a man. In fact, that extraordinary monarch is the real hero of the book; we close "Oddsfish!" with the feeling that some magic hand has lifted the curtain of years and shown us England's "Merry Monarch" as he really was, has given us a more intimate knowledge of him than was possessed by most of his courtiers.

Mr. Benson's fame rests on foundations more solid than those of most delightful novel. But both those who knew him as a distinguished member of the high profession which claimed the last ten years of his too brief life, and those who knew him only as a man of letters, will rejoice that death did not take him before he had completed this most interesting tale, this splendidly vivid study of one of the most picturesque and dramatic periods of England's history.

BUT SHE MEANT WELL

BUT SHE MEANT WELL. By William Caine. New York: The John Lane Company. \$1.50.

TO be the heroine of a novel is a hard task for a five-year-old child. Generally she tries to live up to her position by wearing habitually a white muslin frock with a large pink sash, golden curls, and the cardinal virtues. If she is so fortunate as to be possessed of warring parents, she reconciles them; if not, she seeks out a young man and a young woman and embarrasses them into matrimony.

Hannah, however, is not a white muslin child. She is a good-natured child, obedient and intelligent enough for her age, but she wears a halo. And she is an entertaining child—to read about.

But Mr. Caine, her enthusiastic biographer, does not fill the reader with a yearning to adopt this vivacious infant. To see her for a few minutes, rolling her hoop through the Sternes' garden, or assisting Daniel to mend the pump, that is all very well. But there is a certain satisfaction in knowing that Hannah is safely shut between the covers of a book.

Not that she was a bad child. Her mother, who spent several eventful weeks as cook at the Sternes' country house, would be the first to deny that, and surely she ought to know. Nor could Mr. Reginald Sterne, the sensitive poet, question the excellence of Hannah's motives, although she set fire to the chimney, let the cows into the lawn, and burned up the precious manuscript of "Walpole, a Fragment." Nor could Miss Beatrice question the

goodness, the nobility of Hannah's intentions. And yet the least that she suffered from the small hands of that industrious child was the thorough blacking and polishing of her new white-kid shoes.

No, Hannah was not intentionally mischievous. She was eager to be helpful, and it so happened that all her attempts at kindness resulted disastrously for the intended beneficiaries. William Caine tells the story with characteristic sympathy and humor. He gives an air of reality to the little family group whose lives are for the time being governed by the whims of their cook's child, and he introduces with delicate skill a charming romance.

But the real plot of "But She Meant Well" does not depend upon Hubert's courtship of Beatrice. It depends upon that not unattractive and absolutely human philosophy about this book—that a suggestion, for it raises in the reader's mind certain questions as to whether or not, with grown people as with children, it is safe always to judge good by result. But those who dislike such problems need have no fear. "But She Meant Well" is first and last an entertainment. It is one of the most thoroughly amusing books to be given the public since "Hoffman's Chance" appeared. Mr. Caine meant well by his readers, and unlike those of his heroine his intentions have been delightfully accomplished.

NEIGHBORHOOD STORIES

NEIGHBORHOOD STORIES. By Ross Gals. With illustrations. The John Lane Company. \$1.50 net.

FRIENDSHIP VILLAGE is a long, long way from New York City, yet the two places have quite a number of things in common. Among them a municipal Christmas tree. So far as Friendship Village is concerned the idea sprang up in the fertile brain of our dear old friend Callopo Marsh—bless her!—that to have a single tree which would be "all of us" would be a fine thing. And so the great "cedar-of-Lebanon-looking" tree in the square was strung with lights and popcorn, and there was such a Christmas celebration as Friendship Village had never seen before. It was Callopo, too, assisted by her—and our old friend, Miss Toplady, who gave such an unexpected twist to Miss Sykes's carefully organized charity meeting—a twist which resulted in "Exit Charity." And though it was to circumstances rather than to Callopo that the breakdown of denominationalism related in "The Time Has Come" was due, she certainly took an important part in the proceedings.

Had it not been for Callopo, moreover, the Election Day when history is recorded in "The Face of Friendship Village" might have been exactly like its predecessors, with the men all holding fast to the party, even though that meant that they must have one of two worthless men for Mayor of Friendship Village during the following six months. But there was one man who saw it all from "up high," and who thus describes Friendship Village:

I keep seeing them skimming under me, little places whose names don't

show. And it always seems that way—like the family at breakfast—or working—or sitting around the arc lamp.

The keynote of the volume is struck here—"the family"; "the family" of Friendship Village or of the city to which Callopo presently goes to visit the cousin whom she immediately shocks by marching in the suffrage parade, joining those who "were marching in a big, peaceful army toward the place where the big new tasks of tomorrow are going to be."

Callopo is quite at home in that army and just as much at home helping the widowed Mrs. Fire Chief Merriman, who "does her mourning like she does her housework—thorough," to give "The Party" which had such an unexpected conclusion, or struggling with the rest of Friendship Village to save the poor little possessions of the dwellers on The Plains when "The Flood" came. It was she who so ably assisted Mrs. Holcomb in the unusual auction which made them all feel rested

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JOY AND BEAUTY

Books That Suggest a Hellenistic Revival

THE JOYFUL HEART. By Robert Haven Schauflier. New York: Houghton Mifflin Company, \$1.50.

ADVENTURES WHILE PREACHING THE GOSPEL OF BEAUTY. By Nicholas Vachell Lindsay. New York: Mitchell Kanenerly, \$1.

It may be said, that a preacher falls so deep in the love of the means of grace which he pronounces that he loses all sight of the end of salvation; many a John crying in the wilderness becomes so enamored of the joy of repentance that he forgets to what purpose he repents. It is a type of gospel just now new. For a hundred years reformers have not been so. They have had each a program, not for the individual, but for society, and the builder of society reformed cannot be overmuch concerned with immediate details; all too often he fixes his eyes on his distant goal and never troubles even to see if trains are running that day in such direction.

Now, however, there is some suggestion that the prophets of this age are falling off a little, and that we are swinging toward another extreme where interest centres in the individual and his pilgrimage Heaven knows whether, rather than in consummated Utopias where the "greatest good for the greatest number" is in full blast. Not for long has so much definite information been issued about the conduct of one's individual life; never has the reader of books been counselled upon so many details of his daily existence. What to eat, what to think, how to conserve energy, how to be happy, how to be calm, how to be successful—all with relation, not to society but to the individual and with emphasis on the manner of doing rather than the end to be achieved thereby. We are still a far distance from the generous spirit revived a century since by such noble individualists as Goethe and Schiller, as Wordsworth, yet it may be that we are already making an informal approach. If there is any new tendency it is surely in the line toward the Hellenistic revival, inevitably the product of an age of individualism. Some of our young poet-preachers seem to stand curiously half way in the process. There is Robert Haven Schauflier, who has just written 247 pages on Joy. One cannot well accuse him of conscious treachery to that order in which, as a promising young poet, he first commenced his labors; now and again there escapes from him the bitter regret that there should be men and women denied a fair share of the world's goods, crushed, wearied, beaten down by a merciless capitalistic class, but for all that, Mr. Schauflier, in this collection of essays in the *Joyful*, the life *joyful* emerges not as the prophet of the working class as formerly, but as a simple pure individualist, writing for individuals to most of whom the union card is unfamiliar.

To those he urges Joy for the sake of Joy, as far as we can determine; not boisterousness, nor yet hilarity of temper, but that exuberance which fills the heart of the saint; so that he sings "my cup runneth over." He proclaims Joy as the coming, all-involving, efficient spirit, and that is good. He denounces—and fittingly—the pale poets and anæmic aesthetes who, according to the courage of their conviction, consume opium and abstinence or talk about it. The "sick flowers of secrecy and shade, green buds of sorrow and sin"—these are already laid away in yesterday's herbarium. The modern poet is not a neurasthenic; he plays handball and tennis and carries all before him on the country club links. He has a glimmering of

that which Mr. Schauflier possesses as a triumphant, if partial, vision, the fine meaning of the word gymnastic as it was understood in the days of Pericles and Plato. The relation of physical and mental tension becomes more apparent, and the old "mens sana in corpore sano" takes on new life. Athens may yet be builded anew.

It is not worth our while nor Mr. Schauflier's to erect an opposition defense of melancholy, nor yet to point out certain considerations contradictory to a gospel of unmitigated Joy, such as the fact that even Greek genius was at times housed in an unruly body—Socrates, for example, was far overweight, and unless history be purely malicious, badgered by indignation. Mr. Schauflier's efforts are in the interests of health, of laughter, of buoyant energy, and such commendable labor should not be defeated for the sake of argument over mere incidentals. Yet the reader must needs have a disquieting sense that all is not here so healthy as it looks. The man who is overconscious of his Joy is no longer joyful; he who will be so spontaneous is lost. The surest indication of approaching anæmia is all too often preoccupation with vitality.

There is another poet, fellow to Mr. Schauflier, who can renew for him his rule of Joy in life. Mr. Nicholas Vachell Lindsay does not preach Joy; his gospel is the gospel of beauty, his "church of the open sky" is one that is a legacy of the Lake poet, though there have been considerable architectural alterations. "There has been as yet," writes Mr. Lindsay, "no accredited, accepted way for establishing beauty in the heart of the average American. Until such a way has been determined upon by a competent committee I must be pardoned for taking my own course and trying an experiment. I please." So he has taken under his arm a sheaf of doggers proclaiming this somewhat hazy gospel of beauty, together with "Rhymes to be footed through the countryside of Missouri and Kansas, stopping to recite poetry to farm hands, chop a little wood, and write the chronicles of his pilgrimage as an inconsequential and light-heartedly as he made it. And this chronicle, like much of Mr. Lindsay's verse, holds that elusive spirit which Mr. Schauflier pursues. Here is no searching analysis of spirit and no self-consciousness; here, on the contrary, are a string of intimate adventures picked up along the hot roadsteads, and incidents here is Joy itself. Here is health, though the "sick-sided hobby" admits of him in perpetual lead of catching cold. Here is a genuine, rooted love for fields and simple folk, for God and His birds, all informed by a prophet's realization of beauty. Here is swordsmanship and serenity, and a nice awareness to the unending comedy of life. Indeed, no one will grudge Mr. Lindsay his aspiration in his "Travels in the Jungles of Heaven."

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CHARLES SCRIBNER'S SONS

ALBANIA

ALBANIA. THE FOUNDING STATE OF EUROPE. By William Peacock, formerly private Secretary to H. B. M. Charge d'Affaires in Montenegro, and Consul General in North Albania. With numerous illustrations. New York: D. Appleton & Co., \$2.50.

WRITING before the present war, Mr. Peacock thought that the autonomous state of Albania, resulting from the Balkan wars, had at least a chance of proving a national success, despite its poverty of natural resources and the proximity of unscrupulous, ambitious neighbors.

Much of the hope for the future of the little kingdom, the author believes, lies in the fact that the Albanian, though a warrior and a man who prefers to go always armed, is a hard worker. He is a first-rate shepherd, a skilful agriculturist when he has the opportunity and the soil, while in the towns he excels as an artificer, armorer, and maker of fine stuffs.

Albania will have a hard time of it politically, thinks Mr. Peacock, "surrounded by Slavs on the north and east and by Greeks on the south," and he foresees that her neighbors "will do all

they can to strangle her with a view to that final partition" denied them after peace came in the Balkan war. The active friends of the new kingdom are declared to be Austria and Italy, both of which "look to her as their lever for keeping the balance of power in the Far East."

The natural and easiest step for Albania to take as a measure of protection, both from friends and foes, is to form an alliance with Greece. The Greeks and Albanians are the only non-Slavonic peoples south of the Danube, and they are outnumbered many times by the Slavs. Mr. Peacock thinks that if these two are to exist for another half century they must become allies under the protection of Europe.

In view of one phase of the present European war, this sentence is interesting:

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philosophy whose sententious principles are tucked in here and there by way of comment upon people and things. Happy Hawkins is "a right man" whom it is always a pleasure to meet on the trail or beside the campfire, or wherever he has time to unroll one of his wondrous yarns garnished with his mellow humor. The book has a frontispiece in color by George W. Gage.

"A Daughter of the Dons," (G. W. Dillingham Company, \$1.25,) by William McLeod Raine, is a conventionally conceived Western story of romance and adventure, which tells of the contest between a handsome young American and a lovely New Mexican girl of Spanish blood over the title to an estate of blood over the title to an estate of half a million acres, an old land grant in New Mexico. Most of the action takes place upon the estate, and, beginning with the rescue of the young man from drowning by the señorita before she knows who he is, goes on through many stirring events, in which both sides wage stern and uncompromising battle for the possession of the property. And in the end they come to such a good understanding that each side refuses to profit by the other's loss, and so the difficulty is settled by the marriage of the two contestants. It is illustrated by C. Hutchinson.

LIFE'S LURE

LIFE'S LURE. By John G. Neihardt. New York: Mitchell Kennerly. \$1.25.

JOHN G. NEIHARDT has not only lived among the "placer miners" in the Black Hills; he has been one of them himself. That is why he can bring a new force and a new tragedy to the time-worn tale of the search for gold. He writes of the life that he himself has lived. But in the telling of his story he goes back to something older than the gold mines of our Western States, a theme more "hackneyed" than that of the forty-niners or the men who came after them; the men and women of his novel follow the trail of the promise of gold; but they do that only because, through that, they are seeking something else. Their search is not for riches; it is for life, and life's vividness. The real tragedy, of "Life's Lure" is immemorial.

"Life's Lure" is relentlessly ugly. Its bits of humor are grim things. Its portraits are heartbreaking when they are not ugly, too. It is one of the books that some readers will call "depressing" and some "realistic," and that another group will denounce as "morbid" because it deals so nakedly with brutal and tragic facts of brutal and tragic kind of life. "Morbid," of course, it is not. But Mr. Neihardt knows the life of which he writes, and makes it live before us; and "depressing" the book often is. There is a sketchiness in the telling of the story—or rather, the several stories that make up the novel; there are unexpected weaknesses here and there; but "Life's Lure" is a series of unforgettable pictures of men and women and places.

The story is of the adventures of Sam Drake in search of a fortune. The author is purposeful vague about the way in which his hero has "gone through" several hundred thousand dollars, left his charming and pleasure-loving wife

behind him in New York, and gone off in search of gold in the Black Hills. Just why Drake should have taken this means of seeking "the end of the rainbow" is never very clear, nor is it plain just how his young wife should be able to ask for an "increased allowance" for a new opera cloak from Paris and complain of the difficulty of paying her French maid, in answer to the letter her husband wrote her when he possessed something less than \$2 in the world, and a friend's loan had just saved him from suicide. These things are weaknesses. Drake himself is unsatisfactory as a hero and as a human person; he is of value as the screen upon which the author throws his pictures. It is the pictures that count.

And the pictures are of the mining camps in the hills, of the motherly lodging-house keeper, of the New England farmer laid who clung so desperately to the hope of retrieving the mistake he had made in leaving home, of "Placer Nell," whom one man believed to be all that was good, of Louis Devlin, the gambler. Drake comes among these people, lives their life, is overwhelmed by a life tragedy. The book has its "triangle plot," its false friend, its foolish woman, and weak man. It has another love story—the sorry "romance" of the New England boy and the girl of the camp that is sadder still. It boasts no lightness, no happy solution. It is a merciless picture of a merciless life—a merciless life that is alluring still.

VALLEY OF A THOUSAND HILLS

VALLEY OF A THOUSAND HILLS. By F. E. Mills Young. New York: John Lane Company. \$1.30.

MISS MILLS YOUNG's new novel of South Africa is less a story than a situation. Given a generous-hearted colonist from England, a rascally young millionaire, a beautiful Boer girl, and the varied trouble of the South African labor background, the plot of a story is not so much a question of what develops as of what exists. Not very much really happens in "Valley of a Thousand Hills"; not many incidents follow each other, or grow out of each other. Two men love the same woman. Another woman, older and less wise, is there to complicate matters for them both. And the problem of Kaffir and Hindu arouses disturbance that proves both men.

Alleta Van Der Vyver, daughter of a rich Boer farmer, thinks that she loves Harold Johnson because he is there. When Anthony Heckraft arrives from England, Alleta discovers that she does not love Johnson, not because of anything that happens, but because Heckraft, too, is there. The story has its incident, of course—incident in the part played by Mr. and Mrs. Gommert in the working out of Alleta's romance, and such excitement in the misadventures that befell Heckraft through Johnson's labor disputes. But the gist of the whole tale lies in its situation alone. This is a picture of two men and one woman and a valley in South Africa. The love-story would have worked itself out to a "happy" conclusion, inevitably, if nothing had ever "happened" at all.

Compared with such South African stories as those of Miss Cynthia Stockley, for example, Miss Mills Young's novel is a very sentimental and uneventful sort of tale. Here is none of the strangeness of the veldt, the intensity of personal living, the nakedness of human passion, and the eagerness of human thought that have marked various other stories of the colonists in the

little-known continent. Miss Young offers, except in actual description of place and people, little of "local color," and almost nothing that may be called "atmosphere." Her labor uprising is, of course, a piece out of South African life. But except for such definite recordings, "Valley of a Thousand Hills" is not essentially a story of any one part of the world. It is a story of a group of people, a pleasing, well-told, and mildly interesting romance.

BEASTS AND SUPER-BEASTS

BEASTS AND SUPER-BEASTS. By H. H. Munroe. ("Baki.") New York: John Lane Company. \$1.25.

"Beasts and Super-Beasts" is a collection of amusing stories, most of them brief flings at the "upper social stratum" of Great Britain, which have appeared in various magazines in England, and are new to the reading public here. It is really necessary to state in the first place that the stories are English, because of the peculiar ambiguity of the principal word in the title. We all of us remember our odd little story in that wonderful first chapter of "The Dark Flower" in reading that young Lennon put his hand in his pocket and took out "a beast." To us in America a "beast" is not something that can be put in a college boy's pocket; a "beast" is a large, generally ferocious, and almost always unpleasant animal which we associate with tropical travelers' tales and with menageries. To the author of these humorous sketches a *beast* is a beast; so is a horse; so is a *beard*. To the English mind a "beast" is any kind of an animal.

And these are stories of animals and people. Some of them are tales of sport-loving Britons who went in for private menageries, and some of equally sport-loving folk who owned prize horses, and some of the troubles that beset country people in their efforts to hold together magnificent herds. Some of the stories are not of animals at all, but are simply funny pictures of funny men and women and naughty, adorable children. Almost without exception the brief tales are amusing things, even when they are not strictly "tales"; at all, but merely bits of sarcastic conversation.

There are thirty-six stories in the book, and almost all are satires. "Baki" thrusts out at all pretenders, whether, as in "The She-Wolf," pretenders to expert knowledge, or, as in "The Schartz-Metterkume Method," pretenders from among the ranks of the newly rich. "Down Poole" is a delightful fling at givers of holiday gifts and pretenders to gratitude. "Duak" has some grimness in the midst of its fun. In "Laura" the author strays into bad taste, but in "Cousin Teresa" he reaches almost a "tragic irony." One and all, the sketches are "smart"—which is obviously all that the author meant them to be.

NIGHT WATCHES

NIGHT WATCHES. By W. W. Jacobs. Illustrated by Stanley Davis. Charles Scribner's Sons. New York. \$1.25.

Mr. Jacobs's stories are of that "good wine" which "needs no bush." His

public is sure to fall upon each new volume with cries of joy. Save for the gruesome tale of the "Three Sisters," all the "Night Watches" are told in genial vein, with a humorous twinkle of the narrator's eye. As the title imports, the stories are mostly of the night, and concern, as is usual with Mr. Jacobs, seamen, longshoremen, and people of sea towns, a philosophical night watchman being much to the fore. It is noteworthy that in specially early tale the woman in the case gets the better of blundering man, and that, not by militant, but by essentially feminine methods. The reader especially rejoices in the triumph of "The Weaker Vessel," pleasing the terms of "Uncle George's" bequest, which made it possible. If many English husbands are built upon the lines of "Mr. Gribble," the female of the species is to be excused for any amount of desecration. A humorist of Mr. Jacobs's quality is a boon at any time, but in these days of darkness one peculiarly welcomes the smile that cannot fail to respond to his clever whimsies.

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"The Right of the Strongest" was such an exceptionally good first novel that perhaps we ought not to be surprised that this new book by Frances Nimmo Greene does not attain an equally high rank. "One Clear Call" is an interesting story; it has several very human, very real characters, and an ably presented and sympathetic hero in the person of Mr. Alan Hamilton. But it is upon another man, Henry Garnett, that the plot of the novel turns, and Henry Garnett, to use a phrase for which one feels almost obliged to apologize, is not convincing. That in spite of fine opportunities, splendid traditions, sufficient money and a loving and lovable mother, a man should go wrong as Henry Garnett went wrong, is of course perfectly conceivable; that knowing himself doomed he should attempt some sort of restitution is also conceivable; but that he should prove himself one of whom a really fine man could sincerely say, "His spirit has passed mine by and gone beyond me forever" is not. The betrayer of practically every trust, the keeper of the infamous Empire Building, the man who for twenty years had led a thoroughly evil life—it is hardly possible to believe in his generosity and chivalry. Had he come up from evil surroundings, yes; had he been of those who never have a fair chance, yes; but not under the related circumstances.

With this single and great exception, the book is well done. Life in the little Alabama town is cleverly portrayed, the fast spreading gossip which so rarely destroys Alan Hamilton is natural, and he himself, with his quick sympathies and ready offer of a helping hand, is a fine and true picture of the man of his splendid profession. And then there is his goodness to poor, blind Mrs. Garnett, Henry's mother, who sat at her balcony and listened to the footsteps of the man who had betrayed her. The old man, who had been so long a part of his splendid profession. And then there is his goodness to poor, blind Mrs. Garnett, Henry's mother, who sat at her balcony and listened to the footsteps of the man who had betrayed her. The old man, who had been so long a part of his splendid profession.

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MR. HAYES was a type of American citizen, soldier, statesman that his countrymen may well regard with pride and with gratitude. His character was pure, his aims were high, his service to his country was of very great value. His talents were not brilliant. He had not the gift of telling expression by word or pen; he was modest, and while in some grave crises he did lead and lead truly, firmly, and successfully, he had not the temperament of a leader, nor had he the leader's ambition. The impression most men who recall his career—and they are a small minority of Americans of today—have of him is probably that of a commonplace man. To those who know him well or will take the trouble to study his rather over-minute history of his career, it must seem that a republic is happy indeed in which such sterling virtues, such fidelity to duty, such ability and sagacity in the discharge of duty are really common.

For the perpetuation, even for the establishment of Mr. Hayes's true reputation, it is in some ways a pity that this authoritative account of his life should be, as we have said, over-minute. Two volumes of more than a thousand large and closely printed pages, with masses of notes, are not for general circulation. They are for libraries and for relatively small numbers of readers, held to their perusal, and sustained in it, by some form of personal interest. And this is the more obvious when we note that only some two hundred pages of the thousand are devoted to the four years of Mr. Hayes's Administration. But while the bulk of the work must needs limit the number of readers, it is due to its author, Mr. Charles Richard Williams, to say that it is written clearly, in excellent order, and in an admirable spirit. Mr. Williams says that he has meant to "allow Mr. Hayes to speak for himself," and he has done so. We quote, also, a statement in the preface that bears directly on the most exciting chapter in Mr. Hayes's experience.

I approached my work with many misgivings and prejudices, being by inheritance, by early training, and by conviction, of the Democratic faith. I had hastily accepted, without investigation or reflection, the common Democratic assumptions regarding the disputed election. As the result of my prolonged studies I have no hesitation in affirming my conviction, first, that under the Constitution the decision of the Electoral Commission was the only possible decision; second, that the decision was not only legally right and sound, and essential to the preservation of the integrity of State authority, but that it was in accord with the eternal equities of the situation, and, third, that Mr. Hayes's large wisdom of adminis-

tration was vastly more beneficial to the South, to the peace and reconciliation of the country, than any course of conduct that can reasonably be thought of as possible to Mr. Tilden could have been.

Such a judgment from the late editor of The Indianapolis News—a vigorous journalist and accomplished and trained historian as well—must carry weight.

Mr. Hayes's part in the public life of the nation consisted of four years' service in the Union Army, two terms in Congress immediately after the close of the war, and his term as President from 1877 to 1881. He was also elected three times Governor of Ohio, and his conduct of the Executive office, with his firm and courageous stand for sound finance and political purity in his canvases for his third term—an unprecedented event in Ohio politics—led to his nomination for the Presidency. His record in active military service was, entering it as he did without training, a brilliant one. Each stage in his promotion, from Major to Brevet-Major General, was for gallant and efficient service. His personal daring and hardihood were extraordinary and were always coupled with cool and ready judgment, quick perception, and prompt action, and wounds or suffering or hardship never quelled his cheerful devotion. One searches his voluminous correspondence in vain for a querulous note. Throughout his trying and perilous service the war was to him always the call to a serious duty, but it was also to use a favorite word of his—a "jolly" adventure.

He met the exigencies of his remarkable political career in much the same spirit. Mr. Williams's Life brings out clearly three extremely valuable services to the welfare and advancement of his country rendered in a time of great perplexity and confusion. First, as we have noted, in his canvasses for Governor in Ohio he advanced bold and high the standard of sound and honest currency. He defeated before the people in succession, Pendleton, Allen, and Thurman, two inflationists and one trimmer, and thus proved to the halting leaders at Washington that honesty was, in every sense, the best policy. And a President, though he was unable to defeat the virtual repudiation involved in the Bland Silver bill, he vetoed it, and stood and strengthened the popular resistance to its insidious principle. Had he surrendered to it, the country would undoubtedly have plunged from virtual to actual repudiation, and to incalculable disaster and shame. He also vetoes the repeal of the Specie Resumption act,

without which a gold basis would have been long deferred.

Second, Mr. Hayes established a policy of reconciliation in the South, by withholding military support from the disputed Governments in Louisiana and South Carolina, limiting the use of the army to the preservation of order in all the South, and he put an able and loyal ex-Confederate in his Cabinet. This was a policy that demanded rare courage. It gave his opponents in his own party a powerful weapon, but he never flinched. It truly may be said that from his Administration reunion in fact and in spirit between the North and the South—the most wonderful change in the history of civil war known to the world—began.

Third, Mr. Hayes made the first earnest and systematic fight against the spoils system and in behalf of an honest, efficient Federal service independent of party politics. It was a desperate struggle against an evil almost as deep-rooted as slavery, and more pervasive. It was waged against the most powerful politicians of his party, in league with the politicians of the opposition. He exhausted every ounce of authority and influence the Executive possessed to abolish patronage and to enforce the right of the whole people to the best service attainable. He cleaned out the New York Custom House, the fountainhead of spoils despotism and corruption, and he backed Gen. Schurz in the Interior Department in setting the supreme example of absolute adherence to merit and merit only as a claim to appointment, retention, or promotion. He sought unflinchingly, though in vain, to secure by legislation the formal and permanent organization of the merit system, and thus he did amid a steady storm of slander, misrepresentation, and animosity, open or covert, which no more intimidated or turned him aside than did the enemy's bullets in the heroic charge at Opequan.

It would be interesting, but, perhaps, not very profitable, to inquire why a man who rendered such service to his country has never been regarded as "great," has indeed fallen into relative obscurity. Doubtless the number and bitterness of his enemies counted in the process. But more than their influence, perhaps, is the fact that Mr. Hayes never thought of himself as great, and took each of the signal tasks that fell to him quietly as a part of the day's work for a citizen who happened to be assigned to them. All the more, as we began by saying, he was a type that his countrymen may well regard with pride and with gratitude.

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TOPICS OF THE WEEK

IF for nothing else this publishing season will be remembered for the complete demonstration it has given of the rapidity with which books can be written, printed, and circulated. The European war is not much more than three months old, yet the books devoted to certain phases of the war, written necessarily since the early part of August, are commencing, through sheer weight of numbers, to vie with some of the regular and deservedly popular departments of literature. A complete bibliography of the "war books" that have appeared during these three months would comprise, indeed, a formidable list of titles—a list from which the names of few if any publishing houses would be missing. So far these books are in the main controversial in character, attempts to justify or to condemn the course pursued by one or the other of the nations involved in the conflict. This controversial aspect of the Battle of the Books will doubtless give way gradually, as it is already showing signs of doing, to publications of a more informative character. Descriptions of the armies and nations engaged in the war are more in evidence than at first, and books giving incidents of the actual fighting are already making their appearance. These are made up largely of "letters from the front"—not letters written by newspaper correspondents, but the home letters written by the soldiers themselves and not designed originally for publication. Two of these collections have already appeared—"Atkins at War, as Told in His Own Letters," by JAMES A. KIRKPATRICK, and "In the Firing Line: Stories of the War by Land and Sea," by A. ST. JOHN ADOCK. They are filled with extracts redolent of camp life, like the following:

Our fellows have signed the pledge because KIRKPATRICK wants them to. But they all say, "Gee help

the Germans, when we get hold of them, for making us testical."

Books of this sort are necessarily unique in their way, and are evidently, judging by the enthusiasm with which they are welcomed by the English reviewers, destined to become increasingly popular. Heretofore such books have made their appearance after the close of the war that they chronicle in this delightfully unconventional manner. That they are being published now may be taken as an indication that when the war is over the Battle of the Books will cease also.

IN spite of this temporary ascendancy of the "War Book" English reviewers are pointing to Sir GEORGE OTTO TREVILYAN's final volume of "George the Third and Charles Fox" as the "outstanding historical work of the season." That it will be so regarded in this country is not unlikely. TREVILYAN's work deals, of course, with the American Revolution and narrows more of the details of events taking place in England during that period than have usually found their way into our histories. He writes frankly as a Whig, and views the mistakes and perils into which the English Government blundered under GEORGE III. from the standpoint of the Opposition party in the House of Commons. From his way of looking at things it is natural enough that the American reader will frequently dissent. But aside from his occasional and inevitable partisanship, his history is an excellent contribution to an understanding of the Revolutionary period and is particularly welcome just now.

AMONG the literary "discoveries" of recent years one is tempted to include SAMUEL BUTLER. During his lifetime the author of "Erewhon" and "The Way of All Flesh" attracted little attention. As a writer of fiction he was too prone to satire to be popular; as a writer on science he was too much of a reactionary to appeal to the scientist of his day. "Erewhon" is ostensibly a romance; in reality it is an attack on the Darwinian theory and conventional religion. It was skillfully written and adorned with a fine measure of imagination. When it appeared, however, forty years ago, Darwinism occupied a sort of sacrosanct eminence in the thought of the day, and the discussion of religious problems had scarcely reached the lengths that it has since then. The indifference with which BUTLER was treated by his contemporaries is not, therefore, to be wondered at. His posthumous novel, however, "The Way of All Flesh," published in 1903, a year after his death, is probably responsible for the awakened interest in this versatile writer of the last century whose growing popularity is evidenced in the multiplying editions of his works in this country and in England, together with the posthumous publication of his letters and notebooks, that last and extremely doubtful tribute to a departed genius. Curiously enough, BUTLER's anti-Darwinism does not seem to be particularly foreign to the existing tendency among scientists. He merely protested that DARWIN overemphasized the importance of the struggle for existence in the evolution of species, and contended that, by comparison, there was a good deal of truth to be found in the pages of LAMARCK and ERASMUS DARWIN. The bitterness of the old controversy has long since passed away, and the less belligerent attitude on the part of science as well as of religion gains for BUTLER a more patient hearing. He was content with the obscurity that was his while he lived. He wished "to be let alone and not plagued with the people who would come around me if I were known." But he wished for a post-

humous success for his books, and his wish seems to have been granted.

IT is frequently the case in literature, as in other activities of human life, that a lack of success is attributed to popular inappreciation, and not to a cause that may be quite as active, although less plausible. A good book is published—and it doesn't sell. The reviewers find no fault with it, the publishers advertise it; but the popularity that both author and publisher hoped for it is not achieved. The explanation for its failure is variously given. The public no longer reads books, we are told; the season is a bad one, or this particular book, although excellent in its field, does not happen to hit the prevalent literary taste. The last reason is undoubtedly valid in the case of more than one good book. In fiction, for instance, the public may become satiated after a long diet of highly imaginative romance, and exact of its entertainers stories of an unflinching type of realism. In the face of such a demand, it would be manifestly difficult to dispose of the fanciful tales of a Radcliffe, and even a Waverley might fail to gain an audience. There is no doubt, therefore, that an ignorance of the literary tendency of the day on the part either of publisher or author is responsible for the failure of a number of otherwise excellent books every season. As for the complaint, made periodically ever since printing was invented, that the public no longer reads books—that people nowadays are so absorbed in frivolities of various kinds that they have no time for literature—there is little evidence to uphold it. The fact that more books are published now than ever before is conclusive proof that the public does read books. Given the right kind of book, the book that answers some need of the day, there is every reason to anticipate its success.

IN this matter of the success or failure of a good book there is more to be considered than the latter's ability to appeal to the popular taste. Instances are not lacking of books that apparently fulfill all the conditions that make for success, and that nevertheless fail to achieve it. Who is to blame? The public wants the book, but doesn't buy it; the publishers do all they can for it—that is, they take proper pains with its printing and binding and they advertise it extensively—and still it remains unsought on their shelves. Failure in such cases is unquestionably difficult to explain. It may be, however, that the "extensive advertising" given to the book has not always been efficiently done. Advertising is an art that is not easily mastered. An advertisement filled with closely printed lists, either of books or of anything else salable, is not likely to arrest the attention of the reader to such a degree as the advertisement that does not attempt to enforce more than one thing at a time—but enforces that one thing cleverly. Typography, as well as judicious phrasing, is a matter of vital concern in the publisher's formal presentation of his book. Such an advertisement, for instance, as was published by CHARLES SCRIBNER'S Sons in last week's NEW YORK TIMES REVIEW OF BOOKS, seemed to touch quite the ideal of efficient book advertising. It is safe to say that every reader of that number of THE BOOK REVIEW informed him or her self of the particulars regarding the publication of Mr. Wharton's books. But the same announcement, if presented differently as to phrasing and typography, might have failed altogether in its intended purpose. No amount of skillful advertising will insure the success of a bad book. But a good book often times de-

pends for its future not so much on the extent as the efficiency with which its publisher presents it to the public.

IN A FEW WORDS

NICHOLAS VACHEL LINDSAY has been spending a busy fortnight in New York where he has read from his poems before a number of audiences, among them the congregation of Rabbi Stephen S. Wise. He recently spoke before several hundred business men of Cleveland; next week he will recite for the Illinois State Federation of Women's Clubs, and afterward will address the Drama League at Chicago.

Among English authors, William J. Locke has taken a number of wounded soldiers into his home and H. de Vere Stacpoole is doing Red Cross work.

Julian Street's little masterpiece of humor, "The Head of Change," has just celebrated its fifth anniversary with a thirtieth edition nearly illustrated by James Montgomery Flagg.

Amfrose Boreas, who started to Mexico last Fall for the purpose of gathering material for war stories, disappeared when he reached Laredo, Texas, and no word has been heard from him since last November.

Kathleen Norris's "Saturday's Child" has made a record of a new printing for each week since its publication.

Appropos of New York's celebration of its tercentenary is the remark of Thomas A. Janvier in "The Dutch Founding of New York" that "an archangel would have had his work cut out for him had he tried to govern at once wisely and acceptably the haughty, greedy, law-defying Dutchmen of New Netherlands."

Cyril Harecourt, who is appearing at the Little Theatre in his own play, "A Pair of Six Stockings," is revising the proofs of a novel to be called "First Cousin to a Dream," which the John Lane Company will publish.

James Bryce's "Neutral Nations and the War" has been translated and published in all papers of consequence in Switzerland, and it is proposed to distribute the book in Swiss schools to read in their latter terms.

Dr. Hendrick Willem van Loon, whose work on "The Rise of the Dutch Kingdom" was to have appeared this Fall, left this country on the opening of the war in order to offer his services to his native Holland if his country should be involved. By reason of his absence publication of the book has been postponed until Spring.

Word has been received from Joseph Conrad, for whose safety in Poland his friends entertained much fear, that he is living in a small town in the Polish mountains, where he is hard at work on his new novel, "The Big Rescue."

Cenababy Dawson learned while in London, from a son of George Meredith, that the counterpane of the army of the Allies in France on the day when the British troops turned the German flank and saved Paris was "Jeanne d'Arc."

William Lynde Phelps records in his new volume, "Essays on Books," that Paul Heyse once said to him that, having always heard so much about Mark Twain's humor, he had read "with the most conscientious attention every word of 'Huckleberry Finn.'" And he added, "I never laughed once. I found absolutely not a funny thing in the book."

Allice Hegan Rice's "Mrs. Wiggs," thirteen years old, is still selling at the rate of over a thousand per month.

Miss S. McNaughton, the English novelist, author of "The Fortunes of Christina Melville" and number of other stories, is doing field work with the Red Cross in Belgium, where she is often under fire. Similar work during the Boer war brought her a decoration from the government.

The Rev. J. Withrop Hegeman, author of "Must Protestantism Adopt Christian Science?" was Variety pitcher during his college days, and since being graduated from Princeton Theological Seminary has organized churches and Sunday schools in Northern Wisconsin and studied the problems of the poorest student districts in New York and London.

FOR YOUNG PEOPLE

Books of Varied Interest as
Holidays Approach

NOW isn't this an attractive combination? "Hans Andersen's Fairy Tales," illustrated by Louis Read, with an introduction by W. D. Howells, (Harpers, \$1.50). There is never much to say about these fairy tales, for both big people and little people know and love them. Mr. Howells says that in his introduction, which speaks warmly of his own appreciation. The pictures in the book are, of course, charming. The frontispiece is a portrait of Hans Christian Andersen himself, with his kind, good, ugly face set in decorative margins. There are full-page pictures, but the head and tail pieces at the beginnings and ends of the chapters are almost more interesting.

Quite new and very interesting are "Black Tales for White Children," (Houghton Mifflin Company, \$1.50). These are mystery stories of a dark people, African and Arab, Swahili tales, which have been translated and arranged by Capt. C. H. Stigand, Swahili interpreter, and by Mrs. Conant. They are the stories handed down by word of mouth from generation to generation, which the mothers tell their children before the village fires at night and the travelers tell before campfires. The very black and very white pictures by John Margrave are most interesting and picturesque. They are in full pages and run all over the margins, quaint little black and white realistic animals. On the margin is the cat which "grew and grew," at the side of the chapter which tells the story. There are seven cats' heads, one above the other, the first at the bottom of the page, a tiny little head, and it "grew and grew," and at the top the seventh head is quite a big one. On the margin at the bottom are ink-black little cat footprints. It is all very well worth while.

"The Fairy Book," containing "the best popular fairy tales selected and rendered anew," by Mrs. Conant, author of "John Halifax, Gentleman," (Sully & Kleinfelder), is a large volume with many beautiful colored pictures and nice little black and white head pieces to the chapters. It is an excellent collection of stories, and one has only to see the picture of Tom Thumb as a gallant knight, riding a large caparisoned mouse which the big cat, with green eyes and a purple ribbon around its neck, captures to know how fine they are. Different artists have done the illustrations. It is an "edition de luxe," and there is a red cover.

Two handsome books of the same publishers are "Florence Nightingale," a biography by Annie Matheson, written for young readers, but equally interesting for all, and "A Book of Palestine for Boys and Girls," by Richard Panlake. The illustrations in the former book show Miss Nightingale's beautiful English home, and there are many portraits of the women who did so much for nursing and for the soldier in the Crimean war. The title of the second volume explains itself. There are many line drawings in the text illustrating life in Jerusalem, with maps. The full page colored pictures are good. A thick, meaty volume, with stories of the Norsemen, as "Sons of the Sea Kings," by Alice and W. H. Miligan, (Longmans, Green & Co., \$2). "The Jolly Book of Boys and Girls," by Patten Deard, (F. A. Stokes Co., \$1.35), is an explicit volume of instructions for making everything that a doll family or community might need in living the modern, civilized life. The materials required are cardboard boxes, paste, scissors, crayons or water colors, with perhaps a ruler and a pencil. There are sixty-eight photographic illustrations of houses, garages, circuses, theatres, windmills—even an apartment house, made by the author, and there are twenty-three working diagrams. The frontispiece is a picture of a paste-board town, "Beville."

Here are a handful of English books, (Lippincott, Philadelphia). "Tiddly Lester's School-days," (\$1.25) by John Finnemore, is a typical English school-boy story. There is much excitement including burglars, and the book winds up with a Marathon race. There is more excitement of a more exciting kind in "Sons of the Sea," a Sea-Scouting story, by Christopher Beck, (\$1), which is check full of adventures. Four girls books are: "Jo Maxwell, Schoolgirl," by Lizzie C. Reid, (\$1), "Rosaly's New

School," by Elsie Oxenham, (\$1.25); "Moll Meredyth, Madcap," the scene of which is laid in India, by Mary Baldwin, (\$1.25); and "A Band of Mirth," by L. T. Meade, (\$1.25).

A half dozen good American books (W. A. Wilde Company) are in companion editions: "Beth's Wonder," by Marion Ames Taggart, tells the experience of a nice little girl visiting wealthy cousins in New York, (\$1.25); there are very interesting times in "Elizabeth, Betty and Beth, Schoolmates," by Amy E. Blanchard, \$1, as are "Boy Scouts in the White Mountains," by Walter P. Eaton; "In Camp at Fort Brady, a Camping Story," by Lewis Edwin Theiss, and "Cinders, the Young Apprentice of the Steel Mills," by Hugh C. Weir.

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An unusual boy's story, which has to do with inland countries, is "The Story of a White-Haired Boy," by Homer Greene, (Houghton Mifflin Company, \$1.25). A couple of Indian stories of the Alamo Series, by Edward S. Ellis are "The Little Arrow" and "Remember the Alamo," (John C. Winston Company, 50 cents each).

INSECT LIFE

INSECTS Their Life Stories and Habits. By Frederick A. Bastin. Illustrated. New York: Frederick A. Bastin Company.

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As for "Rosalind," that is whimsically free of sadness, the very pretense at it being the merriest part of all. In this little play age and youth play tag while the lover and the woman look on; one of those Barrie women that have a touch of his mother, Mar-

garet Ogilvie, as we know her from his best book. Once when Sir Walter Scott, searching for the ballads that were to go into his book of Border Minstrelsy, asked an old Highland dame to sing him one she was reported to recollect, she refused, saying the song was meant for singing to the lute—being put into print died. That is apt to be true of women, too. But Barrie knows how to put them into print and keep them alive.

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The Inner Life

A little book, entitled "Love, Home, and the Inner Life," contains an assemblage of pious and sentimental paragraphs, some of which are taken from and originally published in American magazines and religious periodicals. The book is small, with a plain frontispiece in colors that reproduces a drawing by Spencer Perceval, of a school-teacher at Stokes Company, 60 cents.

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THE GREAT WAR: The First Phase, (From the Armistice to the Peace of Antwerp) By Frank H. Simonds. New York: Mitchell Kennerly.

LIBERTY: A Statement of the British Case By Arnold Bennett. New York: George H. Doran Company.

THE REAL "TRUTH ABOUT GERMANY" FROM THE ENGLISH POINT OF VIEW. By Douglas Sladen, author of "East and the English," &c. With an appendix, Great Britain and the War. By A. Maurice Low, M. A., author of "The American People," &c. New York and London: O. T. Putnam's Sons.

GERMANY'S FIGHTING MACHINE. With many illustrations. By Ernest F. Henderson, author of "Short History of Germany," &c. Indianapolis: The Bobbs-Merrill Company. \$1.25.

THE GREAT CRIME OF 1914: A Plea for Peace. By Ernest F. Henderson, author of "Short History of Germany," &c. New York: The Knickerbocker Press, (G. F. Putnam's Sons).

MR. SIMONDS'S book is a clearly written—in many places, an illuminating—account of what he terms the first phase of the war, the period up to the taking of Antwerp. The author not only is a recorder of facts, but an explainer of them, and he shows the reasons for and the larger effects of various bits of strategy which have tended to confuse the ordinary reader of the dispatches which have appeared in the newspapers.

Mr. Simonds marshals his facts and explanations in regard to one series of happenings so that they throw light on other series of happenings; he translates into a word picture, so that all can understand, the sometimes mysterious, often perplexing, movements of armies; he throws much illumination upon the battling millions of Europe that the aims and methods of strategists and tacticians become very much less foggy to the average American mind.

Many of the chapters were first written as editorial articles for *The Evening Sun*, but other chapters have been added, while the original articles, in taking their places as chapters in a logically unfolded account of the war, have been revised and supplemented.

In considering the causes of the war, Mr. Simonds sees that the most serious phase of the days immediately preceding the cannon shots was the fact that national prestige was involved—not the prestige of one nation, but the prestige of the two great groups of Europe. The author writes:

The worst phase of the July crisis was that neither Alliance nor Entente could now escape war without tremendous loss of prestige. The challenge of Austria had been made in such fashion that it left Russia no choice between war and dishonor. The German official utterance gave the thing the value of an issue between the Triple Alliance and the Triple Entente.

Of Gen. Joffre's strategy in the great retreat Mr. Simonds says:

All Northern France had to be abandoned to the Germans. Such a strategy presupposed a strong man as commander and a confident nation, utterly willing to abide by the consequences of its military chief's plans. . . . Joffre was permitted to work out his problem undisturbed by any political considerations. The answer to France to German strategy was very apparent, a retreat to a selected position—a battle with every chance in favor of the Allies, after three weeks which brought the Russians up and compelled the Germans to weaken their line in France to save the eastern frontier. It was the calculation of a strong man, who trusted his nation and his Government, but neither the nation nor the General had been unworthy of such confidence, and both were now to be abundantly rewarded.

Mr. Bennett's brief book is a statement of the British belief that they are fighting for the very life of the nation against a German machine which seeks to crush them. The author thinks that, if England falls, the United States will probably be the next nation to be attacked.

The author refers, as showing the trend of at least some of the military minds of Germany, to a memorandum written by Gen. von Edelsheim of the General Staff of the army, as to the proper way to conduct the United States. Mr. Bennett says that von Edelsheim began by stating that Germany cannot meekly submit to "the attacks of the United States" forever, and that she must ask herself how she can "impose her will." Von Edelsheim is quoted as saying that a combined action of army and navy will be required, and that about four weeks after the commencement of hostilities German transports could begin to land large bodies of troops at different points simultaneously. The German authority is further quoted to this effect:

By interrupting their communica-

tions, by destroying all buildings serving the State, commerce and defenses, by taking away all material for war and transport, and, lastly, by levying heavy contributions, we should be able to inflict damage on the United States.

Mr. Bennett thinks that the father of the present war was the "grandiose military legacy" of Germany, while "its mother was the fecundity of the Russian peasant."

Mr. Sladen's book is a reply to a monograph, "The Truth About Germany," recently issued in Germany in English for American distribution, and edited under the authority of a committee of prominent Germans. Mr. Sladen takes up the German argument point by point, and answers it from the English view.

It was felt in England that the monograph contained so many misstatements on essential points that it was important that it be analyzed and replied to in detail. This is the work which has been ably done by Mr. Sladen. The volume is stated by the publishers to be the only publication which contains in book form the full text of this German appeal to American opinion.

"Germany's Fighting Machine" is what its title indicates—a description of the military and naval forces upon which the Kaiser relies for victory in the present contest. Some of the photographs of manoeuvres are highly interesting.

Mr. Franklin's "The Great Crime of 1914" is an argument for peace and a discussion of the folly and wickedness of war. For the present conflict he finds "no real reason" at all.

BOOKS WORTH READING

IN an illustrated volume entitled "Feeble-Mindedness," Henry Herbert Goddard, Director of the Research Laboratory of the Training School for Feeble-Minded Boys and Girls at Vineland, N. J., presents a report of work done in his laboratory during the last five years, in an effort to discover the causes of the mental weaknesses of the children of the school and some others living in New Jersey. The study of these children is not yet completed; but certain facts have been ascertained, and in view of the great popular interest in the subject to which the study relates, it was decided to make public what already had been learned, with the understanding that later on a complete report should be issued. The data so far obtained are the result of the examination of 327 cases of various ages and various stages of defect. These data are set forth in a popular form in order that they may be available for laymen as well as for scientists. The conclusions Dr. Goddard has reached will greatly interest all who have relations, more or less close, with unfortunate to whom possession of sound minds has been denied. (Macmillan Company.)

The sixth edition has been published of Prof. Edwin R. A. Seligman's "Principles of Economics," which had its first printing in 1905. The new matter includes chapters on the control of trusts, labor legislation, and labor insurance, a brief exposition of the Federal Reserve act, and a number of additions to the introduction which were required in order to bring it up to date. (Longmans, Green & Co. \$2.50.)

Prof. Shirley Jackson Case of the Department of New Testament and Early Christian Literature in the University of Chicago presents in "The Evolution of Early Christianity" what he is pleased to call a "genetic study of First-Century Christianity in relation

to its religious environment." In this treatise he throws the light of modern scholarship upon a perplexing problem in which religious students are deeply interested. (University of Chicago Press. \$2.25.)

The Extension Division of the University of Wisconsin presents as the first volume of its projected Commercial Education Series a book by Prof. Paul H. Neystrom entitled "Retail Selling and Store Management." In this book, which was prepared primarily for use in college classes and in extension work, the author deals with the every-day problems of the retail merchant and his clerks in a notably intelligent and practical fashion. (D. Appleton & Co. \$1.50.)

Publication of "The William J. Locke Calendar" is the newest distinction accorded the author of "The Beloved Vagabond," "Septimus," "The Morals of Marcus Ordeyne," and other popular novels. The calendar was compiled by Emma M. Pope, and she seems to have done her work with notable intelligence. (John Lane Company. \$1.)

Eight brief addresses delivered on sundry occasions by Washington Gladden are now available in a volume entitled "Live and Learn." They contain practical advice with respect to self-development and character building which the author hopes will be helpful to these eager to make the most of themselves. It is Dr. Gladden's opinion that in order to get proper growth men and women must learn to think, speak, see, hear, give, serve, wait, and win, and it is with these essentials he deals in his addresses. (Macmillan Company. \$1.)

Another humorous book in favor of woman suffrage has come from the pen of Miss Marietta Holley, the author of "Samantha on the Woman Question"; it bears the title "Josiah Allen on the Woman Question." In this book the author amusingly satirizes the opinions of those who are opposed to woman suffrage, especially the opinions of men who contend that women do not possess the qualifications essential to the useful voter. (Fleming H. Revell Company. \$1.)

Sound, authoritative, and practical advice is well presented by E. Leichter in a little book called "Successful Selling." The author points out to those who aspire to attain efficiency as salesmen the things they must learn through study and practice. His treatise is based on his own experience as a seller and a director of selling. (Funk & Wagnalls Company. 50 cents.)

The Rev. Dr. R. H. Charles, Canon of Westminster, has contributed to the Philosophy and Religion Department

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A brief essay by Howard Sutherland is published in a volume entitled "The Promise of Life"; in it the author upholds the doctrine of the immortality of the soul. Death, he tells his readers, is "merely a natural phase through which living forms must pass on the way to ultimate perfection." (Rand, McNally & Co. 50 cents.)

A series of lectures by Prof. Arthur S. Hoyt of Auburn Theological Seminary are published in a volume entitled "Vital Elements of Preaching." There are fifteen lectures in the collection all framed with a view to showing young men about to enter the Christian ministry how to construct good sermons and how to deliver them effectively. (Macmillan Company. \$1.50.)

In "The Gospel of Jesus and the Problems of Democracy," Prof. Henry C. Vedder of Crozier Theological Seminary renews the criticism of the Christian Church, to which he gave expression in his book entitled "Socialism and the Ethics of Jesus." He holds that Christianity needs a reconstructed theology. The theology of all the churches, he remarks, has been dominated by monarchical ideas and needs to be recast in the mold of democracy. Permeated with ideas of special privileges, such as were unavoidable when aristocracy ruled the world, it needs to be recast in terms of equal rights. By way of showing the sort of restatement that should be made the author presents a programme in which he deals with problems relating to social justice, woman, the child, the slums, vice, crime, disease, poverty, and lawlessness. His criticism of existing conditions and the reforms he advocates are frankly socialistic. (Macmillan Company. \$1.50.)

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ANSWERS BY THE EDITOR

C. CARROLL WHITE—Will you kindly tell me who Homer Lea is and whether he has written any other books than the one entitled "The Valor of Ignorance"? How was his book received by the public?

Homer Lea was born in Denver, Col., Nov. 17, 1878, and died Nov. 1, 1912. He was the son of Alfred Erskine and Herva (Coburn) Lea. He undertook the relief of Kwang Hsu, Emperor of China, in 1900 and 1901 and raised and commanded the second army division in 1904 with the rank of Lieutenant General. Besides "The Valor of Ignorance" he wrote "Vernillon Punch," a novel, and "The Crimson Spider," a drama. At the time of his death he had in preparation a "History of the Political Development of China." "The Valor of Ignorance" gained him an international reputation. Among those who highly praised it were Lord Roberts and the Emperor of Germany. Lea died of paralysis in this country. His success was obtained in spite of spinal trouble, which made him a hunchback.

ROSWELL GEORGE MILLER—I should be greatly obliged if you would give me some information about Thomas Chatterton, his life and work and his death. Also something of John Keats's life. Please name good works on both their lives.

These are very well-known names in English literature. Biographies of both men and criticisms of their writings may be found in the *Encyclopaedia Britannica*, Dodd & Mead's *International Encyclopedia*, and other works of the kind that may be had at any library. Concord Manners' "Chatterton, a Biography," New York, 1899; "Life, Letters, and Literary Remains of Keats" by Milnes, 1887, and "Life of Keats" by Colvin, 1887. In Vol. III of Ward's *English Poets* may be found a essay on Chatterton by Watts-Dunton, and in Vol. IV, a literary appreciation of Keats by Matthew Arnold.

F. B. ADAMS—Could you tell me where I could find a book containing the lament of a child over the arrival of a new baby in the house, beginning as follows:

I'm a poor little sorrowful baby,
For Bridget is way downstair,
And my little brother and sister finders
Dolly went to say her prayers.
My Ma's got another new baby, God
gave it. He's a new baby, did,
And it cries and it cries, Oh so dreadful,
I wish He would take it away.

The poem asked for by our correspondent is printed in *Silence Thompson's "Humorous Poets"*, published by A. C. McElroy & Co., Chicago.

R. A. ARCHER—Will you kindly print the words of a book entitled "The Gypper's Warning" and which begins "Do not trust him, gentle lady?"

This song is too long for our space. It is printed in Kavanagh's *Exhibition Reader*, published by Dick & Fitzgerald, 15 Ann Street, New York.

LEWIS S. BAXTER—Have the following volumes any special value from a collector's standpoint, viz.: "A Collection of American Extraneous and Descriptions, with Occasional Notes, by the Rev. Timothy Aldrich, A. M.," volumes, printed by S. Marks, 36 Anthony St., 1814, Second Edition.

This work in five volumes, duodecimo, printed in New York in 1814, brought \$15.00 at an auction sale here.

CHARLES LIPPMAN—Kindly let me know who was the editor of *The Monthly Magazine* and *Illustration* Review for the year 1850. It is printed by T. & J. Swords, 75 Pearl Street.

It was edited by Charles Bracken Brown, the American novelist, born in 1772, died in 1850.

R. L. H.—Will you kindly tell me how and where I can get a book called "The Flower Girls of Paris," and who is the author?

There is a book called "The Flower Girl of Paris," by P. Schönbart, which is published at \$1 and 25 cents (paper covers) by Rand, McNally & Co., 145 Fifth Avenue, New York.

Mrs. W. C. ALLEN—What can you tell me about the book entitled "Discourses to the Aged," by Job Orton. It

was printed in Salem, Mass., by Joshua Manning for Thomas C. Cushing, in 1801?

Job Orton, dissenting minister, was the elder son of Job Orton, a grocer, and was born at Strawberry, England, Sept. 4, 1730. He died at Kitterbury, Sept. 19, 1783. He wrote books and preached a number of sermons, including "Discourses to the Aged." He never was in America.

H. L.—There is a quotation I am very anxious to get. It is something to the effect that one real hour of life is worth an age without a name. I have consulted countless books of quotations without finding it yet. I believe it is rather well known. Can you help me?

The quotation sought for by our correspondent can be found in Sir Walter Scott's "Old Mortality." Chapter 24. Its correct reading is as follows:

To all the sensual world proclaim,
One crowded hour of glorious life
Is worth an age without a name.

ANSWERS FROM READERS

THOMAS RUSSELL—The song "O Wert Thou in the Cauld Hail," about which Louis Kuntzka inquired in your issue of Sept. 20, is the last song Robert Burns wrote, and one of the most beautiful. The story of his writing is very interesting. Josy Lawra, the inspirer of the song, was a near-by neighbor and friend of Burns, who during his last dismal days paid her a visit. Burns was so much attracted by her that if she would play some song she was fond of he would write new verses for it. The music to which the verses are now sung was composed by Macdonald.

There have, naturally, been many other answers to this appeal.

L. R.—This is one version for L. F. W., who requested lines about the life of the Chinese in June 25.

THE STORY OF A BLUE CHINA PLATE

By We Ge.

There was a Coochin Chinaman,
Whose name it was Ah-Leo,
And the same was just as fine a man
As you could wish to see;
For he was rich and strong,
And his queue was extra long,
And he lived on rice and chowchow.

Which he had a lovely daughter,
And her name was Mai-Li-An,
And the youthful Wang who sought her
Hand was but a poor young man;
So her mother said:
"You shall never, never wed
Such a pauper as this penniless young man."

So the daughter and her lover,
They eloped one Summer day,
Which Ah-Leo he did discover,
And perished without delay.
But the Goddess Lo, I've heard,
Changed each lover to a bird,
And from that day Ah-Leo they flew away.

Ah! Mai-Li-An; the chance is
That we all of us may know
Of unkindness and circumstance;
We would like to stay, but oh!
The inevitable things will take us
And will fly where we may never hope
to go.

I would further like to state,
That the bird which roared,
You can see on any plate
That has made in Coochin China years
ago.

There is also a version which begins:
"Little maid Li-Chi loved her Chang on the way,
When the willow tree was drooping."

EMILIE F. STEIN—In *The Book Review* of Aug. 18, I notice a request for the incised verses of an old English song. The words and air are to be found in the "Pocket Book of Poems and Songs for the Open Air," published by P. Dutton and also in "A Garland of Country Songs." (Melrose.)

ALL ROUND MY HAT.

All round my hat I will wear a green willow,
All round my hat for a twelvemonth and a day;
If anybody asks me the reason why I wear it,
It's all because my true love is far, far away.

My love she was fair, and my love she was kind, too,
And many were the happy hours be-fored my love and I;
I never could refuse her whatever she'd mind to do,
But now she's far away, far across the stormy sea.

O will my love be true and will my love be faithful?
Or will she find another wile to court her where she's gone?
The moon will run after her, so pretty and so graceful,
And perhaps she may forget me, be-cause all alone.

So all round my hat I will wear a green willow,
All round my hat for a twelvemonth and a day.
If anybody asks me the reason why I wear it,
It's all because my true love is far, far away.

H. H. ROSS—Answering the appeal of Esther Beale Pratt in the issue of *The Book Review* of Oct. 18, I will say that the poem (and music) "Nature's

Isle," by John Henry Hopkins, D. D., "Chants, Hymns, and Songs," by John Henry Hopkins, Jr. It was published by S. P. Dutton & Co., New York, copyright 1872.

Mrs. E.—I am enclosing poem. "The Journey," found for in *Kew June 21*, by Theo. F. Van Wagener.

I think of death as some delightful Journey
That I shall take when all my tasks are done;
Though life has given me a heaping measure
Of all best gifts, and many a cup of pleasure,
Still better things await me further on.

This little earth is such a merry planet,
The distances beyond it are so agreeable,
I have no doubt that all the mighty spaces
Between us and the stars are filled with flowers.
More beautiful than any artist's dream.

I like to think that I shall yet behold them,
When from this waiting-room my soul has soared,
Earth is a wayside station, where we
Until from out the silent darkness yonder
Death swings his lantern, and cries,
"All aboard!"

I think death's train sweeps through the solar system
And carries suns and moons that dwarf our own,
And close beside us we shall find our dearest.

The spirit friends on earth we hold the nearest,
And in the shining distance God's great throne.
Whatever disappointment may befall me
In plans or pleasures in this world of doubt,
I know that life at worst can but delay me.

But no malicious fate has power to stay me
From that grand journey on the Great Death road.

APPEALS TO READERS

C. E. KIRCK—Can any of your readers inform me where I can find "A Song of the Flag" and tell its author? The first stanza runs as follows:

Here is my love to you, Flag of the Free,
Flag of the tried and true,
Here is my love to you, streaming
Of stripes and stars in a field of blue.
Here is my love to your silken folds
Wherever they wave on high,
For you are the Flag of a land for
which "I've sworn to die."

R. B.—Appropos of the several letters about the willow pattern plate, would appreciate very much if any of your readers could tell me the name of the firm who published a song which came out several years ago, the chorus of which ran:

Willow, willow, what would you say,
If ever you had loved and ran away;
And they served you up at the table
every day
In the middle of an old blue plate?

I heard this song only once to a very attractive girl and have been endeavoring ever since to locate it.

MARY P. COWLEY—I would like to locate this fable: A man catches a small bird, which pleads for its life, saying "I will lay an egg for you of a solid diamond as large as your head." Upon receiving its freedom it alights on a tree and gives the man the value of its life: "Never believe the impossible; never

regret the unattainable," and meekly thanking the man for his freedom flies away. Can any of your readers help me?

CHARLES C. THORN—About seven years ago I met a gentleman by the name of Watson at Tate Springs, Tenn., who was a poet and connected with one of the departments at Washington, D. C. He wrote a poem of singular beauty and force, and of the title of which I am not familiar, that has in part this passage:

Strange the world about me lies,
Never yet familiar grown,
And it fills me with surprise,
Hunts me like a face half known.
On from room to room I stray, &c.,
And I wonder whether guest or captive
I be.

I would be glad if any of your readers can help me find it.

A. C.—Can some reader tell me the words of a song, the chorus of which contains the following: "Oh! I've been vanquished o'er and o'er again, by the that never came." It was contained in a school song book about twenty years ago.

MARION J. HOWARTH—Will some reader kindly tell me the title of the poem, the last two lines of which are:

You came for friendship,
And you took away Love.

It is spoken in "Per o' My Heart," and I believe was said to be from Thomas Moore's works.

H. C. HURST—Will some reader complete this poem or tell the author and where it may be found?

Safe sailors on the marge
Of magic seas, in an enchanted barge,
Stranded at sunset upon jeweled sands,
Was ever heart more human?

E. G. D.—Can some reader tell me the words of a poem, the last line of which is "I have found a little love?"

We love him not for gifts divine,
His mien was born of woman,
His manhood breathes in every line,
Was ever heart more human?

We love him, praise him, just for this:
In every form and feature,
Through wealth and want, thro' woe,
He saw his fellow creature.

A. P. P.—Will some reader kindly tell me where to find the words of the old song bearing:

In a cabin by the cañon,
Excavating for a mine,
Dwelt a miner, and a singer,
And his daughter Clementine.

L. D. S.—Can one of your readers supply me with the missing lines of the following, which refers to the five vowels:

We are the little airy creatures,
All of different forms and features;
One of us in glass is set,
Another will be found in jet.

M. B.—I would greatly appreciate it if some reader would kindly give the author the name of the poem, which is called "Marguerite's Calendar." I remember only the line:

Don't you think that Winter's the pleasantest of all?

SARAH B. WOOD—Can any of your readers help me to find a poem which contains the following lines:

The thunder rolls, the lightning flash;
I hear the heavy rain drop dash
Against my window pane,
And I am alone and longing to know
are all my children at.

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A BOOK called "Germany's Madness," by Dr. Emil Reich, will be published this week by Dodd, Mead & Co. Dr. Reich, a Hungarian by birth and late Professor of International Law at the University of Vienna, was educated in Germany, but spent much time in England. The book was written as a warning to England as to what that country might expect from Germany's overweening belief in her own destiny and "kultur." The same house will bring out this week a new and popular priced edition of Prince von Bismarck's "Imperial Germany."

The Putnams announce for immediate publication a volume entitled "France Herself Again," by the Abbé Ernest Dimnet, which will be of interest to students of the great war. The author reviews the deterioration of France under the Second Empire and the early days of the republic, then takes up the consequences of the Tanager incident and studies the birth, growth, and manifestations of the new spirit of recent years. The last section is devoted to "France and the War of 1914." Another publication by the Putnams of special present consequence is Cloudestey Brereton's "Who is Responsible—Armageddon and After," in which the author traces the influence on Germany and on the world of the Prussian military tradition and development and shows how the real Germany is crushed under a scientific bureaucracy which makes practically impossible free speech and free criticism.

From D. Appleton & Co. will come at once a little volume called "Tales of Old New York," by Albert Ullmann and Grace C. Strachan, which has special timeliness because of the celebration of the tercentenary of the founding of the city. It covers the Indian and Dutch periods of occupation, and is to some extent based on material contained in Mr. Ullmann's larger volume, "A Landmark History of New York." "Life in America One Hundred Years Ago," by Gaillard Hunt, has just been published by Harper & Brothers. It is an account of the manners and customs, amusements and hospitalities, social, business, and political life of the people of our country at the opening of the nineteenth century.

The same house has also published Gertrude Atherton's "California: An Intimate History," a description of the varied history of the State from its geological beginnings down to the present year.

"With Sabre and Scalpel," by Dr. John Allen Wyeth, (Harper), is a volume of reminiscences in which this New York physician recounts some of the events which have filled his life as farmer, Confederate soldier, cotton planter, cattle buyer, river pilot, building contractor, medical student, and physician.

Prof. D. D. Wallace is the author of a "Life of Henry Laurens," which G. P. Putnam's Sons will publish. It is the first biography that has ever been written of Laurens, notwithstanding his prominence as a public man and statesman of the Revolutionary period and his Presidency of the Continental Congress. The work will present much new and important material touching upon the social and economic life of Colonial times.

Next week the Houghton Mifflin Company will bring out "The French Revolution in San Domingo," by T. Lothrop Stoddard, based on the great collections of public and private documents in the French archives and on the printed literature of the period.

A new volume in their Continental Legal History Series will be published this week by Little, Brown & Co. It is a "History of French Public Law," by Jean Briesaud, late Professor of Legal History in the University of Toulouse, and has been translated by James W. Garner of the University of Illinois. It will complement M. Briesaud's other great work on the "History of French Private Law."

From Mitchell Kennerley will come next week two volumes of biographical and critical study. Hobbrook Johnson is the author of that on "Rudyard Kipling," while Frank Swinnerton writes on "Robert Louis Stevenson."

The presence in this country just now of Gen. Hwang Hsing gives special interest to "A Revelation of the Chinese Revolution," which the Fleming H. Revell Company promises for early publication.

location. The author is said to be a Chinese of high social standing whose work has been edited by Dr. J. J. Mulowney. It sets forth Gen. Hwang Hsing as the real leader of the Chinese revolution and gives the inside history of many of the events leading up to the downfall of the empire.

Early in November the Macmillan Company will publish the revised edition of Dean Worcester's "The Philippines, Past and Present," which will include a new chapter on "One Year of the New Era."

A new "Wanderer" book by E. V. Lucas is promised by the Macmillan Company for this week. It bears the title, "A Wanderer in Venice," and is illustrated with many plates in color and in black and white.

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Mitchell Kennerley will have ready next week a story by Robert Steele called "One Man; A Novel," which tells in autobiographical form the intimate tale

of one man's life. On the same date Mr. Kennerley will publish "The Enemy of Woman; A Novel," by Winifred Graham, which is concerned with the cause of woman suffrage and a speech in Parliament in its favor.

An anonymous novel due shortly from the press of E. W. Hushch is called "The Other Kind of Girl." It is the unadorned story, told in the first person, of a girl who was driven to the streets for a livelihood.

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HUDSON MAXIM DEFENDS HIS
DISCOVERY OF SMOKELESS POWDER

THE Editor of The New York Times: THERE appeared in last Sunday's New York Times a communication signed by Sir Hiram S. Maxim of London, England, in which he has made some most amazing statements, with the object of discrediting me and of gaining credit for himself at my expense.

During the past eighteen years Sir Hiram has periodically attacked me in the newspapers. Many times I have not replied to his accusations and charges, but have maintained a dignified silence. But the statements he has recently made are of such a nature that they cannot be ignored, and as they relate to subject matter in which, at this time of war, the whole world is deeply interested, I feel compelled to let the truth be known.

The following are some of the more important of his statements and claims made in last Sunday's New York Times. To quote:

In the meantime (after the advent of the Maxim gun in 1887-1888) my brother Isaac, who had conveniently, and for obvious reasons, changed his name to Hudson, learning of my success, came to England. He was immensely interested in my work. I employed him at a large salary and sent him to Springfield, Mass., where he entered my powder in the name of H. Maxim, and at the trial my powder beat all others at all points completely out of the field, and my American friends congratulated me very much. . . . But later on certain events took place in which the "H. Maxim" which was supposed to be Hiram Maxim became Hudson Maxim, and that is the way that Hudson Maxim became "the inventor of smokeless powder" in the States.

Referring to the statement of Hiram that I "conveniently, and for obvious reasons," changed my name from Isaac to Hudson, after he had invented the Maxim gun, in order that I might pose as "H. Maxim of gun-making fame," I have letters and documents in my possession which prove that I bore the name Hudson more than forty years ago, while Hiram did not invent the Maxim gun until 1887. I have a letter of recommendation from Dr. H. P. Torsey, President of the Maine Wesleyan Seminary, Kent's Hill, Me., under date of Oct. 18, 1875, wherein he refers to me as Hudson Maxim, and states that I had then already attended that school for several terms.

My brother, Samuel, in Maine, has a son nearly 30 years old, whom he named Hudson, after me.

Concerning Hiram's claim that his English patent, No. 17,904, for a multi-perforated powder grain, dated Sept. 21, 1894, bears the earliest date of any showing multi-perforated smokeless powder, he is noted here that an English patent bears the date on which it was filed in the British patent office.

On Dec. 14, 1893, I filed an application for a patent in the United States for multi-perforated smokeless powder, which illustrates the same multi-perforated grain now in use by the United States Government, (see U. S. patent No. 940,326.) Therefore, I antedated Sir Hiram with that application by nearly a year.

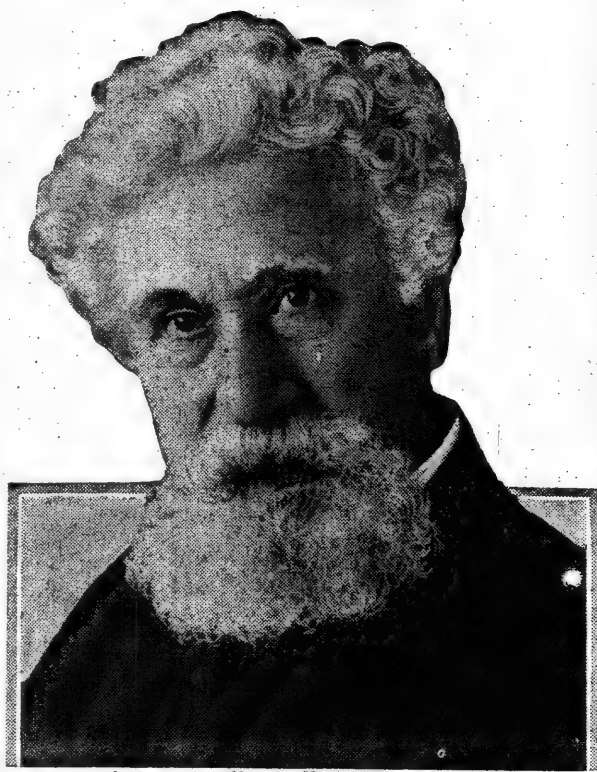
In January, 1894, I filed two more applications for multi-perforated smokeless powder. (See U. S. patents Nos. 940,327 and 940,328.) These applications were filed eight months ahead of Sir Hiram's English patent. I also filed an application for a process and die for making multi-perforated smokeless powder on Jan. 31, 1894, (U. S. patent No. 938,618.)

I was in the American Patent Office with one patent for a multi-cellular smokeless powder having all the characteristics of the multi-perforated grain five years before my brother Hiram filed his English patent, namely, Sept. 24, 1889. (See U. S. patent No. 952,918.)

As a matter of fact, the United States Army had actually fired the multi-perforated powder made by me at the Government Proving Grounds at Sandy Hook, New Jersey, several months before Sir Hiram Maxim filed his English patent for multi-perforated smokeless powder. It is worthy of note that not one of the many forms of grain illustrated by Hiram in his said patent is in use, or ever has been in use anywhere in the world, because they were all of so unscientific a design as utterly to fail in their purpose as a progressive burning smokeless powder.

The E. I. du Pont de Nemours Powder Company has paid me several hundred thousand dollars for my services and inventions since Sir Hiram claims that I came to America and posed as "H. Maxim of gun-making fame, of London, England." It is certainly most remarkable that the great E. I. du Pont de Nemours Powder Company could have been imposed upon to the extent of being made to believe all this time that they were dealing with Sir Hiram Maxim, of gun-making fame, of London, England.

The Noted Inventor Says That His Patents Bear a Date Previous to That Claimed by His Brother.



Hudson Maxim.

us how to eliminate danger in the manufacture.

Fourth, Hudson Maxim, an employee of the du Pont Company, had invented the multi-perforated grain that gave absolute control over the burning.

On Oct. 25, 1910, Sir Hiram Maxim wrote a letter to President Taft about our United States multi-perforated smokeless powder, wherein he claimed to be its inventor, and the first and original inventor of all multi-perforated smokeless powders containing nitroglycerin, like that which he said was used by the United States Navy; but that, however, such a multi-perforated powder was inherently dangerous in the extreme and was responsible for the exploding of certain guns on our battlefields, and he referred to an article in London Engineering under date of Oct. 21, 1910, to substantiate his statements and claims.

So astounding were Sir Hiram's statements that President Taft appointed a joint board of the Army and Navy to make experiments and investigations and thoroughly inquire into the truth or falsehood of the assertions and claims made by Sir Hiram S. Maxim in his letter to President Taft and in articles published in London Engineering.

The E. I. du Pont de Nemours Powder Company, being the largest manufacturer of the United States smokeless powder condemned by Sir Hiram S. Maxim, which he claimed to have invented, looked into the matter on its own account.

The result of the finding of the board was that the United States Navy had never used a nitroglycerin smokeless powder, as assumed by Sir Hiram Maxim, and further that our multi-perforated nitro-cellulose smokeless powder is not only perfectly safe and absolutely free from the faults and dangers claimed by Sir Hiram Maxim, but also, on the contrary, it is the most stable and altogether the best smokeless powder made in any country in the world, and produces the best ballistic results; and that it is much less erosive than other smokeless powders, for which reason our guns wear much longer than were we to use the nitroglycerin powders used abroad.

In signing his report to the Secretary of the Navy, Admiral Mason, then Chief of Ordnance of the United States Navy, made the following statement:

In regard to the statement of Sir Hiram Maxim that he has had great experience and knows what he is talking about, it has been shown that he is ignorant of the type of smokeless powder used by the United States Government, and it is quite probable that he has had very little or no experience with the powder familiar to me by the addition of nitroglycerin. We could obtain higher ballistic results, but we did not believe it would be safe to employ more than 35 per cent.

When he wrote the above, he had, however, doubtless forgotten the fact that no experiments had been conducted with nitroglycerin, and that the use of nitroglycerin in smokeless powders had not been thought of by either of us until after I had returned to America on the 9th of December, 1893. In proof of this I beg to quote

Mr. Symon has received from Mr. Adams the letter which you sent Adams referring to your inventions. Mr. Symon was very much "up on his ear" about it, stating that they were exactly the same thing as we had ourselves.

I told him that at the time you were in England we had not used nitroglycerin, and that you, as far as I knew, had found it out yourself in America, and had offered it to us as a good thing.

However, in spite of the above acknowledgment on the part of Hiram, when he has since wished to have it appear that his compound of nitroglycerin with gun cotton dated back as far as possible, he has told that I got my ideas of the use of nitroglycerin from him, and that my first United States patent on explosives, No. 411,127, Sept. 17, 1889, (filed May 13, 1889), was based on information gained from him while I was in England.

In view of Sir Hiram's present claim that he was the first to add nitroglycerin to dissolved gun cotton to make smokeless powder, it is interesting to see what he had to say in a letter to me under date of Aug. 8, 1889. To quote:

"There is nothing new about the addition of nitroglycerin to a solution of gun cotton." It was patented fifteen years ago by Nobel.

At the time I was first in England, in the Summer and Autumn of 1888, there was much excitement in naval and military circles in England about a secret smokeless powder called the Lebel powder, which had been developed in France. I obtained a small sample of this powder from a workman in the employ of the Maxim Nordenfiet Company, who had been showing the gun in France. I showed this sample to my brother Hiram. We examined the powder and learned that it consisted merely of gun cotton dissolved and dried. Therefore, it was easy for us to duplicate the French Lebel powder. This fact is verified in a letter from Sir Hiram Maxim to Lieut. J. F. Meigs, of the Bethlehem Steel Company, under date of Aug. 8, 1889, wherein Hiram says:

My brother Hudson was the first man outside of France to obtain an authentic specimen of the original French smokeless powder, and he assisted me in my experiments for several months.

HUDSON MAXIM.

Nov. 5, 1914.

the following paragraph from a letter received from Hiram S. Maxim, dated Sept. 11, 1889:

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THE uneasy feeling that prevailed among the dressmakers, and especially the importers, concerning fashions in August, has in some measure returned. The wholesalers have arrived at the time of the year when they put out new clothes for the Spring trade, and the fashionable shops and dressmaking places depend upon their buyers in Paris to send them advance Spring or midwinter styles to keep trade brisk until after the New Year.

Now there are no new things in Paris and few buyers. America is trying to offset the dullness ahead by twisting and turning old ideas into new ones and offering clothes and styles that will replenish needy wardrobes and supply the trunks that are checked for the South. The former is the more important work.

There are thousands of women who put off buying new Winter things until they were comfortably settled for the cold weather; until vacation days were entirely finished, until the house was papered or painted, the plumbing looked after, the parlor curtains hung, the dining room done over, perhaps, and the hall recarpeted. Such is a fair and average estimate of what the American woman has before her each Autumn.

She may be rich or poor, fashionable or unfashionable, living an overcrowded or a comparatively empty life—but face the Fall she must and be confronted with its burdens, the heaviest of the year, gainsay it who will. The wear and tear, the hustle and bustle, the renewing and discarding of household things, the planning and development of new schemes, the smoke and the grime from a manufacturing continent, each and all important factors in American life, reach a crisis in the weeks that stretch from the 15th of September to the 15th of December. Like death and taxes, there is no escaping it. I verily believe the rabbit in his burrow, the chipmunk in his tree hole, go through a similar, if reduced, process.

The women who have children must also face the marshaling of their young into the schoolroom, arranging for the change in the lazy and careless breakfast hours that creep up through the Summer, and seeing to a plentiful wardrobe that will take the youngsters through the first few months of Winter; and carry the girls at boarding school and the boys at college through the season.

And so, depending on the absorption that such onerous and exhausting duties demand, the shops await their turn to garner in the toll for clothes at this time. War or no war, we of America must be clothed, and there is no reason why the clothes should not be good to look at and as rich as our purses can buy.

Sympathy for the devastation of other lands and other trades should not keep us from helping in every way our own trade centres, and if it is

HERE ARE REFLECTIONS OF WAR.



Military in its smartness is this blue gown, with its high, military collar and its abundance of gilt braid. It is a Bernard model.

possible to spend we should spend. It is not the time to hoard. It may be the psychological season to compel lower prices in the fashionable places that charge out of all proportion to value received, by refusing to pay; we are intending to do that with food; we

should also do it with clothes. But there is no legitimate reason why the thousands of women and men in America who depend upon the buying of women's apparel for their bread and butter should be thrown out of employment through lack of buying

caused by sympathy for the non-employment of thousands in Europe, or through panic that there will soon be no money in this country.

Now Is the Time to Buy Clothes.

Every one profits by the buying of Winter apparel at this season of the year. The woman who is fastidious is able to avoid the features of the early Fall which have become too popular and too cheaply made to warrant any one putting a large sum of one's allowance into them now.

One can, therefore, buy with more discrimination and give more time to the choice of each garment than was possible in the month of October. And one has the satisfaction of remembering that the gowns that have done duty through the first weeks of Fall have actually given full service, which is a consolation that no one but a woman with a good sense of values can appreciate. If each woman would write a chapter on "gowns I wish I had not bought," what a revelation of extravagance there would be. It might be a good idea for a club symposium to guard against future errors.

Each woman, with the best intentions, has many of these skeletons in her closet which she does not like to disclose. They stand for hurried or ill-advised buying, for moments of recklessness, for borrowings from the household budget that were never justified. If we could learn the parsimony and discriminating method of buying the most unimportant garment that the Frenchwomen practice, we might be richer and far better dressed.

The American woman in every walk of life is the most reckless and casual buyer of clothes in the world. Some will contend against this statement by arguing that they seldom buy gowns, and never buy extravagantly priced ones. Yet the purchase of any garment that is not suitable, which is seldom used and never liked, which is unbecoming to the face, the figure, and the social environment, is an extravagance, much worse than the kind of extravagance in the common sense of the word which means high-priced.

One perfect costume that serves a constant need, always looks well, and puts a woman at her sartorial best is less extravagant than three costumes that cost far less and are failures, which are dedicated to the closet instead of to the body. It is in the Autumn that every woman usually attempts to get the full service from all the odds and ends she has collected in her wardrobe, from the skeletons that swing out at her each time she reviews her closet's contents; from the skirts that once were right and which now are wrong, from the coats that cannot be altered without putting into them more money, care, and vitality than they are worth. This is the answer to the question so often asked as to why women usually look badly dressed after the Summer is over and the Winter has not commenced.

And no one can blame them, for that way lies economy, and yet it is during just such times as these that one gets the reputation for knowing less about the choice of clothes than one really merits. Women have had

their credit for taste eclipsed by two months' constant appearance in the wrong clothes. Thus do we often suffer ill in a good cause.

Taking an Inventory of Failures.

This is a seasonable time to look well into the merits and demerits of one's methods of buying, and after a satisfactory conclusion is reached, one is better able to grasp a few free days out of the turmoil of things and go forth to the shops and the dressmakers with a clearer viewpoint. Taking stock of one's failures is an exceedingly wise thing to do at least twice a year, and while this is not a moral preachment, this same trick of investigating one's more serious failures leads to admirable new adjustments. Using stepping stones of our dead selves to higher things, as St. Augustine put it, is a valuable lesson to learn in every department of personal development.

I know a woman, who, feeling that her genius for buying wrong or useless clothes kept her badly dressed, and, worse still, convicted her of turning money to bad account, asked a friend of excellent taste, small purse, and high reputation for always being well dressed, to go over her wardrobe and point out the instances where she had done wrong.

The friend did it with entire candor and helpful criticism. Everything wrong was put down in a book with its cost annexed, and that which was right was treated in the same way. The result was disheartening for the time, but of inestimable value for the future.

A written conviction of so much wrong buying with money that was earned by hard labor and given to one for wise spending goes deeper under the skin than any self-persuasion to do better, which usually ends in floundering into the same old mistakes.

One cannot expect to leap into the right way of remedying a wrong method, but the ingrown sense that one has been unwise and careless or injudicious in spending money on garments that are wrong, if continually kept in the front of one's mind, will go far toward establishing prudent and tempered buying.

What to Avoid This Month.

There are many women who have their hands so full of more important matters in the Autumn than the buying of clothes that they wait until this time to fit themselves out, having only the haziest notion on the subject of style. They are well aware that long coats are somewhat more in fashion than short ones, that skirts are wider than they were, that long sleeves have been revived, and that the waist line, which slipped down over the hips in June, has remained there.

But there are many features in clothes that the shops still offer and that the dressmakers (not the high-priced ones) go on incorporating into gowns, which should be avoided. They belong to a day that is done. Drapery on skirts is one. No matter what feature of the new styles one refuses to accept or desires to have moderated, the skirt drapery of the last year is to be ignored.

Nothing that rises on the hips, Dutch trouser-like, is the fashion, although there are women who cling to good cloth street suits made on this model, and make the best of it, but that is no reason for a new purchase of this description.

If one wishes, by the way, to go to the trouble of altering such a skirt, it is well to remember that Callot invented a new fashion for arranging the fullness at the sides of the waist line that falls in very neatly with the

LACE AND SATIN CLEVERLY USED.



Not new, but still smart, are the three ruffles arranged diagonally about the hips, and very new are the long, tight lace sleeves.

momentary desire to do away with the panniers left over from last Spring; it consists in laying the cloth in pleats that are not stitched or pressed flat, but left to stand out. They are open at the top.

The present pannier can easily be arranged into these pleats with its selvedge showing along the top. The fact that the usual pannier skirt has all its fullness at the hips and none at

the hem militates against its serving for more than a makeshift. Wear it in the house for dinner, is the advice of a good dressmaker.

Bear in mind when searching for new clothes that all the various loops and folds and tucks that disgraced our coats last year are happily absent. We are dressed now in straight lines, which is the most suitable choice for the average Anglo-Saxon figure.

Whatever is plain over the hips is good, provided it is not too attenuated at the hem.

True, the American woman and her dressmaker is not prone to follow the new law for wide skirts. It may be that the American commercialists are holding back the full swing of this fashion until later in the season, when they count on it for combating a dull season in ideas. It will give people a new reason to buy if the really wide skirts are forced after the New Year. They will take the place of the frocks from Paris which are advanced by the French designers for the early season on the Riviera and in Cairo.

Avoid Kimono Sleeves.

The tight long sleeve is well established, and perhaps no woman needs a warning against the kimono shape, which is still shown in many garments. It is tolerated only when the sleeve reaches to the wrist and when it is tight below the elbow, but this is the only form in which it should be considered by a woman buying new clothes.

The fitted sleeve is much better in every way, for the perversion of the armhole has been a nuisance to the wearer. No sleeve is as comfortable as the one set into a regulation armhole that is properly cut. Ah, there's the rub. When is the armhole well placed? Once out of twelve times. It is too small or too large, too far over the arm—the usual trouble—or too deep at the back. In the cut of a simple armhole there is needed the highest mastery of one's trade as a cutter.

Coats or loose blouses that have the raglan sleeve are not to be avoided. This season that special shape is accepted, and it is exceptionally comfortable. It is not strictly fashionable, mind you, and it does not look well on every shoulder, but there is no reason against buying a garment which has it if the purchaser likes it.

The elbow sleeve in every form is second class. Even in informal dinner gowns and blouses it does not rank with its two successors—the Directoire and the Grecian. One shows all the arm, or none. That is the law.

Don't Play with Roman Stripes.

It is far better to look the other way should a persuasive seller offer those gay bits of color known as Roman stripes, and which the girls in Italy wear at all seasons, regardless of the fashion. They are attractive and they do help to give color to a sombre suit, but, like all features that have merit, they have been overdone.

Even as belts on one-piece frocks they have been discarded, giving place to splendid girdles of ornate Chinese embroidery. As waistcoats they have been replaced by fur.

All stripes have not vanished from the fashions. The broadly marked silks like those worn during the French Revolution have been revived for whole gowns, not for trimmings, and there is a wonderful new fabric for evening gowns woven in gold and black stripes, the former being the foundation fabric, something like a cloth of gold.

Most of these striped materials are used for full skirts girdled with trimming and topped by a half-fitted bodice of velvet in some brilliant color. Once in a while they come dangerously near fancy dress, a feature in the new styles that has decidedly changed during the last two years.

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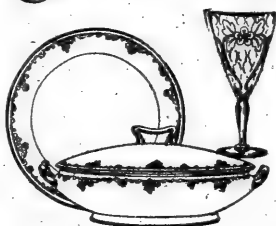
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WHAT EVERY WOMAN WANTS TO KNOW

Eggs Offer Many Opportunities to the Clever Cook to Make Delicious Dishes—Some Recipes Which Have Been Tested and Recommended by Good Chefs.

THE season of eggs is always, but now, when fresh eggs are becoming less and less plentiful, they assume a value all ways given to the thing that is scarce. Here are some ways of cooking eggs in very interesting methods, methods that emphasize that the egg is an object to which consideration is due.

OMELET WITH HERRING.—Cut off head and tail of a nice fat smoked herring. Split in two through back, remove spinal bone and skin, and finally cut into small, square pieces. Place on a plate with enough milk to cover. After allowing it to stand for an hour, remove from milk and drain pieces on a cloth. Heat one and a half teaspoonfuls of butter in a frying pan, add fish, and fry for five minutes, tossing once in a while. Crack eight fresh eggs in a bowl, add two tablespoonfuls of milk, half a teaspoonful of salt, three tablespoonfuls of pepper, and sharply beat with a fork for two minutes. Drop eggs in the fish pan, mix with fork for two minutes, and allow to stand for half a minute. Fold up opposite sides to meet in centre, allow to rest for a minute and serve hot.

BAKED STUFFED EGGS.—Boil some eggs hard and throw them into cold water. Then shell them and cut them crosswise in two. Remove the yolks and cream them with a wooden spoon, add to each yolk add a tablespoonful of fine bread crumbs soaked in milk and butter and pepper and salt to taste. Cut a bit of the end of each white off and stuff the whites. Stand the halves in a buttered baking dish, the bottom of which is thinly sprinkled with bread crumbs. Over all sprinkle a little bit of finely minced parsley. Bake five minutes.

STUFFED WITH HAM.—Boil half a dozen eggs hard. Remove the shells and cut the eggs crosswise in two. Slice off a piece from each end to make them stand firmly. Remove the yolks, and mix with them a little chopped ham. Fill the whites with this mixture, heaping it up in cone shape. Put the stuffed halves on a flat dish and pour over them this dressing. Beat two egg yolks with half a teaspoonful of mustard, half a teaspoonful of salt, and twelve tablespoonfuls of salad oil added slowly. Thin as it is necessary with wine vinegar.

FOR CHILDREN.—Beat the whites of eggs stiff and cook in spoonfuls in milk. Remove, and into the milk stir the yolks, beaten slightly, and stir constantly to form a custard. Add a bit of salt and put the whites on the custard. This is a very good dish for children, served with salted wafers. If sugar is liked, it can be slightly sweetened for dessert.

EGGS WITH PEA PUREE.—Drop eggs on a buttered dish and put them in the oven. When they are just set slide them on to a puree of peas, made by putting canned or fresh peas through a vegetable presser and mixing them lightly with melted butter and heated cream.

AU GRATIN.—Butter a flat earthenware dish and sprinkle it with bread crumbs, and on the crumbs break eggs. Over them sprinkle grated cheese, salt, pepper, and bits of butter, with just a little cream. Put in a hot oven until the eggs are set.

MANILA POACHED EGGS.—Fry some bits of bacon in a pan, then add a couple of peppers, having carefully taken out the seeds before cutting them into strips. When these begin to brown, slice on the top a couple of tomatoes. When these are almost cooked, break on the top three eggs as if for poaching, with salt and pepper to taste. Don't stir or break them. When these are cooked—and the whole process will take only from ten to fifteen minutes—serve from the pan or the chafing dish without breaking the eggs. This is a capital dish for luncheon.

FOR AN INVALID.—For an invalid, try cooking an egg in this way: Butter the inside of a cup and beat an egg white stiff. Put it in the cup and make a hole for the egg yolk in it. Put the cup, after the yolk is in place, in a saucepan of boiling water and poach until the egg is just firm. Put a plate or a piece of toast over the cup and turn the egg out on it. Garnish with a bit of chopped parsley.

JELLY OR JAM OMELET.—Beat separately from the yolks the whites of six eggs. Mix the yolks with a tablespoonful of fine sugar, but do not stir these too much, or the omelet will be toughened. Then get the frying pan medium hot—too much heat will prevent the eggs rising properly—stir the beaten whites and yolks together, and pour in the eggs after a delicate smear of butter has been rubbed over the pan. When the omelet shows signs of being cooked soon at the other side, pour in the jam or jelly and begin to roll the egg covering over until the sweet filling is hidden and the omelet is all a delicate brown. Turn it over quickly on a hot plate, sprinkle with sugar, and serve at once. All omelets should be made after the persons are at the table, for the least delay causes eggs to "sad."

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BLACK VELVET WITH GRAY FUR.



The sketch shows a Drecol coat of black velvet and gray fur. Notice the closing at the left side and the flaring lower section.

Here Are Some New and Valuable Ideas in Interior Decoration and in the Furnishing of the House—Chintz Can Be Used in Numerous Ways for Bedroom and Boudoir.

WHATEVER one may say or think of the house of Poiret, one must acknowledge that the house of Martine is superb. Interiors all over the western world reflect the ideas emanating from the house of Martine. And as the same creative genius dominates the dressmaking house of Poiret that dominates the house furnishing house of Martine, one must give credit to the master mind of Poiret.

The Martine chintz is still the striking note in interiors. It can no longer be called novel. We have known it for several months. But it is still striking.

Mrs. Donald Brian, the beautiful wife of the dancer, who more than once has taken the theatre-going world by storm, is much interested in the subject of interior decorating. And now she is planning and furnishing a most charming bedroom in which Martine chintz is used. Incidentally, she uses that cool-looking varnished wicker furniture one sees in the tropics, and perhaps the most interesting thing in the room is the wicker four-poster. A wicker four-poster is fascinating, isn't it?

This charming bed is hung with gay Martine chintz, and the rest of the furniture is hung and padded with it. So what starts out to be a very simple furniture ends in being most comfortable and most attractive.

All sorts of boudoir and bedroom furnishings are made in Martine chintzes.

There are writing desk sets—blotting pad, ink bottle, letter opener, pen holder, rolling blotter—all covered with it. There are big cushions for the floor and the feet, and flat cushions to upholster comfortable chaises longues, and other cushions of other sizes and shapes for various chairs.

Moreover, this chintz is used at the window, sometimes even in the form of roller shades. But of course one must be careful to use it with discretion, with due regard to the floor and wall coverings.

Some of the best cushions in which the Martine designs are used are of black silk or even velours, with puffed, shirred sides, and with a facing of the chintz on one side. It is best when combined with black or white.

Of course, chintz, even if it comes from the famous and smart house of Martine, is chintz. And so it is suitable only for the bedroom, the boudoir, or some other informal room.

Lengths of raw silk are in very good taste for the windows in other

rooms, where it hangs with some severity and simplicity in long, straight folds.

It is a very good plan, if one must furnish a house simply, to aim at something more or less unusual. Often an effect can be gained more easily in this way than in imitating a popular fad in interiors.

A clever bride, who felt she could neither compete with a high-priced interior decorator in working out one of the new and subtle schemes of decorating, nor hire his services, planned to have the small drawing room of her little house at least unusual.

Among her possessions was a length of embroidered Chinese silk, in dark rich colors. Among her gifts were two

Chinese porcelain vases of real value, a little Chinese carved ivory tiger, and a carved black Chinese table and chair.

With these things as an inspiration and several checks that she received as wedding gifts, she set out to furnish her small room in Chinese fashion. The walls were covered with yellow grass cloth and the woodwork was enameled black. There was not much woodwork in the room—just a narrow casing around the two windows and the one wide doorway.

She bought a large Chinese rug, in yellow and blue, expensive, of course, but warranted to last for a hundred years or so. Then she hung the strip of embroidered silk in the centre of the long wall facing the doorway, in straight line from ceiling to floor. The

big black carved chair and table were moved in and disposed of effectively.

A low divan, covered with dull gold silk, was placed along the wall opposite the windows, and two or three cushions covered with Chinese silk were placed on it. One of the vases, the larger, was placed on the floor between the windows, and the other was turned into an electric lamp for the table, with a soft blue and yellow silk shade. By the sides of the windows

hung straight lengths of yellow silk. The little piece of carved ivory took its place by the side of the lamp as the only things, save a jade bowl for flowers, on the table.

Two or three chairs of wicker or willow in Chinese design, which were to be replaced when suitable furniture could be bought, completed the furnishings of the small room.

It was not perfect, of course, but it was beautiful, and it was distinctive.

LITTLE HINTS ON FASHIONS

MANY of the new suits are trimmed with fur. Narrow bands of it are used on the edge of long tunics, belts, and collars and cuffs, waistcoats, and even sashes are made of it. One imported model shows two furs used by the same suit—broadtail for a waistcoat and sable for trimming bands.

AN evening frock of white satin shows a long tulle tunic banded at the bottom with white satin ribbon. The tunic is not more than two inches shorter than the foundation skirt, which is bordered with a two-inch band of fringe made of pearl glass beads. Thus nothing shows below the bottom of the tunic but the head fringe.

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There was not so much riding to houses in the country last week, but a tendency to follow in the wake of fashion and the little social activities springing up in town, which is a true harbinger of the near approach of the formal winter season. Tomorrow week the opera season will open in all its brilliancy, for the occupancy of the "golden horseshoe" remains practically the same as last year, with a few exceptions, mainly owing to mourning.

While the November bride and the debutante are figuring largely in the social limelight these days, the engaged girl is also receiving her share of attention. Spring and autumn always show the largest crop of engagements, coming as they do after a winter and summer social campaign. Usually there are more society engagements announced in the autumn than in the spring, due no doubt to the influence of the seashore, the fragrant country lanes, and a summer moon on susceptible hearts. This autumn the crop was rather small in comparison with other years. Perhaps the tenseness of the August days, due to the outbreak of the European war, was in part responsible for the shortcomings of Cupid. The harvest moon, however, seemed to make real headway toward the resumption of the business of romance.

The war, while rudely interrupting some romances, has been the cause of a decided impulse among American girls for home products. With several exceptions, the late summer and autumn have been absolutely void of international alliances. Three months' running without some announcement of a marriage arrangement between an American heiress and a European title is something most unusual, according to the social statistics. Developments on this side have resolved themselves into a big opportunity for the young man at home, with thrones trembling and coronets in the trenches. There is reason to expect now, in the ranks of society, a largely increased home demand and appreciation for the young man born in the U. S. A.

An interesting engagement of the week was that of Miss Dorothy Gibb, daughter of Mrs. Arthur Gibb, to Bache McEvers Whitlock, son of Mrs. B. McEvers Whitlock of 535 Park Avenue. Miss Gibb is a daughter of Mrs. Gibb by her first husband, the late John Richmond Gibb, and her sister is Mrs. Harold W. Carhart, who was married last February. Following close on to the engagement of Miss Estelle H. Flower, daughter of Mrs. James de Laval Flower of 40 East Sixty-second Street, to Clarence M. Chauncey, son of the late Henry Chauncey of this city and a grandson of Col. V. Everett May, comes the announcement of their wedding day, which has been set for Saturday, Dec. 5, at the home of the sister of the bride-elect, Mrs. Pierre Lorillard Barbey, in Tuxedo. Miss Julia Calhoun, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Calhoun of New York, and great-granddaughter of John C. Calhoun, the eminent statesman, whose engagement to Baron E. de Nagel, Attaché of the Legation of the Netherlands in Washington, D. C., was recently announced, has selected Tuesday, Dec. 8, as her wedding day, the ceremony to be performed in St. Thomas's Church. The engagement of Ralph Henry Rainford, son of the Rev. Dr. William S. Rainford, formerly rector of St. George's Church in Stuyvesant Square, to Miss Marguerite Stockton Le Breton, daughter of Mrs. Alfred Le Breton, was announced last month, and their wedding is to be solemnized tomorrow in Washington, D. C.

THE country, glorified by autumnal tints, still affords a delightful background to weddings, but the majority of nuptials announced for this month are to take place in town.

The wedding of Mrs. C. Grosvenor Wyeth and Stephen Oulton Williams, whose engagement was announced early this autumn, will take place tomorrow afternoon in St. James's Episcopal Church, Seventy-first Street and Madison Avenue. Only relatives and a few intimate friends are to be present, and there will be no reception. On Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock, in St. Thomas's Church, Miss Sybil E. Young, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward E. Young, will be married to Lyman Northrup Hine, son of Mr. and Mrs. Northrup Hine of this city. Miss Young entertained her bridal party last Wednesday, and Mr. Hine gave his farewell bachelor dinner last night at Delmonico's. The marriage of Miss Lucile Augusta Boyd, daughter of William A. Boyd, and Harold Lusk Flint, son of Mr. Frederick W. Flint of Larchmont, N. Y., is to be celebrated on Wednesday at the town house of the bride's father, 24 East Seventy-eighth Street.

Miss Ursula Wolcott Brown, who is prominent in the younger set, and Edmund S. Twining, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Twining of New York, will be married on Thursday afternoon, Nov. 12, at 4 o'clock, in St. Bartholomew's Church, the subsequent reception to be held at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Hunter Brown, who live at 65 East Fifty-second Street. Mrs. Franklin S. Richardson is to be matron of honor, and the Misses Angeline S. Brown, a cousin of the bride, Geraldine

Beaux Arts Architects to Give Brilliant Entertainment This Week for War Relief—Cotton Ball at Waldorf-Astoria to Attract Society—Debutante Formalities Begin—Mid-Autumn Harvest of Engagements—Important Rentals of Fifth Avenue Houses

Condon, Lisa Stillman, Kathryn Motley, Mercedes de Acosta, and Genevieve Sanford are to be the bridesmaids. Little Miss Ursula W. Griswold, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William E. S. Griswold, is to serve as flower girl. Richard Stevenson is to be Mr. Twining's best man, and the ushers will include John Pettie, Reginald Whitman, Allister Morris, Frank Burton, Sinclair Richardson, Robert Grosvenor, Charles Reed, and Wallace Chauncey.

An interesting wedding set for Wednesday, Dec. 2, will be that of Miss Margaret Moore Riker, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Richard Riker, and Henry Pratt McKean of Philadelphia, which is to be celebrated at the home of Mrs. Samuel Riker, 27 East Sixty-ninth Street.

WITH the promise of a gay season, society is busily engaged looking after the opening of town houses. Many people returned to town last week from the inland resorts. There is constant visiting, however, between the various fashionable colonies in the country, and some are spending the closing days of autumn in the mountains of Virginia and the Carolinas. But the white lights of the town will soon lure the majority from the trails of the lonesome pine.

Upper Fifth Avenue has been figuring in the publicity columns more than usual of late, owing to the leasing of several of the finest residences in that district. Fifty-ninth Street still acts as a sort of bulwark against the advancing cohorts of commerce, and so far there is not a suggestion of trade above that thoroughfare. In Venice some of the grand old palazzos have been turned into sweatshops, and troops of employees now emerge from the picturesque portals of ancient glory. Several of the finest residences on Fifth Avenue, below Fifty-ninth Street, are already in the centre of a busy commercial mart.

Clarence H. Mackay has leased, furnished, the house owned by Mrs. J. Townsend Burden at Ninety-second Street, one of the largest and finest residences on the avenue. Former United States Senator Nelson W. Aldrich of Providence, R. I., last week leased from Mrs. James A. Burden her house at 908 Fifth Avenue. The engagement of Mr. Aldrich's daughter, Miss Elsie Aldrich, to Stephen M. Edgell of Newport, N. H., and Denver, has recently been announced, and their wedding is to take place on Dec. 10 at the Aldrich home at Warwick Neck, R. I. Mrs. John F. Dryden has just leased the J. Horace Harding house at 953 Fifth Avenue, opposite the palatial home of former Senator William A. Clark. The rental price paid for some of the big houses on the avenue soar as high as \$20,000 a year.

Miss Margaret C. Overton, daughter of Mrs. Clough C. Overton, is visiting in Kentucky for several weeks.

THE charity spectacles have begun in earnest, and they will continue throughout the season, many of them bearing a direct relation to matters brought up by the European war. These great war-time benefits are adding much to the gaiety of the late autumn, and will provide a pleasing disguise for a season that has every indication of lagging. Last week's Fashion Fete brought society out in large numbers, and a large sum was realized for the humane work of the Committee of Mercy, which is looking after the interests of the destitute who are among the victims of the war-torn countries. Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney, one of the jury of seven women on admission, sailed on the eve of the fete, with surgeons and nurses, to establish a field hospital in the war zone. Mrs. J. Borden Harriman, who is head of the committee, also left on the second day, accompanying Mrs. Borden, who has been seriously ill, to their home in Washington, D. C., where it is believed that she will be completely restored to health.

Beginning tomorrow the Art Fete arranged for the benefit of the families of painters, sculptors, and architects in France will begin a two-day season, afternoon and evening, at the Ritz-Carlton, under the auspices of the Society of Beaux Arts Architects. The programme offers some very interesting features, including a series of tableaux representing friezes, Greek sculpture, and the Wedgwood period, a playlet by Francois Coppée, to be interpreted by the members of the French Drama Society, and a pastoral pantomime, entitled "The Judgment of Paris," in which a large number of society amateurs and professionals are to take part. Special attention has been paid to the music, costumes, and lighting effects for this number. Many dinners and luncheons are to precede the afternoon and evening sessions. Lloyd Warren is Chairman of the Entertainment Committee. Mrs. Vincent Astor, Mrs. J. Stewart Barney, Mrs. Arthur Scott Burden, Mrs. Thomas Hastings, Mrs. C. Oliver Iselin, Mrs. Willard D. Straight, Mrs. Norman Whitehouse, Mrs. Frederick W. Vanderbilt, and Mrs. Whitway Warren are among the patronesses.

Much interest is being shown by society over the Cotton Ball, to be given under the auspices of the Southern Society at the Waldorf-Astoria on next Thursday evening. The advance sale of tickets has been large. Mrs. Benjamin N. Duke, Mrs. William P. Hamilton, Mrs. Herbert L. Satterlee, Mrs. Charles H. Sentz, Mrs. W. W. Fuller, Mrs. Ste-



Mrs. William F. Irwin. Mrs. Irwin and Miss Nash took part in the operetta on Friday night at the Biltmore for the Red Cross fund. Miss McClurg is granddaughter of the late David H. Moffatt of Denver, Colo.



Miss Frances McClurg. (Photo by Mrs. C. C. W.)

phen L. Snowden, and Thomas F. Ryan are among the boxholders. One of the objects of the ball is to popularize the use of cotton fabrics and to increase the demand for cotton. Cotton costumes are to be generally worn by the women, and cotton dominoes will be provided for those who come in silks and satins. The officers of the army and navy, who intend to wear cotton duck uniforms, and the decorations and entertainments will be characteristic of Southern and typical negro "mammas" are to march in the grand procession. Many prominent society women are among the list of patronesses, which includes several hundred names.

Looking forward, the Vacation Committee promises a splendid spectacle of "Pandora's Box," to be given under the auspices of the Vacation Committee on Dec. 4 and 5, in the Seventh Regiment Armory. Rehearsals are being held daily now at the home of Miss Anne Morgan, 219 Madison Avenue. The evening performances are to be followed by a dance, and after the Saturday matinee there is to be a tea dance. The proceeds of the entertainment are to augment the fund of the Vacation relief work, and to maintain the work of the committee in its regular channels. Mrs. Frederick W. Vanderbilt, Mrs. Seth Low, Mrs. J. Pierpont Morgan, Mrs. Ogden Mills, Mrs. Rogers H. Bacon, Mrs. George F. Wetmore, Mrs. August Belmont, and Mrs. W. Watts Sherman are among the boxholders for the first night. Miss Morgan is Treasurer of the Committee, which has offices at 88 West Thirty-ninth Street.

NOBODY is quite so busy these days as the debutantes, who have the entire winter before them, and seemingly heaps and heaps of relatives who can be counted upon for the usual thing in the way of balls, dinner dances, and so forth. The most important entertainments in their behalf are now beginning. The autumn dance at Tuxedo last Friday night found many of the debutantes assembled; of course the greater number will be at the first of the Junior Assemblies on Dec. 1.

Miss Helen Morgan Hamilton was introduced a little over a week ago by her mother, Mrs. William Piersen Hamilton, at a dinner dance at the Hamilton country place near Tuxedo. Yesterday Miss Phyllis W. Brown was introduced by her mother, Mrs. Franklin C. Brown, at an afternoon dance at her country place in Dobbs Ferry, N. Y. On Thursday Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Dreese Biddle of Philadelphia will present their daughter, Miss Cordelia Biddle, who is well known in New York, to society, and several of this season's buds are to assist in receiving.

Mrs. Clarence Winthrop Bowen of 8 East Sixty-third Street is to give a reception on Wednesday, Nov. 18, to be followed by a dinner and theatre party, to introduce her daughter, Miss Roman Wentworth Bowen, a granddaughter of former Mayor Wentworth of Chicago. Mrs. Arthur J. Singer of 11 East Seventy-fifth Street will give a reception at her home on Friday afternoon, Nov. 27, for her daughter, Miss Ruth Singer. On the same day Mrs. Nathan Todd Porter is to give a reception at her home in Montclair, N. J., for Miss Helen Louise Knickerbocker Porter, followed by a dance that evening at the Essex Country Club. A small dance is to be given on Saturday by Mrs. Johnson for her daughter, Miss Marie G. Johnson, at Woodland, East Tappan, L. I. Miss Chiffon Dana Gibson is to introduce her daughter, Miss Irene L. Gibson, to society this season at a dance on Dec. 8 in the ballroom of the Ritz-Carlton. Miss Mary Stevens Chapin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Merrill Chapin, who are now at their country place at Barnardville, N. J., is to make her bow to society on Dec. 7 at a dance which her mother is to give at Sherry's. On the paternal side Miss Chapin is related to the Hannas of Cleveland, Ohio, and through the maternal side to the Stevens family of Hoboken, N. J. She is devoted to riding and driving, and is a great-granddaughter of Nellie Custis of Colonial history.

On Thursday afternoon, Dec. 10, Mrs. Martin Gay is to introduce her daughter, Miss Martha Stone Gay, at a reception at her home, 100 East Eighty-third Street, and on Dec. 23, Mrs. Thomas Sears Young will give a dance at the Colony Club for the debutante, Mrs. Park Mason Woolley of the Apschop is to

give a reception at her home on Dec. 12 for her daughter, Miss Cornelia Woolley, and a dance on Dec. 18 at Sherry's. Mrs. John B. Walker will give a tea dance at the Colony Club on Dec. 12 for her sister, Miss Cary Hackstaff, a debutante of the season. Miss Edith McKeever, daughter of Mrs. L. Chauncey McKeever, will be presented to society at a dance on Dec. 17 at her mother's home. Mrs. Thayer of 46 East Seventy-ninth Street is giving a tea at Sherry's on Dec. 22 for her daughter, Miss Marie K. Thayer. Instead of the dance she was to have given there the following night, Mrs. John Frederic Ermann will give a dance at Sherry's on Dec. 28 to introduce her daughter, Miss Olivia Sturtevant Erdmann. Mrs. J. V. S. Oddie is to introduce her daughter, Miss Sarah Floyd-Jones, this season.

Mrs. Thomas H. Barber will give a reception at her home, 18 East Seventy-eighth Street, on Dec. 22 to introduce her daughter, Miss Justine Townsend. Mrs. George Alexander Brown of 1158 Madison Avenue is to give a luncheon at Sherry's on Dec. 1 for her daughter, Miss M. Anne Brown. Mrs. Stephen

Peabody will give a dinner for her daughter, Miss Frances Peabody, at her home, 123 East Seventy-third Street, on Dec. 1, and on Dec. 23 she will give a dance for the debutante at Sherry's. Dr. and Mrs. Walter B. James of 17 West Fifty-fourth Street are to give a dinner dance at the Ritz-Carlton on Dec. 28 for their daughter, Miss Helen James.

Benefit Festival and Dance.
THE Widowed Mothers' Fund Association is to give a festival and dance at Delmonico's on Wednesday evening, Nov. 11, and on the afternoon and evening of Nov. 12. An important feature of the entertainment will be Mrs. Juley's Wax Works, the cast being made up of thirty children from the families of the ladies interested in the festival.

Dancing will be one of the principal amusements, which will be in charge of Mrs. Harry Kraft and Miss Pauline Untermyer. The meeting pot is to be in charge of Mrs. Frederick Nathan, assisted by Mrs. Daniel Guggenheim, Mrs. Joseph Schoenberg, and Mrs. Harry Fischel. Contributions for the meeting

pot may be of old silver flasks, spoons, bottles, or jewelry.

The tea shop will be in charge of Mrs. Henry Bodenheimer and is to specialize on waffles and griddle cakes, which will be served hot. There is also to be a mystery booth and psychic readings. A knitting class is to be one of the attractions. Lessons will be free, and there will be yarn for sale. An experienced knitting teacher is to be in charge.

Dolls and toys will be in charge of Mrs. Herman S. Rosenbaum; the soda-water fountain and candy, Mrs. Gus Minzenheimer; fancy shop, Mrs. Samuel Florenheimer; fruit, flowers and cake, Mrs. Miriam Einstein, assisted by Mrs. Louis Ronger, Mrs. Walter Solomon, Mrs. Herbert N. Straus, and Miss Kugelman; the mystery shop, Mrs. Charles J. Oppenheim; fishing pond, Mrs. Lester Mills; country store, Mrs. Samuel Shikes.

Among those who are interested in the festival are Mrs. A. N. Cohen, honorary chairman, who in spite of her advanced years is one of the most energetic workers in the field of charities; Mrs. Charles J. Oppenheim, chairman of the festival and dance; Mrs. William Einstein, President of the Widowed Mothers' Fund Association; Mrs. Davidson, Mrs. Sigmond Herbert, Mrs. Leon Kaminsky, Mrs. Max Phillips, Mrs. Adolph Lewinstein, Mrs. Sarah X. Schottenfels, Mrs. Nelson Henry, Mrs. Clarence Burns, Mrs. William Grant Brown, and Mrs. Henry Zuckerman.

LETTERS FROM READERS OF THE TIMES ABOUT THE WAR

To the Editor of The New York Times:
I would it were a vice and just thing for the American universities to take over for the present, or at least to invite over, the entire Faculty of the University of Louvain. They can help us and we can help them. Such an act of educational and international courtesy would I believe be of vast service not only to the cause of education, but to the cause of ultimate world peace. The details could easily be worked out for the educational and financial benefit of our country would be found, I think, solidly back of such a movement. If we are to act at all we should act quickly.
C. ALFONSO EDITOR,
University of Virginia, Nov. 8, 1914.

British Soldiers' Sense of Humor.
To the Editor of The New York Times:
The Pall Mall Gazette publishes the following in today's issue:
Some trenches are provided with head cover and others with overhead cover, the latter, of course, giving protection from the weather as well as from shrapnel balls and splinters of shell.
Considerable ingenuity has been exercised in naming the shelters. Among other favorites are "The Hotel," "Hotel Ritz," "Hotel Biltmore," "Hotel Ritz-Dormir," &c. On the road barbed wire also are to be found boards bearing the notice, "This way to the Prussians."
And yet we say that the Englishman has no sense of humor!
MARCEL STEINBERGER,
London, England, Oct. 18, 1914.

America's Verdict on the War.
To the Editor of The New York Times:
Please don't give us any more articles on "Who Started it or Who's to Blame." The case has been given to the jury, and the verdict is in. Every one who has a judgment worth influencing has already arrived at a conclusion, which be it of sophistry or of sound philosophy and common sense, it is only natural that German-Americans and Austrians should be swayed in their judgment by their sympathies, by racial bias. But if a vote were taken in these United States tomorrow there is no question who would be held as guilty of this most abominable and wicked war! THE TIMES has editorially voiced the verdict of the American people.

The most significant article I have read recently is "Coast Artillery Short 10,000 Men." This, in connection with the Assistant Secretary of the Navy's announcement of a shortage of 10,000 men, is something to think of. God forbid that we should ever build up a military Frankenstein as these European nations have done, but I should like to see a movement among our citizens which would force Congress to give us a navy and an army which would be commensurate with our place in the world of nations, and our responsibilities to ourselves and to others.
EDWARD MILLON RUTLER,
Darwin, Conn., Nov. 1, 1914.

The Debate on the War.
To the Editor of The New York Times:
The present European war has not alone called for an unprecedented number of soldiers, but has enlisted more distinguished "philosophers" into their respective camps than history previously records. Even

"neutrals" have their "logical conclusions" deep in their own particular stables. Perhaps a better average of causes and effects might be attained if the present order of debate were reversed, viz.: That each side draws a veil over its own much-trumpeted virtues and gives a more liberal study to those of its opponents. When this has been accomplished the results should be submitted from the results of a critical study and conscientious analysis of its own vice.

The world seems then reasonably hope to see the present unknown quantity X demonstrated. Is the Truth beyond reach of mere human nature?
EDWARD MARTON,
Ridgefield, N. J., Nov. 4, 1914.

The "Sick Man" of Europe.
To the Editor of The New York Times:
On what other "horse" but the Turk could "proud Albion" put her money at the time of the Crimean war or in 1878? Did the English have any other choice at those periods than to assist the Turk? Did they render such assistance for the sake of the Turk or was it done because England's success depended (and let us not forget, still depends) on the weakening of Russia? As to the "sick man" of Europe, well, and so what his German doctors have done for him and whether, with the help of a few "wise women" of Emsen, (the forty-two-centimeter kind), the renaissance of the sick man will be achieved and his place on the sickbed be taken by some one new, trying to dictate laws on neutrality to this country.
MARTIN MOSSES,
New York, Nov. 8, 1914.

Wars of Conquest.
To the Editor of The New York Times:
Why all this Teutonic quibbling and hair splitting over the neutrality of Belgium? Would not Germany's offense be as rank and small to heaven as vialy if Belgium's real status had never been established? A war of conquest waged against an unfriendly nation on any pretext whatsoever covers the invader with an infamy so dark that not even the breaking of a solemn pledge can deepen it. Within the memory

of youths not yet of voting age three great States namely France, Belgium or Germany destroyed small nations unfortunate enough to get in the way. The United States stood to please the first Asiatic republic, England wiped out the Transvaal and the Orange Free State, and now Germany has dedicated Belgium. It can be said for America that she knew what she did; for Great Britain that she acted not absolutely without provocation; for both that they have made and are making material reparations. But for Germany in the court of human equity there is no plea. By as much as Belgian civilization is superior to that of the Philippines, as much as the destruction in the little European kingdom is greater than that which was wrought in South Africa, by as much and more as Germany's crime the blackest.
J. C. W.,
New York, Nov. 1, 1914.

The First Aggressor.
To the Editor of The New York Times:
I ask for a brief and concise reply to the following queries:
Who was the first aggressor on foreign soil—Belgium, France, Belgium or Germany? Did Belgium commit any hostile act toward any of the above-named peoples? Was not Belgium, which was required by the treaty of neutrality to man fort on her border for self-defense, privileged by right to employ whom she wished to aid in making her fort efficient?
Did she not the same right as Turkey had in employing German officers, or China in employing English?
Was Germany the only nation which requested the privilege of passing through Belgium?
If Belgium had granted that privilege to either France, England, or Germany, would she not have become an ally and incurred the hostility of the other nations involved?
As Germany forced an entrance on Belgium with the avowed intent of obtaining an easy short cut to France, and, having obtained it by warring on an apparently helpless nation, why did she remain to conquer and ravish the entire country?
Was Belgium right in resisting Germany? If she was right, who is responsible for the slaughter, devastation, and crime, if any were committed, by the invading army?
These questions are vital in fixing the judgment of mankind, regardless of what may be said by any historian of either side.
CHARLES RICH,
New York, Nov. 3, 1914.

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Francis Rogers, baritone, will give his annual song recital at the Little Theatre Thursday afternoon. He will be assisted at the piano by Isidore Luckenstein. His programme comprises some older Italian, French, and German music; a group of songs by Mozart, Schubert, Schumann, and Strauss; songs by Moussorgsky, and a group of German, Irish, and Scotch songs.

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Mme. Julia Culp, who was to have been the soloist at this week's Philharmonic concerts, has been detained a week or two in Europe and the programmes for the Thursday night and Friday afternoon concerts, will, therefore, be changed. A Tschakowsky programme will be given. The numbers listed are the Romance and Jellit奏曲 of the Symphonie Pathétique, the "Italian Capriccio" and the "Variations on a Theme by Paganini." The solo part will be played by Leo Schulz, first cellist of the orchestra.

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Efrem Zimbalist will give a recital Saturday afternoon at Carnegie Hall. His principal numbers are Handel's Sonata in E, Bach's Charonne for violin alone, and Wieniawski's "Faust." Fantasie, and also a number of other interesting suite works arranged by Liebermann and a group of modern pieces. Sam. Choinoff will be the piano.

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Vida Llewellyn, a young American pianist, will make her debut at Aeolian in New York at Aeolian Hall Saturday afternoon. Her programme includes Schumann's "Stimmungsbilder," Op. 4, and pieces by Hugo Kaun and Emil Sauer.

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The programme for Samuel A. Baldwin's free organ recital at City College this afternoon is as follows: Prelude in D, Bach; "Elegiac" Concerto, Liszt; Fantasie; sonata in the style of Handel, Wolstenholme; "Cantique d'Amour," Strang; "Poeme Nuptial," Marsick; large from symphony "From the New World," Dvorak, and concert piece in C minor, Rihle. On Wednesday afternoon his programme will be: "The Legend of Handel; meditation in E, Grison; prelude and fugue in D, Bach; "At Twilight," Schumann; "Grand Prelude," Hummel, Dvorak, and Grand Choeur in A, Kinder.

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The list of lectures and recitals on music arranged by the Board of Education for the coming week is as follows: Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock at Biblical Church, 10th and Lexington, Lecture

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FINE POINTS FOR THE WOULD-BE EXPERT IN AUCTION BRIDGE

By Florence Irwin.

FOR some months I have been mentioning the growing dissatisfaction among scientific players toward the scoring of honors. I have still much to say on the subject.

If a man has five royal honors dealt him, they are worth ninety points. Without any effort, any skill, anything whatever that redounds to his present credit as a player, he takes his ninety points.

If the same man makes five-odd tricks in royals—eleven tricks in all, on the hand—it is worth forty-five. Rather a discrepancy, isn't it?

Of course, the forty-five points are half of a rubber, and that helps. But give a man high honors all evening and he won't need to worry much about rubbers.

Over in New Bedford there is a group of six progressive players, men whose auction would be marked anywhere. I have never seen them, but they write me frequently. I am going to quote from a recent letter:

"This year we are starting the season with suggestions, and the balance of auction players here would be amazed at our game, while old bridge players would hold up their hands in holy horror. We not only play minus no trump (nullos), but minus honors, minus spades, and have increased the slam values. And we like them all."

The opening pass, the least, perhaps, it is like artificial teeth—bothersome at

first, but "all right when you get used to it." But in "getting used to it," I find there is a whole lot to forget.

In the first place, we must forget to "call a spade a spade." Why is that necessary now? As soon as the opening pass is formally adopted we shall speak of "spades" at nine a trick. The word "royal" will soon be forgotten. I hope, together with the words "bliss," "imperial," and so forth. We will come back to our four original suits, each with its original name and its single value; to these we shall have added two no-trumpers, one positive and the other negative, and—as far as I can see—there will be nothing left to desire.

We must forget the original meaning of the one-spade bid, for it once had a meaning before nullos changed it, didn't it?

Yes, it did, before the advent of nullos, but not since. The only meaning of a one-spade bid has today is this: "I cannot bid and I must." Such a meaning as that should be abolished—the sooner the better.

We must forget my pet, the two-spade bid, and take more chances with our favorite—the light no-trumper.

And a mighty good thing, too! The two-spade bid had become like an artificial support; players leaned on it unnecessarily till their muscles lost their original vigor. With the invention of warning overcalls, the light opening no-trumper was made pos-

Scientific Players Are Becoming More and More Dissatisfied With the Scoring of Honors, It Being Argued That Skill Is Placed at a Disadvantage as Against Sheer Luck—Interesting Questions in Nullos.

sible and the two-spade call became a fossil.

The opening pass has worked with us like a boomerang, putting the forced bid on third-hand.

It shouldn't—that is a false conception of the opening pass. Its object is to do away with all forced bids from all players. Habit will soon establish this property of the dealer's pass.

It may be we haven't got used to the game. Anyway, we have inaugurated the opening pass, as it is fair for all.

But—had you asked about the honor adjustment, the time consumed in the honor adjustment, and the space spoiled by the honor count—why, we would just as soon go back to one pack of cards as to count honors again.

That letter is from a man who was so disgusted with my first suggestion of nullos that he stopped reading me for two months. Then he came back to the fold, looked into the thing, became one of the most rabid of nullos enthusiasts, and is today probably one of the best nullos players in the world. The nullos philosophy which he sends me from time to time is a joy to read.

Anent the opening pass, I played with a Chicago man this week, who was greatly surprised to find New York had not yet adopted it. It is already widespread all over the country. I am still living in hopes that New York will some day be the first to adopt officially a proposed card change, instead of falling into line when there is no other course left. Remember the new count.

Here is another New Bedford letter, from one of the six:

Our little group of auction players are strong devotees of the game as advocated in THE NEW YORK TIMES and follow the least little suggestion. Some of these have led us far afield recently, and after a two weeks' trial of the innovations I am ready to make a report.

The dropping of the spade-bid looks good to me, although I miss the two-spade call very much. (He won't long. I gave it up three years ago and missed it for a month, but I couldn't find a use for it now.)

The contention here is that a pass by the dealer makes a forced bid from his partner. This I believe to be an error, as third-hand should have the same privilege. (You see, he is right. Just

a little longer practice and the light dawned.)

Occasions are rare when there are no legitimate bids on a deal; in fact, in these days of light no-trumpers I hardly think that it would ever occur. With a spade-bid from dealer second-hand would pass, unless holding a good game-going hand. Now he must bid his good suit, albeit a club, or possibly lose all chance. Under the old system he was almost sure of another chance.

We do not count honors—much to my comfort. There is small pleasure in being outbid by an opponent who holds four or five honors, setting him one trick, or maybe two, and then hearing that he has either beaten you on the hand or possibly lost 19 and incidentally held up the rubber. To the poor holder the elimination of honors is a boon.

With nullos in the game and honors out, my impression of the improvement might be expressed in the following equation: (Auction+nullos)+(Auction-honors)=Auction-luck.

Isn't that well put? It comes from the man who alone, among my readers, discovered a second solution to the eight-card nullos problem sent me some time ago by "A. F."

At any rate, let us remember our equation.

(Auction+nullos)+(Auction-honors)=Auction-luck.
Here is an interesting nullos situation:

♠ 9 4 3	♠ 8 7
♥ 6	♥ 5 2
♦ 10 9	♦ 8 7
♣ 8	♣ 7

Z is playing nullos, and can afford to take no more tricks. As originally played he took no more, and made his contract, thanks to an error of B's. Had B played well, Z would have been defeated by three tricks.

B is leading. He knows his partner has no more clubs (A's two original leads were the jack and five of clubs, and subsequent play showed he had no more). B wants to get rid of his hearts and his club and then to throw dummy in with the spade, forcing him to take the balance of the tricks.

B must lead out his two hearts and

one club, but he must lead the club first. On this club, A should throw his heart; if he throws his spade he ruins everything. Then B should lead a heart, on which A (having gotten rid of his heart) should discard a spade. B should then lead his second heart to keep dummy from getting back at him, and then his spade. Dummy would take three tricks.

The actual B made the mistake of leading a heart before he led his club. A, having had no chance to discard, was forced to take the balance of the tricks.

This was the test hand of Oct. 18, (score not given):

♠ 6 5 4	♠ 8 7
♥ 10 9 8 7	♥ 5 2
♦ 10 9 8 7	♦ 8 7
♣ 10 9 8 7	♣ 7

Z, "a nullos": A, "a heart": Y, "two nullos": B, "three clubs": Z, "three nullos": A, "three no-trumps": Y, "four nullos": Closed. Neither A nor B can bid "six clubs": at "four no-trumps" they would be badly beaten; Y would lead deuce of spades; Z, being dummy, would finesse the jack, and would then try to put Y in with a side-suit; he

wouldn't lead hearts, because A had bid them. He himself wouldn't lead diamonds up to the queen-jack. Seeing the big club-hand exposed and without its ace, and knowing that A's no-trumps were bid after hearing of B's clubs, Z would probably try to find the club-ace with Y. Being successful, Z and Y would make five straight tricks.

A-B might possibly make six-odd clubs, if they didn't bid them. But on a six-bid Z would lead his ace of spades, and, of course, Y's ace of trumps must make. On the other hand, Z-Y have no trouble whatever in making their four nullos.

I heard an odd thing the other day. Three men were playing three-handed auction. At the end of the evening A had 1100 points, B 800, and C 400. Now, of course, A should have won 300 from B and 700 from C. But B was convinced that though he had lost 300 points to A, he had won 400 from C. He subtracted the lowest score from the second and the second from the first. In this way the middle man won more than the top one. There is but one winner in three-handed auction, and that is the man with the top score.

Here is a hand that caused much discussion: first deal, new rubber:

♠ 7 6	♠ 10 5 2
♥ 10 9 8 7	♥ 5 2
♦ 10 9 8 7	♦ 8 7
♣ 10 9 8 7	♣ 7

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THE VAST TERRITORY OF UNGAVA IS THE SUBJECT OF AN ELABORATE REPORT

THE Department of Colonization, Mines, and Fisheries of the Province of Quebec has recently published a comprehensive report on the resources and characteristics of the huge region of Ungava, which was added to Quebec in 1912 and which has increased the area of the old French province from 351,873 to 703,635 square miles, making it by far the largest province of the dominion.

Ungava, whose name is derived from the Eskimo word meaning "far away," comprises the territory lying immediately north of the former boundaries of the province. It embraces the mainland approximately between latitude 53 degrees and 62 degrees 30 minutes, and between longitude 56 degrees and 79 degrees, with the exception of Labrador, which falls under the jurisdiction of Newfoundland.

With the exception of the white settlements along the north shore of the Gulf of St. Lawrence and on the Atlantic Coast and the few whites employed by the Hudson Bay Company, the inhabitants of Ungava are either Indians or Eskimos. The total population at the last census numbered 8,600 Indians, 2,000 Eskimos, and 8,800 whites. The white population along the gulf coast consists largely of French Canadians, who obtain a livelihood chiefly from the fisheries and from hunting.

On the Atlantic coast the whites, northward from the Strait of Belle Isle to Sandwich Bay, are largely English speaking, being either emigrants from Newfoundland or descendants of English fishermen formerly engaged in salmon fishing. North of Sandwich Bay, the white inhabitants are generally descended from the Hudson Bay Company employees, who married Eskimo women. These are known along the coast as "planters," and gain a fairly good living from the cod and salmon fishery in the summer and from hunting in the winter.

The numerous large lakes and most of the rivers, especially those flowing north and east, are stocked with an enormous supply of food fishes of large size and fine quality, including, among other species, lake and brook trout, landlocked and sea-run salmon, whitefish, pike, pickerel, suckers, and ling or fresh-water cod. Along the southern, eastern, and northern coasts the cod is taken in large quantities as far as Ungava Bay. Salmon are found plentifully along the coasts as far as the west side of Ungava Bay, which appears to be the western limit of the Atlantic salmon.

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Little is known officially or otherwise concerning the fisheries of Hudson Bay, and great wealth may be lying dormant in its waters. The inland fisheries have never been and possibly never will be exploited fully owing to their remoteness.

The climate ranges from cold temperate on the southern coasts to arctic on Hudson Strait and the highlands of the northern interior, and is generally so rigorous that it is doubtful if much territory can be used for agriculture beyond some of the low grounds on the coast. Nevertheless good crops of potatoes and other roots are grown as far north as Fort George, (latitude, 54 degrees.)

The interior of Ungava is described as a vast plateau, which rises somewhat abruptly within a few miles from the coast to a height of 1,500 to 2,500 feet. The streams consequently afford numerous water powers, more especially where they leave the interior plateau to flow through the strip of lowlands, a few miles away, immediately adjoining the coast. The Great Whale River, for instance, within 20 miles of the coast, has three falls, of 150, 230, and 95 feet, respectively. On its south branch, a few miles from its mouth, there is another fall of 136 feet.

The most remarkable of the falls, however, are stated to be the Grand Falls of the Hamilton River, with a sheer drop of 302 feet and an estimated discharge of 50,000 cubic feet per second. For twelve miles above the falls the bed of the river rises so rapidly that in this distance the difference of level, including the falls proper, is 700 feet. The Commission of Conservation, in its "Report on the Water Powers in Canada," bases its estimates of the horse power of this river on a low-water drainage of 0.4 cubic foot per second per square mile of drainage area, the quantity generally adopted under the climatic conditions of this country. This would make the estimated horse power of the falls, 120,000, and of the whole stretch of twelve miles 300,000.

There are in Ungava numerous lakes, estimated to occupy one-fourth of the total area. Hundreds of these bodies of water have a surface area of twenty to one hundred square miles. The country also has a network of streams, large and small, so that it is possible to travel in all directions by canoe, portages seldom exceeding three miles.

The forest area and range of trees vary greatly with latitude, altitude, distance from the sea, and character of the soil. Forests cover the southern part of the territory. North of latitude 53 degrees the higher hills are

out the wooded area of the peninsula, but is not equally abundant everywhere, its frequency depending largely on conditions.

Black spruce is the most abundant tree in Ungava, and constitutes over 90 per cent. of the forest. On the southern watershed the growth is very thick everywhere, the trees attaining a large size. The northern limit of the black spruce is that of the forest belt. Balsam fir is also found nearly to the edge of the forest belt. Larch is probably the hardest tree of the sub-arctic forest. It is next in abundance to black spruce.

White birch is found everywhere through the southern portion of the region. Aspen is found mostly in the southern portion. Balsam poplar grows further north than the aspen and appears to be confined to the heavy clay soil of the river valleys. Cedar occurs around the foot of James Bay and around Lake Mishassin, from which it extends southeast. Jack pine grows freely over the western half of the peninsula, where it is often seen along with jack spruce as a second growth, covering areas devastated by fire. White spruce is found through-

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Charles Hopkins, who built the new playhouse, which has been called the cutest theatre in New York, and who will direct its destinies, will also appear in the cast of the new play, and his fellow-players will be Herbert Yost, Edward Emery, Charles Hampden, John Edward Emery, Mrs. Hopkins, Louise Closser Hale, Eleanor Carey, Vera Poole, and Linda Bolton.

"The Marriage of Columbus," which has been played successfully in England and Scotland, gives an intimate view of the home life of the denizens of the sawdust ring, and it is found, according to advance announcements of the play, that their hearts and natures, guided by noble impulses, are as human as the country folk for whose amusement they risk neck and limb. "The Marriage of Columbus," tells of the strange and almost tragic experience of little Columbus, a dancing girl in the latter part of the nineteenth century. The confusing effect of a sweet, innocent mind coming in contact with the insistent history that belongs to a family of low social position, supplies the situations of the play. The scenes take place mainly in the lodgings of Scaramouche, the principal clown of the circus, in the town of Doverchester, toward the end of the last century.

The theatre itself is bound to come in for as much comment as the play itself. For several years the little theatres of Paris and London have been features of the intellectual and social life of those cities, and the Punch and Judy Theatre is the third of its class to be opened in New York. The naming of the Punch and Judy does not indicate the character of the performance to be given there, which will be in the regular line of any theatre devoted to the drama. The stage is ample to produce any sort of entertainment from a little comedy to a comic opera, its dimensions being 30 feet from footlights to back wall and 30 feet between the side walls. There are several theatres of extensive seating capacities in New York which have stages of smaller dimensions. From the footlights to the front of the auditorium is 40 feet, there being eighteen rows of seats. In addition to these 37 seats there are 10 seats in the boxes which run round the three sides of the boxstage floor. These boxes accommodate two, three, four, and six persons each.

The audience is seated in a semi-circle, the front of the stage being 30 feet from the footlights.

decorated in a modern adaptation of old English. The ceilings are lofty and heavily beamed, and furnished with large old English candle fixtures carrying electric lamps. The boxes are decorated with valances of tapestry in imitation of the period of Louis XIII. In dark green, red, and blue.

The Punch and Judy Theatre is unlike theatres which are only parts of buildings, including offices, shops, etc. It is a complete unit, occupying by itself alone the ground on which it stands, in dimensions 40 by 100 feet.

Harold Chapin, author of "The Marriage of Columbus," is an American by birth who has lived in England nearly all his life. He is now about 30 years of age. At present he is enlisted with the Royal Ambulance Corps of the English Army and doing service where the fighting is.

He has had an exceptionally wide experience on the stage, having been an actor, scene painter, stage manager, producer, and author. He was closely associated with Granville Barker in his Shakespearean and other productions, and has also produced a great many plays, among them "Fanny Free," "Plaster Saints," and "The Missing Plot." In the latter piece Mr. Chapin created the principal part, afterward played by Walker Whiteside, and resumed the part after Mr. Whiteside returned to America.

Chapin has written a great many one-act plays, among them "Every Man for His Own," "Augustus in Search of a Father," "The Dumb and Blind," "The Autocrat of the Office Stall," and "Muddle Anna," all seen not only in London, but in all the English repertory theatres. Of his longer plays, there are "Art and Opportunity," which Miss Marie Tempest first produced in London and has in her present repertory in America; "Wonderful Grandmama," a Christmas play, first done by Miss Horniman's players at the Gaiety Theatre, Manchester; "Elaine," produced first at the Liverpool Repertory Theatre, afterward at Manchester, and eventually at the Court Theatre, London, with Irene Barker and Milton Rosmer in the principal parts.

"The Marriage of Columbus" was first produced in London by the Play Actors.

TO BE CONTINUED.

Astor—"The Miracle Man."
Belasco—"Leo Dittichstein."
Booth—"Experience."
Casino—"Sun."
Candler—"On Trial."
Cohan—"It Pays to Advertise."
Comedy—"Marie Tempest."
Cort—"Under Cover."
Eltinge—"Innocent."
Empire—"Diplomacy."
80th Street—"The Only Girl."
44th Street—"The Little Domino."
45th Street—"The Law of the Land."
Fulton—"Twin Beds."
Gaiety—"Daddy Long-Legs."
Globe—"Montgomery and Stone."
Harris—"Nadine."
Hippodrome—"Wars of the World."
Hudson—"Rose Stahl."
Knickerbocker—"Girl from Utah."
Liberty—"Mrs. Patrick Campbell."
Long Acre—"Kick in."
Little—"A Pair of Silk Stockings."
Lyceum—"Elsie Ferguson."
Lyric—"The Battle Cry."
Manhattan—"Mr. Wu."
Maxine—"Panther."
New Amsterdam—"Papa's Darling."
Playhouse—"My Lady's Dress."
Republic—"Law Fields."
Shubert—"William Faversham."
Wallack—"The Highway of Life."
Winter Garden—"Dancing Around."

AT OTHER THEATRES.
BRONX OPERA HOUSE—"The Things That Count" will come to the Bronx tomorrow night for a stay of one week.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE—J. Leubrie Hill and his company of colored players begin a week's stay at the Grand tomorrow night in "My Friend from Kentucky," a musical comedy.

STANDARD THEATRE—Guy Bates Post comes back to New York tomorrow night, when he will once more be seen in "Omar, the Tent-maker."

COLUMBIA THEATRE—"Girls of the Great White Way," a two-act burlesque, will be at the Columbia this week, commencing with a matinee tomorrow.

MURRAY HILL—"Beauty, Youth and Folly" is the title of the burlesque which begins its engagement at the Murray Hill with a matinee tomorrow.

EDEN MUSEUM—New figures in wax, new illusions by Dunninger, and new motion pictures in color make up the programme for the week.

How Buck Wrote His Play.
Charles Neville Buck, author of "The Battle Cry," gathered his material for this melodrama of life in the Cumberland Mountains while working as a reporter and cartoonist for The Louisville Evening Post from 1900 to 1903. With Irvin S. Cobb as his colleague, Buck was assigned as special correspondent in Frankfort during the several trials of the Goebel case. This is his first play.

Joan Sawyer's Persian Garden.
Assisted by Nigel Barrie, Joan Sawyer appears every evening at her Persian Garden in a programme of new plays in French, Greek and a couple of old ones, including two specialities, "The Persian Garden" and "The Persian Boy." After the holidays the same programme will be given by him in New York, Brooklyn, Boston, and Worcester.

Mr. Faversham and Mlle. Donziet.
Shubert.FASHIONING MELODRAMA
FROM A REPORTER'S NOTES

The Author of the Play at the Manhattan Tells
of the Beginnings of "Life."

By Thompson Buchanan.

LIFE started one night at Sher-ry's last Winter at a dance of "The Sixty Club" and the climax of the second act in the play, where the heroine's father is murdered and her husband falsely accused of the crime, was planned and worked out over a couple of highballs while our leading actors and actresses hopped about, gayly furnishing an animated background to the plot.

If Miss Grace George hadn't failed to teach her husband the intricacies of the "Lame Duck" and the red-headed girl I took to the party hadn't found every other man there more interesting than I, "Life" probably would not now be playing at the Manhattan Opera House. So all honor where honor is due and Mr. Brady and I are now very much obliged to Miss Grace George and the red-headed girl for their lack of interest on that particular evening.

It resulted in our being left over in one corner with nothing but a highball and a grouch each for company.

The dialogue ran something like this: Brady—Hello, Buck, how do you feel? Buchanan—Like the villain in the third act.

Brady—If you could write him the way you look, he'd be a hit!

Buchanan—Well, I'd start it with a murder in a ballroom—right while the dance is going on.

Brady—Wait a minute. That's an idea! But you mustn't have murder first. That shouldn't come till the second act.

Buchanan—No, I want it here and now!

Brady—Forget it; here's a chance to make money! That ballroom murder looks good. And you'd have the cops come in.

Buchanan—Yes, but the villain gets away—I insist on that—and he puts the blame on a pin-headed leading man.

Brady—Good! Now, if you can lead up to that you'll get a situation. (To waiter) Two more of the same! And make mine strong!

Buchanan (after the "two more" have been received and absorbed)—What sort of cop comes in? Devery or McCluskey?

Brady—McCluskey. Gentlemen! George for a dress suit murder.

Buchanan—Gentlemen! George it is.

Brady—Well, we've done enough work for one night. But I'll tell you what I'll do, I'm going to French Lick in a couple of days. Come along with me—we'll talk it over. They write it and I'll put it on at the Manhattan Opera House.

Buchanan—Sherry's—French Lick—Manhattan Opera House—you're on!

And this is how "Life" came about. The next day Brady called at my hotel.

"You'll never do anything but light comedy and satire, but this is a different game. So I'm sending you some Henry Arthur Jones, Cecil Raleigh, Tom Taylor, Dion Boucicault, and a few more to show you what melodrama is like. Read them over and let me hear from you."

In due time an automobile truck backed up to my hotel with more plays than I thought had ever been produced in the world. After they had been installed and I had moved out into the hall I made a conscientious effort to read them. Next day I called up Brady.

Brady—McCluskey. Gentlemen! George for a dress suit murder.

That was what we were working for—a drama of the front page that everybody would know and everybody would recognize as real. Of course it had to be tamed down and toned down, for the drama of raw life printed every morning on the front page of any big New York daily, if put on the stage, would seem too wild, too far fetched, too much made up of absurdities and coincidences to appear reasonable to an audience for one moment.

With the exception of the murder scene at the end of the second act, which started in the conversation already outlined, every incident in the play is based on an absolute story of New York life that I worked on when a reporter on The New York Journal.

The incident of the stroke earman's falling in love with the rich man's daughter happened at Yale during the past seven years, only that stroke's crew was beaten in that race, but she married him just the same.

The villainess and the villain are both widely known New York characters still living, but of course we mustn't mention their names. Only in real life his infatuation for her cost him millions.

Dutch Joe is an actual character in New York, and he met a picturesque death about four years ago. O'Brien in real life was also named O'Brien. He was a crook who tried to turn straight.

The District Attorney's office used him for over a year in running down a particularly foul murderer. The murderer was caught, convicted and executed, but the day after he met his death in Sing Sing O'Brien was found mysteriously killed on the very spot where the original murder occurred.

The scene scene, which has attracted perhaps more attention than any other, grew out of the newspaper exposé of a notorious faker, and it so happened that Mr. Brady and I were both partly responsible for the exposé. The idea of Dutch Joe's terror under pursuit came to me as the result of one of my own experiences when a reporter.

I was sent to a neighboring city with instructions to get flash-light pictures of the interior of a notorious illegal hospital, which not even the police had been able to enter.

Watching our chance, another Journal man and myself used our New York police cards as badges of authority and, covering up the same "New York," broke in and arrested the people in the house, got our flash-light pictures of the interior of a notorious illegal hospital, which not even the police had been able to enter.

We had to run for it, and after a night spent without shelter in the rain I got back to New York with a very good idea of how it feels to be pursued by the law.

The Sing Sing scene actually happened in its main features and Mr. Brady was the guest at the party when a man was brought over from the prison to the Warden's house. The method of escape was taken from a sensational escape from the Tombs engineered by a woman.

She got into the Tombs and exchanged clothes with her lover and took his place in his cell while he made his escape. He got away safely to Chicago and promptly forgot the woman who saved him. A few years later, however, she married a very prominent New York man.

So you see "Life" is actually a drama of New York based not on imagination entirely, but on facts—the every day happenings in a reporter's life.

BROOKLYN AMUSEMENTS.
MONTAUK THEATRE—Douglas Fairbanks will appear at the Montauk this week in "He Comes Smiling."

DE KALB THEATRE—"Too Many Cooks" with Frank Craven, the author of the play, in the leading rôle, comes to the De Kalb tomorrow.

MAJESTIC THEATRE—"The Third Party" with Walter Jones and Taylor Holmes in the leading rôles, will be the attraction here for one week.

The Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday evening performances will be for the benefit of the German Hospital.

PROSPECT THEATRE—The vaudeville bill at the Prospect is headed by Eddie Foy and the seven Little Boys; Claude and Fanny Under in "The Straight Path," and Raymond and Calverly, German comedians.

BUSHWICK THEATRE—Valeria Berger heads the vaudeville programme in "The Locks at Panama," and other headliners are Benjie Wyan and Paul Morton and Naomi Glass.

ORPHEUM THEATRE—The vaudeville bill is headed by Kitty Gordon in "Alma's Return"; Emma Carson and Earl Randall in songs and dances; and Wellington Crane and Lois Josephine.

Second Thoughts on First Nights

A Tribute to a Great Clown—On Institutions in General
and "The Lilac Domino" in Particular.

ONE musical comedy is much like another, and precious seldom does any of them, no matter how well calculated to make an evening pass pleasantly, present material for second thoughts on first nights. Some of the workers in this field, however, do command space in the theatrical memoirs of most of us, and it would be a quite hopelessly incomplete diary of a theatregoer that did not, from time to time, make appreciative note of the wonderful and unrivaled art of Fred Stone.

Rarely does a year go round without his appearance at the comfortable Globe Theatre. One of the shortcomings of last season was its painful omission of his annual visit to Broadway. That visit means a good deal to a great many people, for it can always be chronicled in terms of wholesome laughter. The inseparable team of Montgomery and Stone may not have added to the safety of nations, as Charles that seems grimly incongruous in these days, but it has added substantially to the safety of the United States. Just now it is adding to the safety of New York, and if there be anything in the traditional relation between laughter and plumpness, then the ingenious inquirer was inspired who recently sought information here as to the quality of this new entertainment called "Double Chin."

There are many good things in "Chin-Chin," and the best of them is Mr. Stone. What shall he be called? A clown? The word has long been in unobserved disrepute, and even before philosophers began to fall out over the question as to whence it came there seems to have been a widespread disposition to think of all clowns as a bit coyish. It is a common thing to say "a clown" when you mean "a poor clown."

But if, for the present purpose, we may define the clown as one whose comedy is within himself, as opposed to the comedian who interprets the comedy of a text, then let us call Fred Stone a clown.

Despite the interesting record that he once played Topsy, who knows how he would fare as a comedian? And who cares? He is one in that honorable and high succession of those who have made clowning an art. Let us call him, then, a great clown, and leave it at that.

Regard his comedy has nothing whatever to do with what he has to say. He says very little. His immense humor is within himself. It is not a matter of speech at all. There is humor in the curl of his lip, there is a world of fun in his shoulders. He can jest with his elbows, provoke a smile with his talented hands, he droll with his nose, and execute a delicate and intricate comedy with his feet. He is every inch a clown. It is customary to speak of especially competent stage folk as artists to their finger tips. Fred Stone is an artist to the tips of his toes.

He glides in an agreeable fashion, largely his own. He dances as few can dance. But essentially he is a comedian. Since the modern steps have swept the country, they have been made the subject of stanzas and symphonies, revues, matines, jokes, editorials, and sermons. Up at the Globe they are pumped up finally and deftly by Mr. Stone in new ventures. He ends a tiny song with a partner through

the eccentric measures, and when he is done you may applaud his agility and skill, but what lingers delightfully in the memory is the fact that he has achieved a perfect parody.

He does a variety of things. His Paderewski burlesque is richly amusing. He gives a remarkable imitation of an old-style ventriloquist in a make-up that makes him look for all the world like some one Mark Twain saw down the Mississippi. Finally, he brings down the house with a pink and fluttering appearance as an equestrienne in a one-ring circus, frantically trying to have one foot at least touching the placidly jogging mount and lavishly blowing kisses to the audience whenever she wishes to pass off a disastrous tumble as something especially fine in acrobatics. A well-trained, unemotional circus horse, doubtless accustomed to the vagaries of the ring, supports this last endeavor, but it is fancy that detects in the animal's eye a puzzled glance, as if this incredible rider were something quite new under the canvas.

There is a common saying to the effect that it does not matter much in what Montgomery and Stone appear. Manager Dillingham seems to have forgotten this. As a musical comedy, of course, "Chin-Chin" is quite negligible. Indeed, it is no musical comedy at all, but just a huge extravaganza, with many lights, and for its bright, particular star a cosmic clown.

THE Globe Theatre is the New York home of Montgomery and Stone, and with their recurrent appearances there the playhouse is taking on the nature of an institution. An institution may be here defined as something to be revisited. The Globe management aims, apparently, to make everything festive, there, and there are not a few theatres in town that could profitably take a leaf out of its book. It is highly imprudent to begin by chilling an audience with a bleak interior or annoying it with shoddy service. No theatre, either in its location, its dress, or its manners, can make a poor entertainment or break a good one, but it can help to a measurable degree, a fact which is sometimes overlooked. This is not overlooked at the Globe. Everything there is right, down to the smallest and most recently washed programme box.

Of institutions, by the way, the New York theatrical thoroughfare can boast few. The apparently irrevocable passing of the stock company is partly responsible. We shall not have another Daly's—worse luck. Certain theatres, however, have that continuity of policy which invites and cultivates a following and appeals for that priceless theatrical property called affection. There is something of this at the Empire and at the Belasco. Mr. Ames is building it up at the Little Theatre. May good luck attend the venture of the Punch & Judy.

In the field of the music halls, Weber & Fields is no more and nothing quite takes its place. The Winter Garden, however, is acquiring in its own way some of the qualities of an institution, thanks chiefly to the personality of Mr. Jolson, whose good singing and exuberant affability have made him many friends. They are particularly in evidence of a Sunday evening, when, forgetting his make-up, he howls about the footlights, overhauling as informally as

the author who has spent many months in the perplexing business of constructing and writing a play naturally grows tired of it as soon as, or even before, it is produced. It is a tribute to your delightful performance of Mary Whitechell that, though I find a decreasing interest in watching the play, I find an increasing pleasure in watching your performance.

"In every play it matters little what the author has conceived and written if it is not vitalized by the actor. It is only that part of a play, or that part of a character, which is thus vitalized by the acting—it is only this which counts with an audience."

How wonderfully you have vitalized every moment of Mary Whitechell! How right is every accent, how clearly cut every gesture, how significant every movement, every glance, every look! What a happy vivacity of mischief, what a fascinating, busy energy there is about it all, like that of some pretty butterfly suddenly become industrious! "You seem to have a perpetual enjoyment in your art. It isn't work; it is just a pleasurable activity, which infects all who watch it. In these days of long runs, how often does one notice a decline of the actor's interest in his work after the first few weeks of a successful play. If it is a comedy, it is forced into a noisy farce! If it is a serious drama, it loses its freshness and sincerity of feeling. But an impersonation of yours continually refreshes the first, bright, eager impulse; it remains spontaneous to the end, and kindles a responsive sympathy of laughter and emotion as surely as the last night as on the first."

AN AUTHOR'S TRIBUTE.

Henry Arthur Jones Takes Off His Hat to Marie Tempest.

Marie Tempest has inaugurated her repertoire at the Comedy Theatre with a play in which she has already appeared both in England and Canada. It is "Mary Goes First," and in the Drama League's reading edition of that diverting trifle there is a dedication which gives expression to the playwright's gratitude to the artist who makes his creation live. This dedication is a letter to Marie Tempest from Henry Arthur Jones. Here it is:

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IN AND ABOUT THE AMUSEMENT WORLD



TOPPING THE VAUDEVILLE BILLS

PALACE THEATRE—Adeline Genée and her company in a varied programme of dances, Joan Sawyer, with Nigel Barrie and George Harcourt, in modern dances, and Dorothy Toye, the girl with two voices.

HAMMERSTEIN'S VICTORIA—Paul Swan in classic dances, the Singer company of midgets, and James and Bonnie Thornton in old songs and new stories.

BROADWAY THEATRE—Daisy Harcourt, the English comedienne, in songs and "patter"; Edith Merriells and company in songs of the nations and a musical comedy skit, "The Little Lambs."

COLONIAL THEATRE—Adelaide and Hughes, in dances; Belle Blanche, the impersonator of prima donnas, and Marshall Montgomery, the ventriloquist.

ALHAMBRA THEATRE—Blanche Ring and company in "Oh, Papa"; Flo Irwin and company in "The Lady of the Press," and Bobbie North, the character comedian.

ROYAL THEATRE—Houdini in his mystifying tricks, Harry Fox and Jenny Dolly and Sophie Bernard in songs.

It is perhaps useless to remark at this late day that Adeline Genée is a dancer with her feet. Miss Genée has danced her way pretty much around the world and everybody who admires dancing at all has probably seen her at work. Few people, however, know that she is as nimble with her hands. Not that Genée walks or dances on her hands. Far from it, although a certain round press agent for another dancer who came to this country sent out, not so long ago, a story to the newspapers that his star was so careful of her feet that for three hours every day she walked on her hands to save her soles. It was a very good story, but somehow it never got into type. Perhaps the dramatic editors didn't believe it.

But to get back to Genée, the little Danish dancer who will be at the Palace Theatre this week. She has been in America this time just three weeks, and most of that time she has been knitting, knitting, knitting. "I know what it means for one's feet to get tired," she told an interviewer the other day. "When I first began to dance my feet used to ache and ache and ache, and I think the soldiers in that terrible war in Europe must feel much the way I did. They march so much, and so I am knitting warm, comfortable socks for them. I don't know how many pairs I have made since the war began—maybe a hundred, but I am going to keep at it."

"I'm in America for just five weeks and these five weeks will be my last on the stage. You see I had left the stage

supposedly for good and settled down in London with my husband, who is a lawyer. A few weeks ago he had to come to America on business and so I came with him. His business has taken him up into Canada, and I could not help him in any way, so I decided to put in the time dancing. Not for myself, understand. I have really and truly given up stage work for myself, but all of the profit from my present engagement is going to the relief fund in London.

"I began to dance when I was 7 years old. How long ago was that? Well, I was born in 1880 and you can figure that out for yourself. My first professional engagement did not come for ten years later, when I appeared at the leading theatre in Copenhagen. Then I danced for several seasons at the Royal Opera House in Berlin and afterward in Munich. This month is the anniversary of my first appearance in London, for it was in November, 1897, that I first danced at the Empire Theatre, and I was the première danseuse there for ten years. There I danced not only the classical dances, but the Italian dances and even skirt dances.

"I came to New York the first time in 1908 and danced in 'The Soul Kiss.' I came back to dance in 'The Silver Star' and 'The Bachelor Belles,' and then I made a tour in vaudeville. Since then I have danced in England, but since my marriage I have done very little dancing and now I am almost through."



ALICE BRADY ~
in "The Thing That Count"
Bronx Opera



GUY BATES POST ~
in "Omni the Tentmaker"
Standard



OLGA PETROVA ~
New York

NOTES WRITTEN ON THE SCREEN

BROADWAY ROSE GARDENS—"The Wishing Ring."

STRAND THEATRE—"The Man from Home."

VITAGRAPH THEATRE—"Two Women" and "The Little Angel of Canyon Creek."

HAMMERSTEIN'S LEXINGTON—Feature films.

CASINO THEATRE—"Salomy Jane," (today only).

Let your memory wander backward a score of years into Songland; a flood of old melodies comes rushing down, and with them the lyric choruses and favorite pop lines that were famous in their day. And now crowding into all these recollections comes the deluge of today's melodies, all with the lift and catchiness of those of yesterday. Where do they all come from, who writes them all, and where is that seemingly inexhaustible fount of ideas and inspiration?

It was a very wise old man who said that he would rather write the songs of a nation than make its laws, and ever since then people have been curious to find out where songs come from. So there was another wise man who, finding out that everybody wanted to know where songs came from, started out to tell them. He was a very up-to-date wise man, and instead of promising to begin "once upon a time," he set upon a scheme that would combine in the telling something that would engage the eye, interest, and amuse, and besides have melody.

The result was animated song stories, and with its findings came a newly found novelty in that ever-wonderful realm of the screen, the film, and the movies. While the melody is being sung, you see a music publisher who have heard of all your life telephoning to a song writer that he must have a new composition. The film files to the writer and shows him digesting his brain for an idea; he meets his partner, the composer, and they both go idea hunting. It may be William Jerome and Jean Schwartz—you see them working to release an idea—and presently Jerome remarks:

"I say, Jean, let's go sightseeing; it might turn over something." "Im-mense," replies Jean; "let's go down to the river for the fun and old times of it."

And off they go, and you see them all along the trip, for you are sightseeing on the film with them. It's Chinatown now, and you go with them in the round, up of celestial Chin-land until presently they stop—it's an inspiration. You follow them back to home, to the studio, or to anywhere there's a piano, and you are with them while they work and with them you are on the scene of the making of the newest song, "Chinatown, My Chinatown." And all the time you have seen it in its making you have been hearing the melody, so that when the chorus is finished on the sheet you join with the singer in singing the song you have seen the making of.

Charles Richman in "The Man from Home," Booth Tarkington and Harry Leon Wilson's clever comedy, will be seen on the screen at the Strand Theatre this week. Mr. Richman portrays the role of Daniel Voorhees Pike, the booster lawyer, and is assisted by Theodore Roberts, Fred Montague, Monroe Salisbury, and Dorothy Quincy.

A picturization of the Rev. Cyrus Townsend Brady's dramatic story of the far-reaching influence of a child, "The Little Angel of Canyon Creek," adapted for the screen from the novel of the same name by Col. Jasper Ewing Brady, and the interesting drama of life, "Two Women," written by James Oliver Curwood, are the feature pictures of the current programme at the Vitagraph Theatre, and which begin their second week on Monday.

The Casino Theatre this afternoon and



LAURA HOPE CREWS ~
Palace

tonight will present "Salomy Jane," a seven-reel photoplay released by the Alco Film Company. It is taken from the story of a romance of the Blue Ridge Mountains. This is the first time this picture has been shown on Broadway.

Director Frank Crane and the "As Ye Sow" company, who are making the Allee Brady feature for the World Film Corporation, are acting in East Gloucester, Mass. There are eleven principals in the play, and twenty people who take minor parts as sailors and

spectators. Little Miss Jane Lee of New York, a sweet, winsome lassie of two years seven months, with laughing blue eyes and flaxen hair, is the youngest actor in the company. Miss Alice Brady is the star.

The Hippodrome spectacle "America" in motion-picture form, which is a special release of the World Film Corporation, was chosen as an opening feature by Melvin G. Wainstock, the General Manager of the National Amusement Company, that opens the new National Theatre in Portland, Ore.

Will Deming, record holder drama, Lincoln J. Carter, was at the very top notch of his reign in Chicago, and I played in several of his blood-and-thunder productions. Finally I decided that I would branch out as a manager, and as the United States did not offer a broad enough field for my managerial talents I took one of Mr. Carter's plays to London. We shall not discuss that venture any further now. Let the dead past bury its dead. But I will say that if the German Army ever gets to London I hope they hunt up that first-night audience which attended my opening effort.

Between the years 1900 and 1905 I think I established a world's long distance endurance acting record. I was in stock during those seasons and played nearly 400 parts in that time. I don't think any one else even came near that mark in five years.

William A. Brady is a manager who appreciates endurance in anything or anybody, and after my remarkable record in the stock field, he took me with him, and from Brady I went to Cohan and Harris and so here I am.

"Have I been talking about myself too much? Well, it pays to advertise, you know."

Irving Place Theatre.
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LAURA HOPE CREWS, A STORY OF WORK

THE story behind the success scored by Laura Hope Crews as the woman in "The Phantom Rival" is a story of hard work. Miss Crews has been an actress of recognized accomplishments for many years but her brilliant and charming performance as Louise Marshall is the high achievement of her career. It is always interesting to look back over the stage biography when any such large personal success is made in the theatre. As often is the case with theatrical biographies, the stage story of Miss Crews begins with her childhood. A native of California, she went on the stage when she was only four years old. That was at Woodward's Garden, San Francisco. Later she took the leading rôle in "Editha's Burglar" and toured the Pacific Coast as a child actress.

At the age of nine she was starred in a play called "Spray," and the play and its youthful star, after a successful run in San Francisco, was sent on tour in the big cities of the country west of Chicago. Immediately after this starring venture she was removed from the stage by her parents and sent to the State Normal School at San José.

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PINCHING FOR 'DIPLOMACY' IN FROHMAN'S LEAN YEARS

Being an Old Hard-Luck Story About a Forgotten Revival of the Sardou Drama.

THE production of "Diplomacy," now occupying the stage of the Empire Theatre, represents Mr. Frohman's fourth attempt to give the public that favorite play adapted from the original "Dora" by Victorien Sardou. In an article in the current number of The Theatre Magazine, Vanderheyden Fyles mentions three of these attempts, noting as the earliest a far-away production in which William Morris had the part now played by William Gillette and Maude Adams was in the rôle now being done by Marie Doro. But that production was as long ago as it was remote geographically. The next was the 1901 revival, with Faversham, Jessie Millward, and Miss Anglin in the triumvirate rôle.

But it seems that the Maude Adams cast was not the first Frohman production of "Diplomacy" at all, for even before that, in the lean years when the Empire was not, and the only Frohman star was Henry Miller, Mr. Frohman used the play in his quest of Western dollars. He then had two companies. The one playing south of the Pacific Slope was Mr. Miller's company, the other was a journeying cast presenting "Diplomacy." It is interesting to recall this production, for it belongs to that part of Mr. Frohman's biography before he became a producer with an international reputation.

He himself was jogging along with his players, times were hard, and box office receipts were slim. Of difficulties there were many of the fly-by-night variety. There was such a pinch that at one time there was simply no paying the salaries. Some of the members of the company deserted. It was not difficult to get along without the maid, if there was one, but when the Marquise packed up and departed, things looked very gloomy. Mr. Frohman refused to be discouraged. If there was to be no mother for Dora there could at least be a mother's picture, at small expense, and so it happened that the audience which saw that production of "Diplomacy" at the critical juncture had the pleasure of listening to the Sardou heroine conversing thus:

"You are no longer with me, Mother, but I am looking at your dear picture and I tell you 'So and so.' If you were with me, I know well enough that you would answer 'So and so.'"

And in that thrifty fashion the tale was told. It is just a paragraph in the amusing history of "Diplomacy." Some fragments of that history were given in these pages a fortnight ago. There are many others in Mr. Fyles's article which has since been published. It seems the part of the maid was once played by Mary Shaw. Says Mr. Fyles:

"That was many, many years ago, when she and E. H. Sothorn were partners, at the famous Boston Museum. 'We had two small parts,' as Miss Shaw describes the evening; 'he was a French valet and I the maid, and we had quite a little scene—perhaps ten minutes. Eddie entered and spoke half a dozen words, looked at me wildly for a moment, and then fairly flew from the stage. I meekly followed him. We were fitted \$5 apiece and retired to the positions of walking gentleman and lady for some time.'"

There is also the record of Rose Coghlan attending the first night at the Empire in 1901, when Jessie Millward played Miss Coghlan's old part, which falls to Blanche Bates in the present revival. Nazimova, by the way, was originally intended for the part of Zickler in the present production. Says Mr. Fyles:

"Rose Coghlan was in the audience at the Empire first-night, having been persuaded by a New York newspaper to review it. She tactfully wrote nothing very definite, as anything commendatory she might say about the Countess Zicka would have been put down as insincere and anything adverse as common jealousy. For no rôle is more intimately associated with Miss Coghlan's name than Zicka, nor has any later actress dimmed the lustre of her fame in it."

How did "Dora," by Sardou, come to be known forever as "Diplomacy" in the English and American theatre? The question is answered by Sir Squire Bancroft in his autobiography:

"When the play was read to the company it produced a profound impression. Then there arose a tantalizing difficulty as to its title. Our dear old friend, Charles Reade, reminded us of the ex-lustre of his play, 'Dora,' founded on Tennyson's poem. Several other suggested titles were found to be liable to the same objections. Eventually all the titles thought of were, one night at home, written on slips of paper and put into a hat. We decided that the one drawn offstage in a given time should be resolved on. This chance to be 'Diplomacy.'"

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IN THE WINGS WHERE THERE ARE NONE

VIEWING "Wars of the World" at the New York Hippodrome from behind the scenes is not the safe, pleasant occupation that one usually experiences when standing in the wings of any other theatre. First of all it is an occupation, and secondly, there are no wings to stand in or to lean against. Instead, people and things lean against you in the dark changes of scenery chorus people, hundreds of them, fall over you, plunging horses threaten to step on you, cannons and carts and carriages are backed up against you, stage hands pin you against the wall with huge pieces of scenery or immense battlements, and most of the time bombs are bursting over your head or streams of water, from under your feet, wet you through and through.

Aside from these little difficulties, seeing "Wars of the World" from the side lines is an exciting and pleasing indoor sport. It might be better even to classify it as an outdoor pastime, because when you are "back stage" at the Hippodrome you seem to be out of the time home are bursting over your head or streams of water, from under your feet, wet you through and through.

And then, when the battle scene begins, the reality increases. Even on the stage, out of sight of the audience, the soldiers are very, very real. Cannon are being rushed into position to be dashed out on to the stage. Horses plunge around, drivers tug at the reins and swear at their mounts, and while everything is done in as methodical a manner as possible, there is enough life and enthusiasm about the whole thing to make it intensely interesting.

One of the most realistic things the audience sees is the bombs bursting in the air. They look for all the world as though they were really shot out of big guns and timed to go off over the heads of the soldiers. As a matter of fact, the bombs are hung on wires from "way up in the top of the stage somewhere, and a very elaborate switch-board is operated by an assistant stage manager to set off the fireworks electrically in a continuous but entirely pre-arranged order.

The horses are always full of life and excitement in the battle scenes, but the same cannot be said of other animal actors at the Hippodrome. About the most uninterested and even disgusted looking individuals when they are on the stage are the camels. The ele-

phants run them a close second. Natural history does not record whether or not the camel is entirely unemotional, but certainly the ones at the Hippodrome have learned to control their feelings to a wonderful extent.

The only scene viewed from the back of the stage at the Hippodrome which seems at all artificial is an artificial scene. Strangely enough, it is the "heaviest," to use a stage hand's expression, and most elaborate of all of the settings in the massive production. This is the Terrace of Fontaines, which comes right at the end of the performance and which, although shown to the audience for but four minutes, requires several hundred men, a great mass of machinery, and nearly twenty minutes to get into position.

To see the large, terraced fountain set into place is like watching a building going up, except that much of it is already constructed and either hung above on steel cables or pushed into place on trucks. Once the big scene is in place a force of plumbers—they have to be union plumbers, the stage union looking out for that, you may be sure—connect up the pipes which carry the water for the giant cascade, and then the young women who appear as the water nymphs climb into place.

After it is all over there is a rush for the drying room, underneath the stage. The drying room, where the girls dress and undress, and where they hang their clothes and wipe to bake out, is like the steam room in a Turkish bath. Some of the girls in the Hippodrome chorus have been at that showerhouse ever since it opened, and they have been using that steam room twice a day during each season. If it has hurt them any to spend fifteen or twenty minutes there every afternoon, and the same length of time again every evening, they do not show the ill-effects in the least.

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"It is all a matter of temperament and temper," says Mr. Jolson. "I have seen and heard comedians who had really funny 'stuff' but yet could not make the people laugh; then, again, I have seen others whose stuff was anything but humorous and the audience would howl with laughter. In the first place the personality of the man who is doing the act cuts a big figure in the entertainment. From the minute he steps on the stage the audience must feel his influence. And then the audience plays its part."

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"The reason is that the holiday spirit takes possession of the audience and it comes into the theatre prepared and ready to laugh. It laughs at the slightest opportunity, and it is so hearty and spontaneous in its welcome to the actor that the latter feels encouraged, his spirits are buoyed up, and he gives a rattling good performance."

"I recall the night that President McKinley died. I was working at the time at a theatre in St. Louis. The oppressive feeling was in the air. I could not make the people laugh. Just before a national election is also a period which is very hard on the actor. About nine out of every ten has his mind set on the election, and he pays but little attention to the performance. It would be a good bet to say that he did not want to come to the theatre at all, but was forced to it by a wife, sweetheart, or some female member of his family. And no he generally goes to the playhouse with a groan which the earnest efforts of the hard-working comedian cannot relieve."

DIALECT DISTINCTIONS.

McIntyre and Heath Explain Many Negro Differences.

McIntyre and Heath undoubtedly owe as much to their long and careful study of the varying dialects and mannerisms of the Southern negro as to their own sense of humor. They had the best of opportunities to study the negro at close range during the early years of their partnership, when their first formed organization, McIntyre and Heath's Minstrel, was struggling through Southern territory not very long after the civil war. McIntyre recently admitted that "sometimes we had to go out in our burnt cork after terribly bad business and by talking to the negroes got enough to eat."

In a communication that was read a few years ago before the New York Association of Ethnological Science these comedians asserted that the colored roustabouts of Charleston (S. C.), where they spoke with a distinct Irish dialect, due to association with descendants of the Irish emigrants who landed in South Carolina about seventy-five years ago. The New Orleans negro introduces many perversions of French and Spanish dialect. The negro of the New Orleans negro scarcely understood the darky deck-hand who comes flat-boating down from the Red River country, the once dreaded land which was the scene of many of the incidents in Harriet Beecher Stowe's story, "Uncle Tom's Cabin." Again one finds beaver and lower pitched voices in South Carolina than in Virginia, Kentucky, or Tennessee, where today the negro continues to be more purely African than in other sections. James McIntyre speaks the Alabama, and Tom Heath, the Georgia dialect, and a study of the pronunciations proves most interesting.

WHO WROTE FIELDS PLAY?

Stenographer Claims Honors of "High Cost of Living."

Although Frank Mandel draws royalty for "The High Cost of Living," the farce in which Lew Fields is appearing at the Republic Theatre, Mr. Mandel admits that it was Manager A. H. Woods's stenographer who actually wrote it, though Mr. Mandel still insists that he is the author. Sounds paradoxical, but the facts are these:

When Mr. Mandel first submitted the manuscript to Mr. Woods it was entitled "The High Cost of Living." It didn't take Mr. Woods long to discover that the "High Cost of Living" was suited to Lew Fields, and within a few minutes after he had read the last page he was dictating a letter of acceptance. Perhaps Mr. Woods was still laughing over the funny situations when he was dictating that letter, perhaps it was the fact that the letter "O" is next to be typed on the typewriter keyboard, but by that time it was too late. Mr. Mandel came to sign the epistle his gaze detected the fact that the title of the play had been altered by mistake to "The High Cost of Living."

KATE PRICE'S INVOLUNTARY BATH.

Kate Price is fast becoming a heavyweight among the Vitaphone comedians, and her increasing avoirdupois was responsible for two bad half hours some few days apart. Kate was supposed to be in "Arcadia," about to make a voyage back to the Old World. The vessel in which she was to make the journey was a raft, festooned with garlands of flowers, while elaborate preparations on land had been made to bid her God-speed. She stepped aboard the raft prepared to bid farewell to her cheering friends on shore, when both Kate and the raft sank from sight. The captain of the raft was not a heavy-weighted man, as a passenger, and Kate was treated to a good ducking and a bad fright. Two days later another raft, many pounds heavier and considerably stronger, was in readiness, and Kate in testing it found it would hold her. The captain of the second ducking and the raft, before it could be rescued, was smashed on a rock. Kate personally superintended the construction of the third raft, which, when completed, turned out to be an old-fashioned catamaran, strong enough to hold her. The next time the Vitaphone wants me to do an aquatic picture, exclaimed the comedienne, "I have a raft to furnish me with an ocean liner or a diving suit, and I refuse to get wet twice in the same picture."

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Upper Manhattan Apartments Transferred—Many Bronx and Suburban Deals.

Levine & Smith, who have owned the flat at 20 Division Street for some time, have added to their holdings by acquiring the adjoining property at 22 and 24 Division Street, covered by a four-story building on plot 27.6 by 110. They now control a plot of about 49 feet front between the Bowery and Chrystie Street, on which they are planning the erection of a six-story building.

The property just purchased was bought from Dr. Richard L. Howell, one of the heirs of the George L. Lorillard estate, whose family owned the neighboring property for many years. The deal was a cash transaction. E. H. Ludlow & Co. were the brokers in the transaction.

Upper Manhattan Flats Transferred.

The Minnet Realty Company, Bernard Naumburg, President, took title yesterday from the Haven Construction Company to two five-story apartment houses on the northwest corner of Northern Avenue. Title was then transferred to Leah Harris. The houses are well rented and were sold subject to mortgages of \$160,000.

The deal was closed by the M. Morgenthau Jr. Company, which recently sold the adjoining house on Northern Avenue and 180th Street, leaving only the 50-foot house on 180th Street still to be sold to complete the sale by the builder of the entire property.

Resale of Harlem Flats.

R. A. Myers has purchased for investment from the Airmor Realty Company 208 and 270 West 131st Street, two five-story flats on a plot 50 by 100. The sellers acquired the property several weeks ago in a trade.

Investors Buying Tenements.

Clarence A. Anderson has sold to the Brown Weiss Realty 22 West 51st Street, a five-story flat on a plot 37.6 by 100.5.

David Chenken has sold for the Franklin Trust Company to an investor 628 East Fifteenth Street, a five-story tenement, on lot 25 by 105.8, between Avenues B and C.

David Lion sold to F. R. Arbolino, for investment, 324 East 109th Street, a five-story tenement on a lot 25 by 100. R. Prezzono negotiated the sale.

Brooklyn Sales.

Frank A. Magier has sold for a client 910 Whitlock Avenue, a three-story, two-family house, on plot 25 by 134, near Tiffany Street.

Sales at Bronxville.

Benjamin E. Smythe has purchased from Mrs. Jennie Korber six lots in Bronxville Terrace, N. Y. The firm of Burke Stone acted as brokers and they have also sold two lots on Front Avenue for A. Crocker to J. J. Bajusz.

Bank and Realty Firm Removals.

With the removal of the Mechanics and Metals National Bank from 50 Wall Street to the former home of the Fourth National Bank at 20 Nassau Street, the real estate firm of George R. Road has leased for its new quarters large ground floor space at 30 Nassau Street, in the Mutual Life Insurance Company Building. The Mechanics and Metals Bank purchased its Wall Street property in 1912 for about \$1,500,000. What disposition will be made of the property has not been announced.

Commercial Leases.

D. S. Hess & Co. of 453 Fifth Avenue have leased new quarters at 3 East Fortieth Street, taking the entire building. The building about to be vacated adjoins the old F. W. Vanderbilt home and with the latter is included in the plot leased to Arnold, Constable & Co. for their new building. The lease was closed by Stephen H. Tyng, Jr., & Co., in conjunction with T. H. Morganstern. The Tyng Company has also leased the store at 21 East Sixteenth Street to Seidman Brothers.

E. A. Turner has leased for the Borough Realty Company two stores in the Hotel Raymond, 42 to 46 East Twenty-eighth Street, for the estate of Jonathan Petrie, the house 107 East Thirtieth Street, to Mrs. K. B. Nell.

Dwellings Leased.

The Houghton Company has leased, furnished, for Margaret McKoon the three-story dwelling at 19 West Ninety-fifth Street, to W. T. Williams.

Stevens House Doomed.

The old Stevens House, on the southwest corner of Broadway and Morris Street, is doomed to destruction in the near future. The Broadway subway will run under the building. Condemnation proceedings against the property have been instituted by the Public Service Commission.

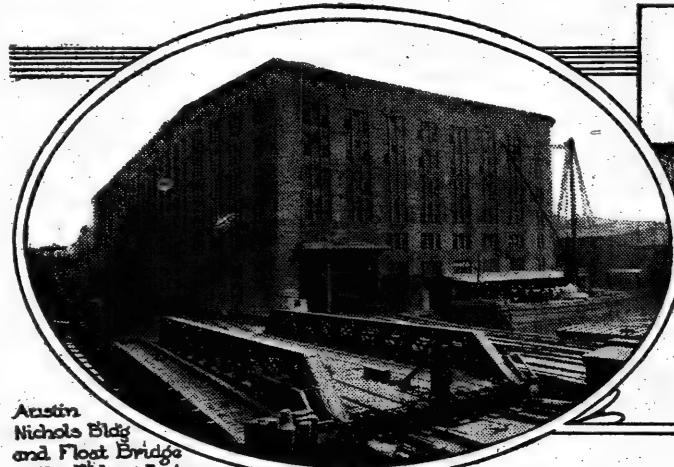
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As a result of the efforts of the Commerce Committee of the Chamber of Commerce of the Borough of Queens, the United States Government has established pier and bulkhead lines for Dutch Kills Creek, a tributary of Newtown Creek.

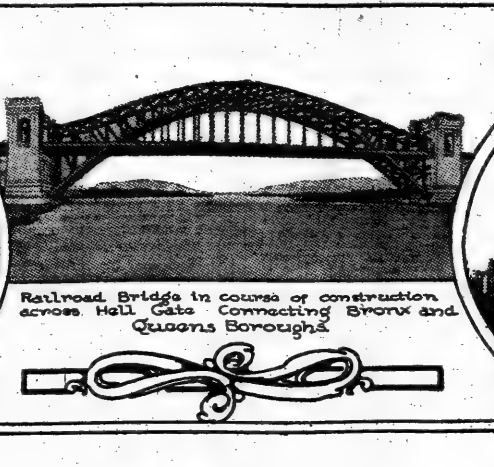
Joseph P. Day will speak tomorrow night at the Brooklyn Y. M. C. A., 11 Bond Street, on the subject of "The Formation and Use of Progressive Lists."

IMPORTANT TRADE MOVEMENT TO THE WATERFRONT OF THE BOROUGH OF BROOKLYN AND QUEENS

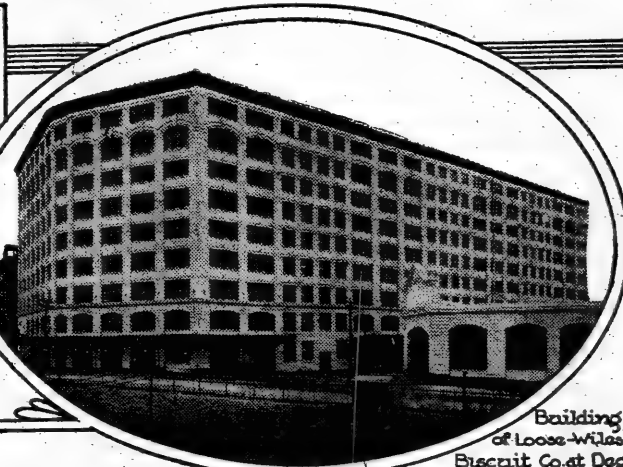
Hundreds of Wholesale Houses and Manufacturers Secure Railroad Connections by Means of Float Bridges and Car Floats—Monster Loft Buildings Being Built—Over 110 Acres of Floor Space in Fourteen Structures Alone—Lofts Already Rented Would Extend from the Battery to Central Park.



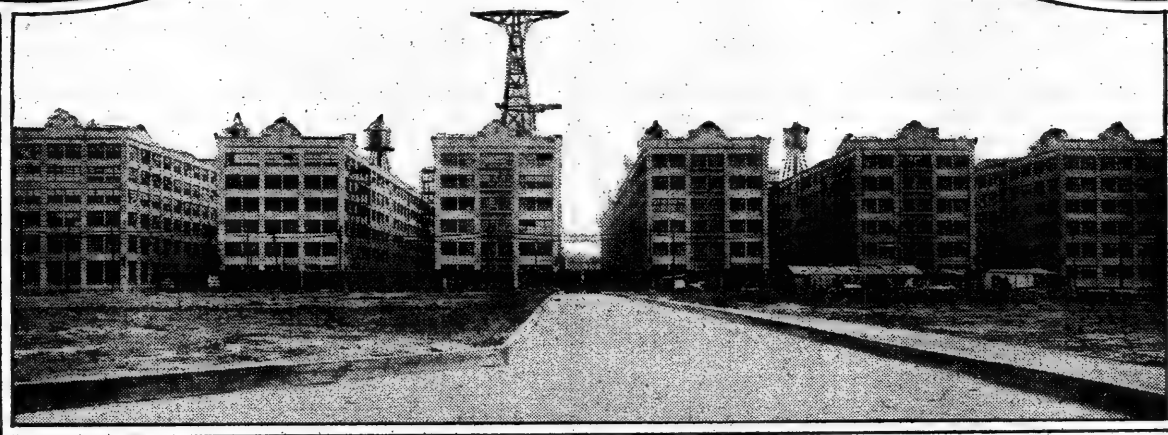
Austin Nichols Bldg and Float Bridge of the Bklyn Eastern District Terminal Co Williamsburg



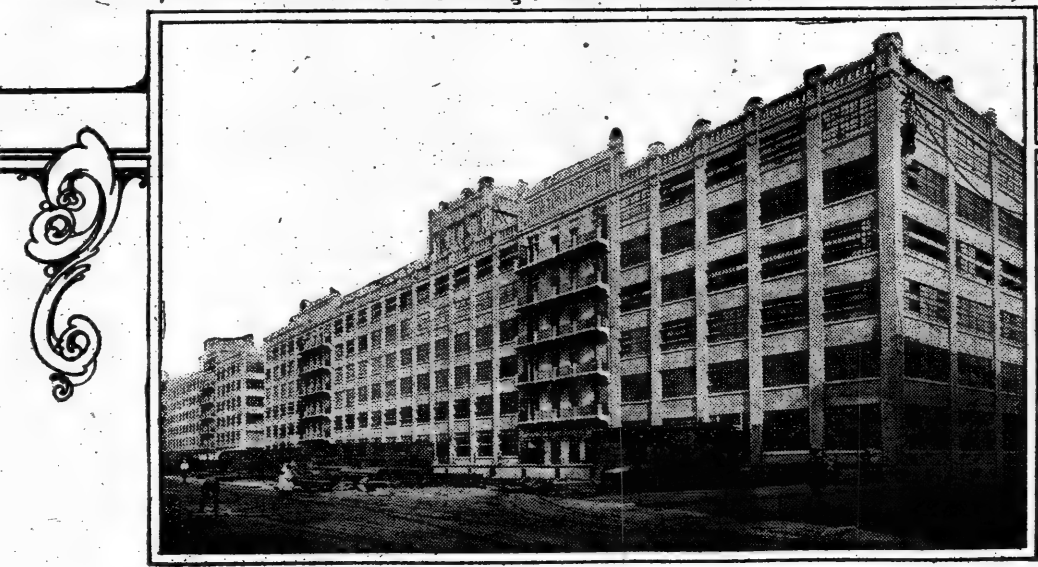
Railroad Bridge in course of construction across Hell Gate Connecting Bronx and Queens Boroughs



Building of Loos-Wiles Biscuit Co at Dog Iron Terminal, L.I. City



A row of Bush Terminal buildings, Second Avenue, 39th to 42nd Streets, South Bklyn.



Two of the buildings of the New York Dock Company, Atlantic Basin

Most of the people of New York are aware of the fact that within the last few years the retail center of the city has moved from Fourteenth Street, Sixth Avenue, and Twenty-third Street to the Fifth Avenue district above Thirty-fourth Street. They are also aware that many lines of wholesale trade have deserted their old established locations downtown and moved to the Fourth Avenue district below Thirty-fourth Street.

These two changes in business centers are probably greater than has ever occurred before in any large city in the world, for no other large American city has so radically changed its business center, and the trade centers of the large cities in Europe are today, with few exceptions, practically where they were a hundred years ago.

The moving of the retail center from Fourteenth Street and Twenty-third Street has swept away fortunes invested in those sections, and made new fortunes for those fortunate enough to own property in the Fifth Avenue district. The moving of the wholesale trade to Fourth Avenue has left many vacant business blocks downtown and in some cases has ruined their owners, while on the other hand it has filled hundreds of lofts in the new twelve to sixteen-story buildings uptown, with a corresponding increase in the value of the land.

It will probably be surprising to most people who are aware of the above changes in business centers to know that another trade movement is well under way which bids fair to work greater havoc in certain sections of Manhattan and to create greater increases in values in the other boroughs than has been caused by the retail movement to Fifth Avenue and the wholesale movement to Fourth Avenue.

This new trade movement is the exodus of wholesale dealers in heavy commodities and of manufacturers of all kinds from their old locations in the interior of Manhattan to new locations on or near the waterfront in Brooklyn and Queens.

The great retail movement to the Fifth Avenue section was compelled by the fact that the leaders in their respective lines, like Altman & Co., Tiffany & Co., and McCreary & Co., in moving from their old locations, carried with them such an enormous number of retail buyers that practically all the other firms in similar lines were compelled to follow in order to hold their trade. The wholesale movement to Fourth Avenue got its big start when the Pennsylvania began running through trains to its uptown station, thereby landing out-of-town buyers several miles from the old wholesale centers.

This caused them to gradually desert the downtown hotels in favor of the new hotels uptown. The result of this was that the first wholesale houses to establish themselves uptown had a great advantage over those downtown, and this fact compelled others in similar lines to follow. In neither of these cases was the change in location based on a reduction of expenses or any saving in conducting business in the new location. On the contrary, in both new locations it usually meant an increase in expenses.

In, however, the new trade movement of the manufacturers and wholesale dealers from the interior of Manhattan to the waterfront of Brooklyn and Queens, the reasons for the change are purely economic. Wholesale houses which have been established for many generations in the old part of Manhattan gradually found that their profits were being eaten up by trucking charges, and that they were unable to compete with concerns doing business on the waterfront, which were able to receive and ship their freight in carload lots directly from their own warehouses by means of float bridges and car floats.

In the trade movement to Fifth Avenue it was simply a question of following the retail buyer. In the trade movement to Fourth Avenue it was a question of getting closer to the whole-

sale buyer, while in the new trade movement to the waterfront of Brooklyn and Queens it is simply a question of getting railroad facilities through car float connections, thereby eliminating trucking charges. To any one who has seen the congested condition of the downtown wholesale streets and the congestion around the freight piers on the Hudson River and on the East River, it would seem to be impossible to conduct the same volume of business without a single truck for the receiving or shipment of the goods in carload lots. This is just what is being done today on a very large scale on the waterfront of Brooklyn and is beginning to be done on the waterfront of Queens.

Considerable uncertainty exists among laymen as to the method of procedure at the sale of property for the non-payment of taxes. The law provides that the right of the city to receive taxes, assessments, and water rents and the lien thereof may be sold by the city; whenever any tax remains unpaid for three years, or water rent for four years, the Collector of Assessments and Arrears, under the direction of the Controller, may advertise tax liens for sale. At the auction sale each lien is offered for sale and is bid in by the purchaser who is willing to pay the amount of the tax lien, with interest and the cost of advertising, to the city, at the lowest rate of interest; the highest rate permissible is 12 per cent per annum.

Upon the payment of the amount due, together with the interest and the cost of advertising, to the city, the purchaser receives a "transfer of tax lien," whereby the purchaser obtains a lien on the property to the amount expended, with interest at the rate at which the lien was purchased. The entire amount of the lien becomes due and payable by the owner

Probably one of the best illustrations of how this works out is that of the wholesale grocery business, and one of the best examples in that line is Austin, Nichols & Co., one of the largest wholesale grocery concerns in the world. This company, which receives and ships every year thousands of carloads of freight, found that its trucking charges were so enormous that it was absolutely necessary to locate where this cost would be practically eliminated. As a consequence, after an exhaustive study of the whole situation, they located on the waterfront in the Williamsburg section of Brooklyn, where the Havemeyer interests erected for them under a long lease probably the largest and finest wholesale

grocery building in the world. This building, which is built of steel and concrete, covers a plot 200 feet by 500 feet, is seven stories high, and contains about 600,000 square feet, or approximately fourteen acres of floor space. It cost, including the land, over a million dollars, and is devoted exclusively to the business of the one concern.

The building is located immediately adjoining the float bridge of the Brooklyn Eastern District Terminal, by which it receives and ships all its freight in carload lots. Trucking for out-of-town business is therefore entirely eliminated, for the car floats of the Terminal Company connect with every railroad entering New York harbor. This gives Austin, Nichols &

Co. the same shipping facilities that they would have if the tracks of every one of the railroads entering New York harbor ran into their building.

The same reasons which induced the above-named company to move to the waterfront of Brooklyn caused the Loos-Wiles Biscuit Company to move to the waterfront of Long Island City. This company's enormous building, which was erected by the Deagon Terminal Company under a thirty-year lease, is probably one of the largest and finest factory buildings in the world, being 200 feet by 450 feet, ten stories high, giving it nearly 900,000 square feet, or about 20 acres of floor space.

Any one passing the building would not know that it had waterfront facilities, for its only water connection is through the Deagon Terminal, which is being constructed on Dutch Kills Creek at that point. This terminal will give to the Loos-Wiles Company direct connections with every railroad in the harbor of New York, and will practically eliminate trucking, except for local delivery.

The Austin Nichols Company and the Loos-Wiles Biscuit Company are the largest concerns which have moved from the interior of Manhattan to the waterfront, but hundreds of smaller concerns have done the same thing, and the exodus from the old wholesale trade centers in Manhattan has just begun. Up to within a few years ago it was practically impossible for a wholesale house or factory of moderate size to have its own waterfront facilities, on account of the large investment required for land actually on the waterfront and the cost of float bridges and car floats.

The Bush Terminal Company, however, solved that problem by erecting a large number of steel and concrete warehouses in South Brooklyn, in the vicinity of but not actually on the waterfront. All of these buildings were connected by rail with the company's float bridge at Fifty-first Street, thereby giving each of the tenants the same receiving and shipping facilities as they would have if each of them had purchased actual waterfront property and owned their own car floats and float bridge.

There are ten Bush Terminal buildings already completed, eight of which are 75 feet by 700 feet, six stories high, and two are 150 feet by 280 feet, eight stories high, the total floor space of all the buildings being approximately 3,000,000 square feet, or about 70 acres. This immense floor space is occupied by 133 tenants, covering nearly every branch of the wholesale and light manufacturing business. The success of the Bush Terminal Company induced the New York Dock Company to follow its example, and that company has just finished two new buildings near the Atlantic Basin in South Brooklyn, which also have rail connection, by means of a float bridge and car floats, with every railroad entering New York harbor. The buildings are six stories high, 80 feet by 450 feet, and contain 440,000 square feet of floor space, or a little more than ten acres. Space in these buildings is leased to various tenants in the same manner as the Bush Terminal buildings.

Not only do the tenants of all these buildings make an enormous saving in trucking charges, but they also make a big saving in rents. The average rental in the Bush Terminal and New York Dock Company buildings is about 35 cents a square foot, as compared to approximately double that amount in any good fire-proof loft building in the wholesale district of Manhattan. The comparatively low rents in the new waterfront warehouses are made possible by the fact that they are built on land costing only from \$2 to \$4 per square foot, while land in good locations in the wholesale district of Manhattan is valued at from \$10 to \$20 per square foot.

New York City is probably the only city in the world where it is necessary to locate on or near the waterfront in order to get rail connections with all lines. This is caused by the fact that only two railroads enter Manhattan, one enters Brooklyn, two the Borough of Queens, two the Bronx, while eight lines have their terminals on the New Jersey side of the harbor and have no connection with any of the boroughs except by means of float bridges and car floats.

The movement of wholesale houses and manufacturers to the waterfront has been going on so quietly that it has attracted little attention as compared to other trade movements in Manhattan. That it has already reached enormous proportions, however, may be seen from the fact that the 110 acres of floor space in the fourteen buildings herein referred to, alone would make a row of lofts 100 feet deep and nine miles long, which would reach on both sides of Broadway from the Battery to Central Park.

A sale was held in the Borough of Queens on Oct. 28, when a number of lofts were sold, covering back taxes and assessments with interest from 1903. In all about \$7,700 was realized. The sale was adjourned until Dec. 3.

In the event that the interest is not paid on these dates, the holder of the lien may, after default in the payment for thirty days or in the event of the default in the payment of taxes, assessments, &c., for six months, foreclose the "transfer of tax lien."

The procedure in the foreclosure action is similar to the foreclosure of a mortgage on real estate. A "transfer of tax lien" is prior in lien to all mortgages on the property.

Any person having a legal or beneficial interest in the property may satisfy the lien before maturity, upon giving thirty days' notice in writing to the holder thereof, and upon payment of the principal with interest at the rate bid, to a time three months after the date so fixed for payment.

Several sales were held last month and several are scheduled for the present month in the Borough of Queens.

The Clarendon, built and just opened by the Wallingford Amusement Company at 49th Street and Broadway, G. A. H. Architects.

CLEAR SITE FOR BROOKS BUILDING

House Wreckers Tearing Down Residences Opposite St. Bartholomew's Church.

FINISHING NEW YALE CLUB

Present Home in 44th Street in the Market—Evidently Destined for Business.

House wreckers began last week tearing down the old residences on the northwest corner of Madison Avenue and Forty-fourth Street, where the new building will be erected for the clothing firm of Brooks Brothers. It will be ready for occupancy next Fall. For over thirty years the firm has been on the southeast corner of Broadway and Twenty-second Street. With the coming of Brooks Brothers and Arnold, Constable & Co. to the new retail district, the old-time Broadway district will be wholly deserted of the many large shopping houses which made the district in the Twenty-third Street neighborhood famous up to a few years ago.

The Brooks Brothers building will make another important addition to the Grand Central zone, which has witnessed so many improvements of a substantial character in recent years. Two fine structures immediately opposite the station are now nearing completion, and both, in their different capacities, will exert a material influence in the blocks east of Fifth Avenue. They occupy the block front on the west side of Vanderbilt Avenue between Forty-fourth and Forty-fifth Streets.

On the Forty-fourth Street corner is the new Yale Club, a towering twenty-story building, with an attractive facade. Adjoining, on the Forty-fifth Street corner, is another twenty-story building, an office structure, and although less ornate than the club, its facade harmonizes sufficiently in color and dignity to preserve an architectural unity in the appearance of the block front. To the south, opposite the Yale Club, is the Hotel Baltimore, one of the noteworthy recent additions.

The Yale Club, it was said last week, will be ready for occupancy next Summer. The present structure, which for years has been too small for the rapidly increasing membership, has been put in the market, but if the buyer should be found before the new building is ready, possession would not be given until after the removal. The present Yale Club occupies a 50-foot plot at 30 West Forty-fourth Street. The building is eleven stories and admirably adapted for club uses, but its future destiny seems to be for business. The assessed value is \$300,000, of which \$100,000 represents land value. No negotiations, so far as could be learned, are yet in progress for the purchase of the property.

The new Brooks home at Forty-fourth Street will cover a plot of about 111 feet on the street by 125 on the avenue. Many of the avenue corners have been radically improved in the past two years, but these have chiefly been in the nature of stores on the ground floor and apartments above, as in the rebuilt structure on the corner above the Ritz-Carlton. It will be the largest business building occupied by a single firm on Madison Avenue north of Forty-second Street, and marks an interesting departure in the removal of large concerns from the downtown blocks to a Madison Avenue instead of a Fifth Avenue situation.

It is more than possible that some big commercial building will eventually replace the beautiful St. Bartholomew's Church, on the corner directly opposite the Brooks building site. Within the next two or three years the church, which has been so long identified with Madison Avenue, will move to its larger home on Park Avenue, between Fifth and Fifty-first Streets. While no statement has been made regarding the probable use of the present St. Bartholomew's corner there is little doubt that, when offered for sale, it will be in quick demand for some high-class business improvement.

Optimism vs. Pessimism.

"Look at this, will you?" exclaimed the cheerful real estate man. "In this paper there is a record of eighty-seven marriage licenses issued yesterday."

"Well, what of it?" said his partner, the pessimist of the firm.

"What of it?" echoed the other. "Can't you see? Those eighty-seven marriage licenses mean eighty-seven marriages. The eighty-seven marriages will lead to eighty-seven inquiries for houses, flats, or at least eligible apartments. It's bound to stimulate business in our line and we'll get our share."

"That doesn't follow at all. Those eighty-seven licenses represent 174 persons, don't they?"

"Yes."

"Probably all adults?"

"Undoubtedly. What of it?"

"Nothing," growled the pessimist, "except that 174 persons who have hitherto occupied 174 apartments will hereafter occupy eighty-seven, and that ain't helping our business any. You make me tired."

Waterfront Lots at Auction.

Eight bay front plots at Belle Harbor, on the Rockaway Peninsula, in the Borough of Queens, will be sold at auction next Wednesday by the Jans Johnson, Jr., Co., Auctioneers.

APARTMENTS TO LET—Unfurnished.

Modern elevator apartment, seven outside rooms, near subway and "U" station; modern bath; all-night service; rent \$340; concierge.

CURRENT NEWS AND NOTES OF THE AUTOMOBILE WORLD

BIG FIELD FOR SMALL AUTO TRUCK

Maximum Load Seldom Carried by Present Vehicle, Says Foljambe.

ADVOCATES LIGHTER CARS

He Tells Motor Truck Convention That 98 Per Cent. of Haulage Is Still to be Obtained.

At the recent motor truck convention in Detroit the fact was brought out in a paper on the field for medium sized and small trucks, by E. S. Foljambe, that motor driven vehicles have really displaced but 1.5 per cent. of horses. He said in part:

"Prior to the introduction of the parcel post the Interstate Commerce Commission compiled figures on merchandise transportation. From these Government figures it has been deduced that of the total volume of transportation in the United States, the steamships and railroads combined handle but 15 per cent., leaving the other 85 per cent. to be moved by horse and wagon or motor driven vehicles. Yet during exactly the period representing the introduction and growth of power driven vehicles, namely, from 1900 to 1910, the Government statistics show an increase of 8.6 per cent. in the number of horses in use on farms and 11.7 per cent. in mules and other draft animals, making a total of 24,000,000 in use on farms alone.

"A realization of how little inroad the truck has already made is borne in upon us when we consider the following figures: From 1908 until the present time, inclusive, there have been produced in the United States, approximately, 180,000 commercial vehicles. One hundred thousand to 125,000 of these are probably now in use. On an average, counting all-sized vehicles, these do not displace more than three horses each, or a total number of horses displaced of not over 375,000. When this number is compared with the total number of horses and draft animals in use, 26,000,000, it is found that commercial cars have in reality displaced less than 1.5 per cent., and even taking into consideration the motor-driven farm tractor, the possible field still not covered is fully 98 per cent."

For purposes of distinction the speaker classed all motor haulage as either "transfer" or "delivery," and said:

"By transfer is meant the movement of maximum loads from one point directly to a destination without lessening the load, such as the transfer from farm or factories to railroads or steamships, from mine to smelter, from stores to distributing points, &c. This class of haulage has been developed by the large truck to a high state of efficiency, but the average of even this class of load has been shown to be in the neighborhood of but 4,500 pounds.

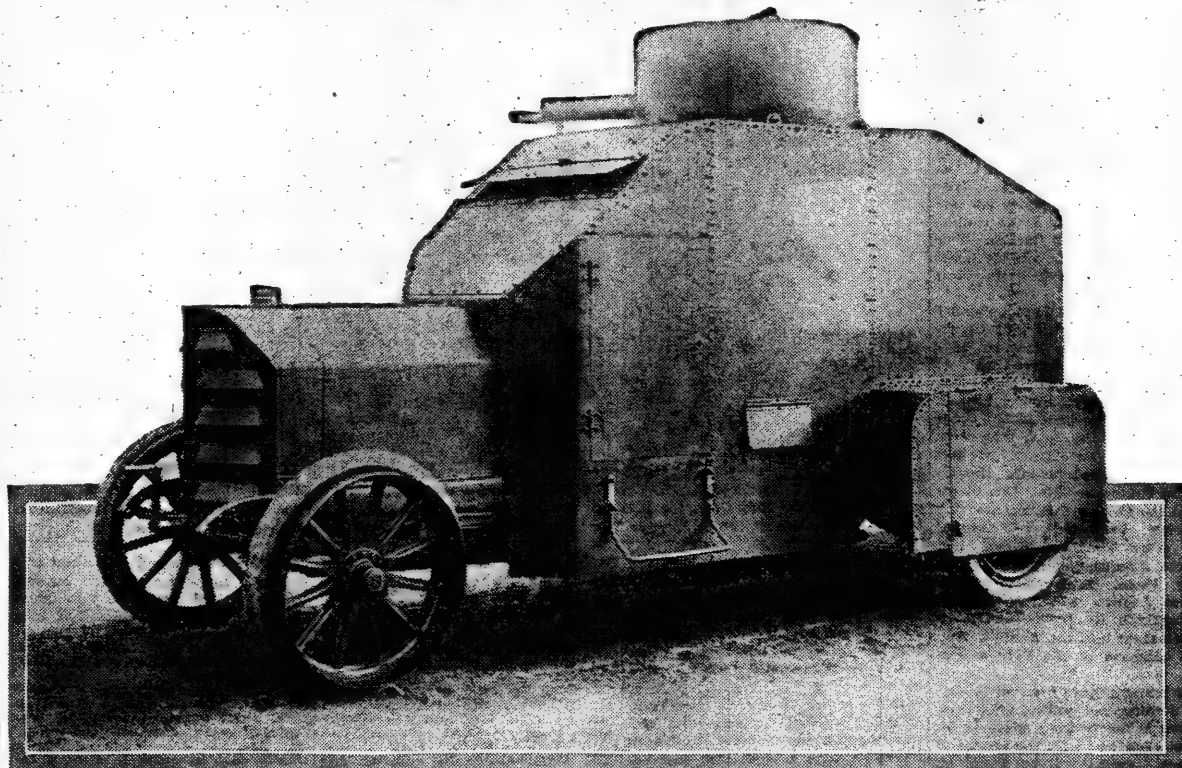
"By delivery is meant distribution of goods to numerous consignees, in which case there is an ever-diminishing load upon the vehicle, and almost at no time does it carry its maximum. This is the field for the medium and small-sized truck, and embraces from 75 to 80 per cent. by volume of all merchandise transportation.

"Transfer includes the raw product, while delivery concerns itself usually with the finished product. The total tonnage handled is practically the same, but the volume is vastly greater, the finished product as a rule occupying many times the space of the raw material. This necessitates a large number of delivery vehicles of large volume but small load capacity, as compared to those required to handle the unfinished product."

Many estimates have been made as to the proportion of the total haulage which comes within the field of the medium and small truck. These figures variously estimate that from 75 to 80 per cent. of all merchandise transportation, aside from that cared for by steamships and railroads, can be handled by the smaller vehicle, leaving but 20 to 25 per cent. for the large truck. Yet the production of vehicles has until recently been almost in inverse ratio.

A study of the weight of vehicles and their loads of a large department store of Philadelphia showed that during even the rush period the maximum load on their 3,000-pound truck was but 1,105 pounds, and that the average load was not over 900. Similar studies of a very large candy store of New York showed the non-paying load, which of course includes the weight of the vehicle, during even the rush period to be as high as 74.7 per cent., leaving the pay load but 25.3 per cent. This seems to be fairly true of many lines of delivery. The pay load is often as low as 22 to 23 per cent. As the pay load is a constantly diminishing one, while the non-paying load must be moved over the entire route, Mr. Foljambe concluded that it costs too much to deliver the vehicle, and suggests as a remedy a reduction in the size and weight of vehicle more in conformity with the average loads carried, and that more frequent trips with more nearly capacity loads be made.

THE KIND OF ARMORED CAR ITALY WILL USE IF SHE MAKES WAR.



This is a special armored automobile built for the Italian Government on an Isotta Fraschini chassis. In addition to the gun turret seen in this illustration, it also mounts a gun in the rear. Note the armored protection given the rear wheels and the radiator.

WANT CAR CENSUS FOR GOOD ROADS

Only Way to Know What Type to Build Is to Classify Vehicles, Says Expert.

Money is wasted when a better road is constructed than present and prospective traffic warrants, just the same as it is wasted by building an inadequate road. In the first instance funds are expended which might well be used elsewhere; in the second case the maintenance will be necessarily very expensive. The remedy for both is a study of the traffic, present and prospective. Comparatively few of the States have as yet officially recognized the palpable fact that the nature and volume of traffic over a road must furnish the basis for determining the type of its construction and the character and extent of its maintenance.

traction, width of tires under loads, &c.," said he last week.

At the American Good Roads Congress and Convention of the American Road Builders' Association at Chicago Dec. 14 to 18, Mr. Johnson will lead the discussion on the subject of "Traffic: Present Tendencies, Probable Development, Regulation."

Before the discussion the principal paper on the subject will be presented by A. W. Dean, Chief Engineer of the Massachusetts Highway Commission. Massachusetts began a systematic study of traffic in 1909, and has followed it consistently ever since. This study consists of counting the vehicles passing over the roads at various important points, keeping track of the light and heavy horse-drawn and motor-driven units, and classifying from the results the respective responsibility of each class of vehicle for the wear on the roads. It can be readily seen, therefore, that the paper of Mr. Dean will be based on the most complete information extant. The Massachusetts plan is practically the same as that of France, where the roads have a world-wide reputation for excellence.

Next to Massachusetts, Illinois has been most active in counting wagons, under the direction of Mr. Johnson while State Highway Engineer. In 1909 and in 1912 careful counts were made at a large number of points in that State, and to the information thus gained may be attributed the classification of highways in the new highway law of Illinois.

ARMY LIKES SMALL TRUCKS

One-and-a-Half-Ton Best Size, Says Gen. Aleshire—Trailers Economical. The one-and-a-half-ton truck is superior to all other models for army field service, according to the annual report of Quartermaster Gen. Aleshire of the United States Army. The report has just been made public. It is based upon the experience of the United States Army during the past few years. Of the thirty trucks purchased during the past fiscal year, all but three were of the ton-and-a-half capacity.

"Much practical experience," says Gen. Aleshire in the report, "has been obtained during the year with motor truck transportation in connection with the transportation of supplies between base depots and outlying camps on the Texas border. A reduction in animal-driven transportation has been effected wherever motor trucks have been supplied. Tests now are being made with both two-wheel and four-wheel trailers. Reports to date show that the use of trailers with motor trucks is economical."

"Communities and municipalities, as well as States, should consider that the only safe guide to the economical construction and maintenance of a road or street is to find out definitely how many vehicles go over it, and their respective weight; means of

SAFETY FIRST CAR IS SHOWING RESULTS

Local Societies to Promote Safety Formed in Several Cities—Their Plans.

The Safety First Society of New York says that the "safety first car" campaign, in charge of Frederick H. Elliott, General Secretary of the society, is bearing fruit. This car, which Mr. Elliott has been driving during the past seven weeks through New England and the Middle West, is equipped with devices designed to promote safety, and while the tour is being made largely to inspire local interest in a number of cities, its ultimate purpose is the organization of a federation of Safety First clubs.

Late in October the Safety First Society of Detroit was formed, largely as the result of Mr. Elliott's visit there some weeks ago. This society was organized by representatives of civic organizations, automobile companies,

cross the street at the intersection and not in the middle of the block. Another thing that the Detroit society is urging is more playgrounds for children.

At Toledo, Ohio, the Toledo Safety First League is active, and one of the things that it is endeavoring to promote is a series of safety zones, three feet wide and from 80 to 100 feet long, extending from each street corner, these zones to be marked by white lines. The work of this society is being helped materially by contributions from other organizations, including the Toledo Commerce Club, Toledo Automobile Club, and others. The society has ordered 50,000 Safety First buttons, which will be distributed among school children.

GIVES IGNITION HINT.

Remember Compression When Testing Spark Plugs, Says Brokaw.

In testing for ignition troubles many people forget that a spark will not jump as large a gap under compression as it will in the open air, according to H. Clifford Brokaw, Principal of the Automobile School of the West Side Young Men's Christian Association.

"A few days ago," said Mr. Brokaw last week, "I found a man who could not make his motor run. He was certain it was not ignition trouble because he had tested that very thoroughly," he said. It developed that he had taken the spark plugs out and had then cranked the motor over rapidly. A fat looking spark appeared, so he decided the ignition was all right. He then spent half an hour with the carburetor and after that gave up in disgust, for the motor still would not run. As a matter of fact the trouble was all in the ignition. This man did not take into account the matter of compression.

"Many experiments have proven that a spark will not jump as large a gap under compression as it will in the open air. When you take out your spark plugs to test ignition make certain that the spark will jump a gap of at least three-eighths of an inch. The spark that will jump three-eighths of an inch in the open will jump only about one thirty-second of an inch under ninety pounds compression."

A PACIFIC COAST MOTOR HIGHWAY

Great Route from San Diego to Alaska Being Linked Up, Says Consul Mansfield.

WONDERFUL SCENIC ROAD

Will Be Mecca for Motorists, He Predicts—Details of the Work in Progress.

In addition to the great Canadian automobile highway now in course of construction from the Atlantic to the Pacific, of which Vancouver is the Western terminus, the Pacific Coast highway, extending from San Diego to Alaska via Vancouver, is being linked up, and by the end of 1915 motorists will be able to make the trip from Southern California to British Columbia over a hard-surfaced road. The route will include the principal cities on the coast, and will afford one of the most attractive motor trips on the continent, says United States Consul General R. E. Mansfield, stationed at Vancouver, B. C.

"There has been great activity in road building in California, Oregon, and Washington," he reports, "and several thousand miles of fine roads have been added to the highways in those States in recent years. This activity has been encouraged, and is largely due to the increasing interest in motoring and the great number of automobiles in use on the coast. Various sections of the Pacific Coast highway have been linked up in the States mentioned, and it is now possible to make the trip by motor for most of the distance from San Diego to Seattle.

"Approximately \$7,000,000 was spent on road building in British Columbia in 1913, and every settled section of the province is being provided with good roads. As practically all the original transportation routes in this district were from east to west, special attention is now being given to the building of north and south lines of both highways and railroads. The purpose is to open up lines of coast-to-coast communication connecting the main arteries of traffic extending from the eastern and central provinces to the Pacific Coast. This is especially true of motor roads, and at the present rate of progress in construction British Columbia will soon be provided with highways suitable for motor traffic from the border of the United States to Yukon Territory.

"That portion of the British Columbia section of the Pacific highway from Vancouver to Blaine, Wash., was recently definitely marked, and other divisions in the province are being connected. A great many British Columbia residents go to California each year, a considerable number of them sending their motor by boat or train. For several years various sections of good motor roads along the coast have been in use, but only within the last few years has there been a concerted effort to connect the completed divisions, making one continuous highway through the Pacific Coast States and British Columbia.

"The plan of the Pacific Coast Highway Commission, which initiated and has been the moving factor in the construction of a motor trail along

the Pacific Coast, is ultimately to include Yukon Territory and Alaska in the route. Great progress has been made this year in road building in Yukon, among the most important stretches of which is the overland road between Dawson and Whitehorse, in which grades are being reduced, sharp curves eliminated, and fills and surfacing added. One of the most important improvements on the road near Dawson is the straightening of the highway on the east side of the Ogilvie River, where the road was destroyed by dredges last year. The old roadway followed a tortuous course which made travel dangerous, especially automobile traffic, because of the steep grades and curves. The plan of the Yukon Territorial Government is to improve the existing highways and construct new roads, establishing a system connecting with routes through British Columbia and the new roads being built in Alaska, extending the automobile route from the semi-tropical regions of the coast to the land of the midnight sun.

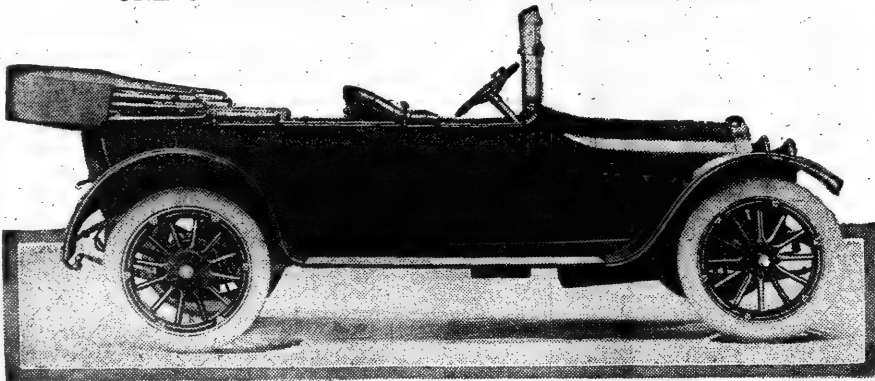
"The engineers detailed by the Alaskan Road Commission to survey the proposed Government highway from Skagway to the summit of the White Pass have completed the work and are now preparing maps and data for the route. The road is to connect at the international boundary line at the summit of the pass with the Canadian system of roads reaching to the Atlin station, and to Yukon as far north as Dawson. The road from Skagway to the summit will have a grade averaging less than 5 per cent., and at no place will it exceed 8 per cent.

"According to the new survey, the route follows for the greater part of the distance the old 1897 trail, leaving out that section of the road leading to West Lake, but continuing on the west side of the Skagway River to Rocky Point, avoiding the long, steep grade to Black Lake. The route passes through historic Lillooet, a former lively station on the 1897 trail, from where it approaches a sheer wall of granite, which will require either a long distance, or a long distance of the White Pass & Yukon Railway the great scenic beauty of the road becomes apparent, and the route continues to increase in attractiveness as it winds up through the rock canyon of the Skagway to White Pass City, once an animated municipality living off the adventurous gold seekers passing to and from the mining regions further in the interior, but now reduced to a deserted village consisting of a few uninhabited cabins. The scenic aspect of the road continues to grow in interest until the summit of the pass is reached, and the route when completed will present attractions that will make it one of the great popular thoroughfares of the Northwest for Summer tourists and motorists.

"With the completion of this route motorists living in any section of the Coast country will be able to make the journey from Southern California to Alaska with such side trips as they may desire to include. The popularity of the Pacific Coast highway is assured, and it passes through a country possessing special scenic attractions, and in which, most of the year, during the greater portion of the year, good weather and favorable conditions are assured.

"The great continental and coast highways will make Vancouver the objective point for motorists from the East and South, and will increase the interest in motoring in British Columbia. It will also greatly increase the demand for touring cars and furnish a market for American-made automobiles. There are registered in British Columbia 7,350 cars, which is a greater number in proportion to the population than in any other Province in the Dominion."

ONE OF THE NEWCOMERS ON AUTOMOBILE ROW



This is the Westcott touring model for 1915. It is a thirty horse power car with a wheel base of 118 inches.

AUTOS WIDEN PARCEL POST.

Cleveland, Ohio, to Try Novel Scheme of Farm Delivery.

With five new delivery cars at his disposal, the Postmaster of Cleveland, Ohio, has announced his intention of putting into effect a plan which will be a decided innovation for Uncle Sam's Postal Department.

The purpose is to make the parcel post an agency for greater service. All farmers living in the vicinity of Cleveland who have butter, eggs, and general produce for sale have been invited to forward their names and addresses to the Post Office. These names will be printed free by the Government and the list will be displayed in the Federal Building and sub-stations throughout the city and, in addition, will be distributed direct to Clevelanders by mail carriers.

The prospective consumers will communicate with the producers regarding prices, orders will be mailed, and goods received within a day or two. Uncle Sam will make the collections when his Overlanders make the deliveries. The cars will not only deliver parcels, but also will be used to bring outgoing parcels to the Post Office from stations in different sections of the city.

Each of the drivers will be required to pay for all repair on his car, and to provide oil, gasoline, tires, and bear any other expense necessary to keep the vehicle in continuous service. For this purpose he will be given a fixed allowance annually.

Your Street Car Fares Would Run a Saxon



The New SAXON \$395

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Why delay any longer—you who have been waiting for a car within your means, in first cost and in cost of upkeep? That day is here. The Saxon has put an end to the high cost of motoring; has brought the joys of touring from the high plane of luxury down to the common level of profitable pleasure.

See the sturdy, handsome Saxon at our showrooms. Or phone Columbus 7811 for a demonstration and a demonstrator will call at your home. Better do it now.

For \$70 you can have your Saxon equipped with Electric Starter and Electric Lights.

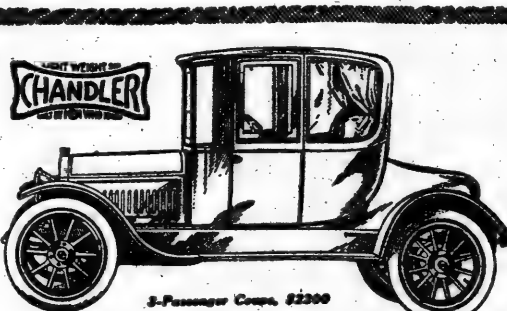
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Winter Driving Comfort at Chandler Profit-Sharing Prices

THE Chandler closed cars for 1915 place winter driving comfort within reach of the average purchaser and at the same time leave nothing for the most critical to desire. Take the 5-passenger Coupe illustrated above. This car offers all the comfort, luxury and elegance any car of this size can give, while for beauty of line and proportion it is unsurpassed. Aluminum has replaced steel in the construction of the body, making for extreme light weight. Because of its light weight this car may be driven anywhere, over rough country roads as well as city boulevards. The mechanical parts of the car are the same as the famous Chandler Light-Weight Six touring car, which pioneered the way in light six construction and still leads it. The ease of control and its wonderful flexibility make the Chandler specially adapted to city driving.

CHANDLER The Six With The MARVELOUS MOTOR

MODELS FOR 1915: 7-passenger Limousine, \$2750; 5-passenger Sedan, \$2700; 5-passenger Coupe, \$2650; 5-passenger Cabriolet, \$2600; 5-passenger Touring Car, \$2550; Roadster, \$2500. All models completely equipped.

These Chandler Cars Really Offer an Unusual Value and Are Worth Your Consideration Before You Buy a Car.

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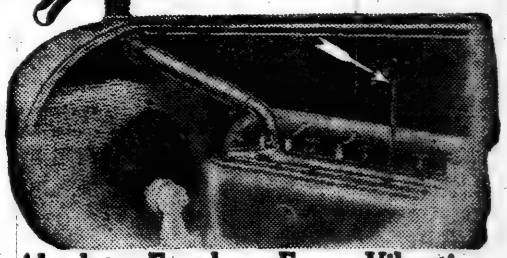
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The result of years' successful experience in building motor cars

America's Greatest "Light Six" \$1485



Absolute Freedom From Vibration

The above is an actual photograph of America's Greatest "Light Six" motor running at 1500 revolutions per minute—equivalent to a car speed of 37 miles per hour—with an ordinary lead pencil standing upright.

This proves conclusively that the motor is perfectly balanced and absolutely free from vibration.

Freedom from vibration insures longer life for the motor, additional comfort for the passengers and indicates the high quality of workmanship.

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Haynes Automobile Company, 87 Halcyon Street, Newark, N. J.
Tri-State Supply Company, Mr. J. J. Wacker, 1237 Boulevard, Jersey City, N. J.
Mr. T. J. Butler, 1338 Harrison Ave., Harrison, N. J.

THE HAYNES AUTOMOBILE COMPANY, KOKOMO, INDIANA



HAPPENINGS OF INTEREST HERE AND THERE IN MOTORDOM

ROUTE TO PRINCETON FOR THE YALE GAME

Best Ways to Reach the New
Palmer Stadium Described
by Automobile Club.

SEVERAL ALTERNATE WAYS

Careful Arrangements Have Been
Made for Motorists Who Are to
See Bulldog-Tiger Clash.

The Yale-Princeton football game will be played in Princeton on Nov. 14. This annual contest, always a hard-fought one, will bring out a host of football enthusiasts; additional interest is added this year by the opening of the new Palmer Stadium. This structure of reinforced concrete will accommodate the thousands who will reach Princeton by trolley, train, and motor car to witness the great battle.

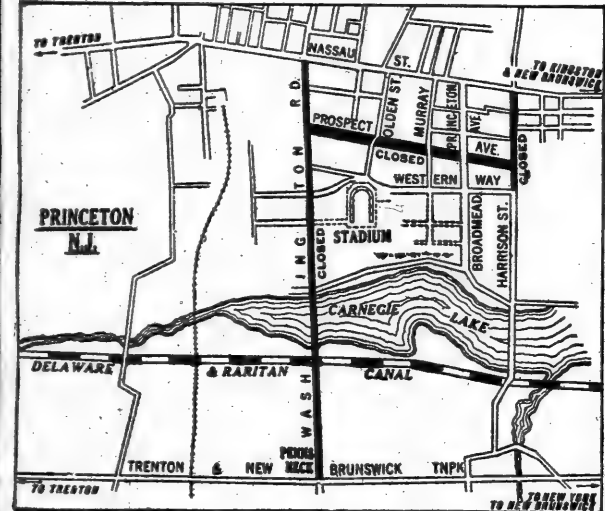
Great care has been taken by those in charge of arrangements to handle the great number of motor cars, so that motorists will not be unduly inconvenienced. Police officers will be stationed at all important points to direct the traffic.

The Bureau of Tours of the Automobile Club of America's motor-cycle service has investigated the condition of the roads to Princeton. The report is that the Newark route is good through Elizabeth to Rahway, then worn and rough for the five miles to Metuchen, with fair macadam through New Brunswick and Kingston, excepting for a few short bumpy stretches.

On the Staten Island route the roads are in good condition across the island to Perth Amboy, then good to Metuchen excepting for a couple of half-mile stretches that are slightly worn. The traffic conditions of lower Manhattan and the necessity of using two ferries is considered by many to make the Newark route the better. Detailed directions follow for these two routes.

A route that will furnish all good

DETAIL PLAN IN PRINCETON.



NOTES OF THE AUTOMOBILE TRADE

James R. Hayes, known as an amateur sportsman and hotel proprietor, has accepted the Presidency of the Speedway Country Club of Detroit, organized to build in the City of the Straits a speedway rivaling Indianapolis in features and construction, and a speedway constructed for the highest obtainable speed. Seating capacity will be provided for 500,000 persons. The Concourse of Clubs as this speedway will be known, will be the country home of many Detroit organizations, and the grounds will be devoted to every sort of sport.

The Packard Motor Car Company reports that it is able to buy all its necessary materials in America, and that the European war has not interfered in the slightest degree with its access to supplies. Alvin Macaulay, Vice President and general manager, says Packard had this week ten years ago, because at that time it was entirely dependent on foreign manufacturers for the following articles: French cylinder castings, piston and piston ring castings, cone steel for ball bearings, ball bearings, storage batteries, spark coils, magnetos, spark plugs and spark porcelain, high tension ignition cables, timers and commutators, motor valve forgings, silico manganese gear steel, door locks, door handles, all cloths, laces and silks for trimmings, gaskets for inclosed body upholstery, horns and valves.

The performance of its cars shipped abroad with the Canadian troops some weeks ago has resulted in the calling of H. M. Cole, general sales manager of the Autocar Company, Ardmore, Penn., to Europe. Mr. Cole sailed last week on the Lusitania, accompanied by Charles F. Barker, as mechanical assistant.

The Willys-Overland Company, employing 8,000 people, reports that it has just completed the biggest month's business in its history. Shipments of cars during October numbered 6,001, representing a money value

of \$5,372,000. This is 15 per cent. greater than shipments during the same month of last year, which was the largest October the company had experienced up to that time.

E. R. Benson of the Studebaker Corporation has been appointed by President Clifton to the Good Roads Committee of the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce. His associates are R. D. Chapin, Hudson, Chairman, and S. D. Walden, Packard.

Paul Lacroix, Mercedes distributor for the United States, has just secured the agency for the Imperial cars of Jackson, Mich. His territory includes New York, Long Island, northern New Jersey, southern part of New York State, and part of Connecticut, with export rights. The new agency headquarters will be at the Lacroix showrooms, 8 East Fifty-second Street, with service department at the Mercedes shops, 218 East Fifty-fourth Street.

Announcement is made that Saxon cars may now be provided on order with electric starting and lighting system as extra equipment.

The H. J. Koehler Company has discontinued selling pleasure cars, having decided to concentrate its efforts in the marketing of the Koehler one-ton truck, built at the company of Grant pleasure cars throughout the Eastern territory will therefore be discontinued, and arrangements have been made whereby Grant agents heretofore operating under the company shall continue selling that car as direct factory representatives.

Charles F. Henderson, manager of sales and advertising for the Cole Motor Car Company of Indianapolis, came East last week for the first time since he rejoined the Cole organization a month or so ago to make a tour of the Eastern territory. H. C. Bradford has just announced his resignation from the company.

Model 55-6 cylinder Oldsmobile, equipped with famous Delco self-starting and lighting system. Price f.o.b. Lansing.....\$2,975

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fork 26.5, and again take a left fork 26.7, run through a woods and at the end of the road turn left 27.8. At Iselin Station 28.0 cross the railroad and at once turn right along the railroad. Use caution and go right under the railroad 29.3, take the next left 29.4, go over a railroad bridge 30.4, and straight on to Metuchen, where turn left 31.3. Jog right and left under the railroad overhead 31.5, take the right fork 31.7, go under another railroad 32.0, then follow the trolley, cross a bridge over the Raritan River 36.6 and go straight on Albany Street and pass the Post Office in New Brunswick 36.8.

Take the next right fork, go under the railroad and turn left into Somerset Street 37.0. At a cemetery bear right 38.0, cross the railroad 39.2, go straight through Franklin Park 43.3, take the left fork 46.3, bear right 49.3, run through Kingston 50.1. Cross the railroad and the canal, then cross a bridge, and at an old mill turn left 50.4 and run straight into Nassau Street in Princeton 53.5. The directions to the Palmer Stadium are:

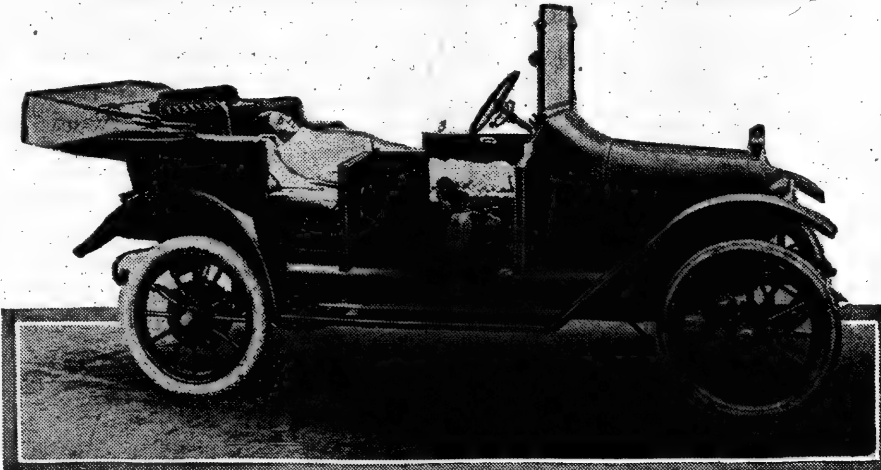
Entering Princeton on Nassau Street pass Harrison Street and Princeton Avenue, then turn left into Murray Place, which follow across Prospect Avenue, where it becomes Fitz-Randolph Road. Go one block and turn right into the Western Way to the entrance of the Palmer Stadium.

Arrangements have been made east of the Stadium for parking 4,000 cars. The charge for parking space is \$1. For motorists who wish the service of a garage, several will be found on Nassau Street. The total capacity of these establishments is about 200 cars. No automobiles will be permitted on Prospect Avenue. Washington Road will be closed at both ends; Harrison Street will also be closed from Nassau Street to the Western Way.

Motorists from Trenton and other points in New Jersey, coming by way of Lawrenceville and entering Princeton on Nassau Street, should continue on Nassau Street, and past the University Campus, Washington Road, and Olden Street, and then turn right into Murray Place.

Those who use the Trenton-New Brunswick Turnpike from Trenton should go past Penns Neck, where Washington Road to Princeton will be closed to traffic, and take the next left-hand road, then turn right and left at the succeeding corners and go on across a canal, then cross Carnegie

USES A TOURING CAR AS BED AS WELL AS VEHICLE.



By removing four bolts the Maxwell touring car can be arranged in the way shown in the illustration. This is a new use of the adjustable front seat idea of special interest to campers and sportsmen.

Lake and straight on into Harrison Street to the Western Way, where a turn left leads to the Stadium.

New York motorists and others from the coast section of New Jersey who have used the Freshford or other routes to Monmouth Junction may go by way of Kingston and connect with the routes given from New York. In order to avoid the congestion continue on the Trenton-New Brunswick Turnpike, take a right fork just before crossing a bridge, 5/4 miles after crossing the railroad at Monmouth Junction.

After the game go from the parking space by way of Broadmead Street, which becomes Princeton Avenue after crossing Prospect Avenue. At the end of the street turn right for the return to New York by way of New Brunswick.

The ferry is taken from the foot of Broadway, Manhattan, to St. George, S. I. Set the odometer at zero, and upon leaving the ferry bear to the left and go up hill.

These two routes may be used as a "come and go" proposition to advantage, using the Staten Island route going and the Newark route for the return.

fork 7.1, cross the railroad 8.1, and go through Great Kills 8.8. Bear right 8.7 and at a tavern bear left 10.6, go through Huguenot 11.3, then bear left at Princess Bay 12.8. Cross the railroad, then bear right 13.0 and turn right into Bentley Avenue 15.0 to the ferry at Tottenville 15.4.

Leaving the ferry at Perth Amboy run five blocks on Smith Street, then take the right fork into New Brunswick Avenue. Cross the railroad twice, then run through Ford's Corner 18.7, again cross the railroad and go through Metuchen 21.2. Turn left over the railroad 21.4 and at once turn right, go under the railroad 25.9. Cross a bridge over the Raritan River 26.8 on into Albany Street and pass the Post Office in New Brunswick 27. At this point change odometer to read 36.8 miles and follow the directions given for the Newark-Elizabeth route from New Brunswick to Princeton.

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WOULD PREVENT 'JOY RIDING'

May Cites Section of Penal Law to Show Habit is Larceny.

A plan was inaugurated yesterday by Mitchell May, Secretary of State, which, it is believed, may result in materially reducing "joy riding" in New York State. In order to bring definitely to the attention of chauffeurs and other persons the serious-

ness of using automobiles in any way without the consent of the owners, Secretary May has sent throughout the State with the request that they be displayed conspicuously in all garages, notices citing the law which makes the unauthorized use of an automobile larceny.

"Few people appreciate," explained Mr. May, "the seriousness of this offense which is almost always the preliminary step to so-called 'joy riders.' For instance, how many chauffeurs realize that in order to steal a car they don't have to break into a garage to take the car out, or even to step into one they see standing in the street and ride away in it? How many ever think that simply running their employer's car even a single block out of the direct route from the house to the garage without the owner's consent makes them guilty of theft, according to law?"

Secretary May said that the alarming increase in the number of cars operated without the permission of the owners had led him to believe that this section of the penal law affecting such operation is but very slightly known in its full import and has caused him to send out these notices bearing the following simple quotation from Section 1,298A of the Penal Law: "Any chauffeur or other person who without the consent of the owner shall take, or cause to be taken from a garage, stable, or other building or place an automobile or motor vehicle and operate or drive or cause the same to be operated or driven for his own profit, use or purpose, steals the same and is guilty of larceny and shall be punishable accordingly."



More miles per gallon of gasoline because it's the Lightest Six

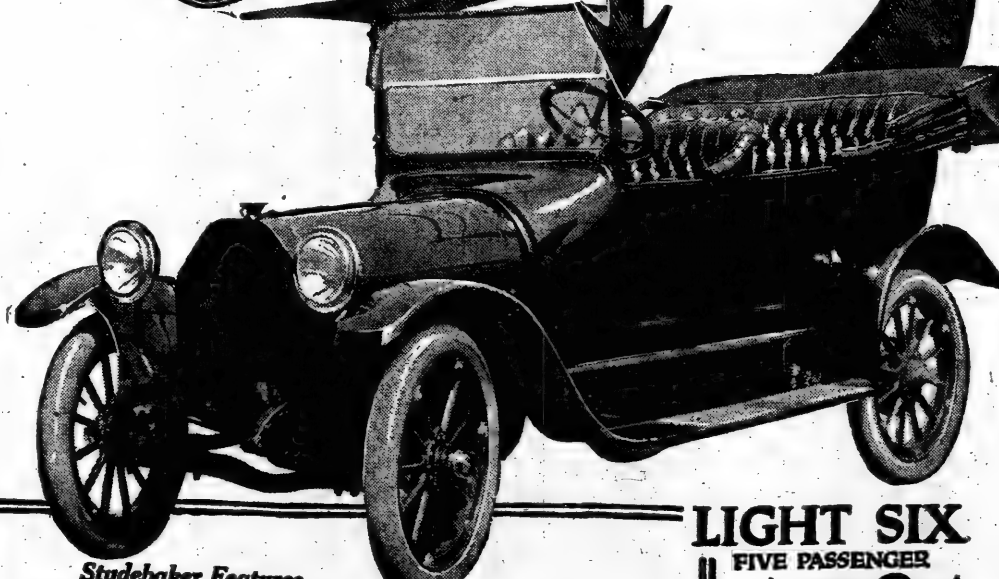
Of all the light sixes that are built, the Studebaker SIX is by far the most economical to operate. For the simple reason that of them all, the Studebaker is the **LIGHTEST**.

You know what weight costs in running a six-cylinder car. And here is a SIX that weighs only slightly over 2800 pounds—a SIX in which Studebaker engineers have succeeded in making a stronger car, at the same time doing away with hundreds of pounds of useless weight—and in redistributing the weight left so evenly that the riding qualities of the car have actually been improved—merely the cost of upkeep cut down.

And yet with this economy of operation, the Studebaker SIX gives you a dignity of design and elegance of finish that rank it with any car you pass on the Drive—and a motor of such even power and flexibility that it takes even the steepest of test hills with ease.

For the man owning and driving a car in and around New York the Studebaker Six is ideal. See it at the Studebaker Salesroom—the **LIGHT SIX** that is light.

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Studebaker FOUR, \$985
Studebaker SIX—7-passenger, \$1,450

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FIVE PASSENGER

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CHIEFS' ULTIMATUM SENT TO CARRANZA

Gives Him Until 6 o'Clock To-
morrow Evening to Sur-
render His Place.

WILL THEN USE FORCE

Anti-American Attacks Now in Mex-
ico City Papers—Fusion Sees
No Cause for Alarm.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 8.—An ultimatum has been served on Venustiano Carranza, who is refusing to relinquish the reins of office in Mexico, by the Aguascalientes Convention, which has proclaimed Gen. Eulalio Gutierrez Carranza's successor in the Provisional Presidency.

This ultimatum informs Carranza that he has until 6 o'clock Tuesday night, Nov. 10, to inform the convention whether he will peacefully abide by its decisions, recognize its sovereignty in Mexico, and yield the Provisional Presidency to Gen. Gutierrez, or whether he intends to oppose the decision of the convention to oust him and will use force. The fact that such an ultimatum had been sent to Carranza by the convention was officially confirmed today in dispatches received by the State Department, and corroborated by the statement made in the New York Times this morning that Carranza had served notice on Carranza that unless he yielded by Nov. 10 armed force would be used against him as a rebel in opposition to the sovereignty of the convention.

The message received here today is the first official confirmation of the unofficial advice which came here yesterday saying that a time limit had been imposed upon Carranza and that armed force would be used if he refused to bow to the convention's will.

The special committee which the Aguascalientes Convention had named to go to Carranza to acquire formally Carranza with the selection of a new Provisional President has, according to another official dispatch received by the State Department, indicated its belief to the members of the convention that Carranza was endeavoring to make the continued occupation of Vera Cruz by American troops an issue with his supporters in Southern Mexico.

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SIEGEL IN GENESE READY FOR TRIAL

Famous Department Store Bank
Case to be Called There To-
day on Change of Venue.

Special to The New York Times.

GENESEE, N. Y., Nov. 8.—Henry Siegel, former head of a chain of department stores in New York, Boston, and Chicago, arrived here tonight to stand trial tomorrow under fourteen indictments, charging grand larceny in connection with alleged irregularities in the banking department of his failed New York store.

The chief interest in the trial at the moment lies in the question whether the jury is to be locked up. It is said that Assistant District Attorney Arthur C. Train will insist that this be done, while Siegel's counsel will be strongly opposed to it.

Mr. Siegel was preceded by his chief counsel, John B. Stanchfield, accompanied by John Train of associate counsel, Mr. Siegel, apparently in good spirits, was met by counsel and escorted to the big trial hall, where his counsel, as well as the assistants of District Attorney Whitman and State's witnesses, were standing in all more than fifty, are numbering.

The arrival of the defendant, attorneys, witnesses, and reporters has given the small country town of Livingston County an air of increased activity, and the citizens here have begun to manifest growing interest in the trial. Especially is this so because Mr. Siegel's leading counsel is well known to most of the people. Many of them have paid visits to Mr. Stanchfield, and recalled the days of 1890, when Mr. Stanchfield was pitcher on the first winning baseball team of Gheeney.

Mr. Stanchfield will be assisted in the defense by one of the best-known lawyers of Livingston County, Charles D. Newton, recently elected State Senator on the Republican ticket, and Ross Lovell of Stanchfield, Lovell, Fitch & Sayles of Elmira. It is understood that probably not more than half a dozen witnesses will be called by the defense. These will be mainly character witnesses, including former banking and other employees of the Siegel-Vogel enterprises, who, having made entries, are prepared to tell how Mr. Siegel was accustomed to direct his business affairs.

The following statement was issued by the Rockefeller Foundation yesterday: THE ROCKEFELLER FOUNDATION, 20 Broadway, New York, Nov. 8, 1914.

In order that the greatest dispatch in collecting foodstuffs for the relief of the non-combatant people of Belgium, the Rockefeller Foundation, in addition to the measures of relief initiated by itself, has arranged to provide a steamship pier, to charter ships, and to convey free of charge from New York to Belgium such supplies as the public may wish to contribute.

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tributing Supplies.

Special to The New York Times.

NEW APPEAL TO THE PUBLIC
Belgian Committee Wants Non-
Perishable Food or Money—In-
vestigators Sail Wednesday.

The Rockefeller Foundation, in co-operation with the Belgian Relief Committee, has arranged to provide a steamship pier in New York Harbor and to charter as many steamships as may be needed to transport all the food supplies that the people of the United States contribute to the relief of war sufferers.

British warships will convey the relief ships through the mine zones in the North Sea. The steamship Massapequa, which the Rockefeller Foundation started for Belgium with \$275,000 worth of food supplies last Tuesday, is expected to arrive in Belgium waters the latter part of this week.

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NO PEACE BEFORE 1917 SAYS FRENCH OBSERVER

Two Years Will be Needed, He
Estimates, to Drive Ger-
mans from Belgium.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Monday, Nov. 9.—The Daily Mail says that "a high French military authority" has given private expression to his views as to the probable duration of the war. His estimate is based on the belief that the Germans will commit no great tactical error.

He divides the war into six periods—two past, one present, and three to come. The first period was the advance through Belgium into France; the second period was the battle of the Marne and the German retreat to the Aisne; the third period is that of the fighting in the Aisne, continuing and developing into the battle for Calais; the fourth period will be the German retreat and a battle on the Meuse; the fifth period will be a further retreat and battle on the Rhine; the sixth period will be the march on Berlin.

He estimates that the battle for Calais will not end before the beginning of December. He assigns a period of five months to the battle of the Meuse, the end to come by the last of April or the beginning of May, 1915.

The campaign on the Rhine should last nearly twice as long, that is to say, until February, 1916.

The final march to Berlin and negotiations for peace should bring the war to an end, with the full withdrawal of the allied armies of occupation, in 1917.

THE GEIER INTERNED UNTIL THE WAR ENDS

Action Frees Japanese Cruisers
in Hawaii to Join Pursuit of
German Fleet.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 8.—The little German cruiser Geier, which has been repairing at Honolulu, where a Japanese warship was held for her to reappear on the high seas, interned for the war at Honolulu last midnight, the Geier, according to the American Government, for her to reappear on the high seas.

A small supply ship which accompanied the Geier also was interned. The case of the Geier, a craft of only 1,600 tons, aroused much international interest.

Soon after she dropped anchor in the harbor of Honolulu, about three weeks ago, after a voyage from the Faerøer, a powerful Japanese cruiser, the Hizen, appeared off the Hawaiian coast and anchored outside the three-mile limit.

Afterward another Japanese cruiser joined the Hizen and they seemed determined to wait as long as necessary for the enemy.

These cruisers can now join in the search for German warships in the Pacific.

HONOLULU, Nov. 8.—The Japanese cruisers Hizen and Asama, which have been standing off the coast of Hawaii, are now waiting for the Geier, coaled yesterday from the collier Hattori.

Formal proceedings for the internment of the Geier were taken last night at midnight, when Rear Admiral C. B. T. Moore, in command of the Pearl Harbor Naval Station, and M. A. Franklin, collector of the port, issued the necessary orders and gave official notice that the time limit for her departure had expired.

The North German Lloyd steel schooner Lookout, which arrived here recently and was interned as a naval tender, and the Geier will be assigned adjoining anchorages in Pearl Harbor.

American machinists will assist in disarming the Geier's guns. The major officers of the Geier and Lookout were paroled by Admiral Moore.

FRANCE MOVES A STEP
TOWARD PROHIBITION

Decree Against Sale of Absinthe
and Similar Drinks Strength-
ened and May Be Permanent.

PARIS, Nov. 8.—Permanent prohibition of the sale of absinthe and kindred alcoholic beverages in France may be a result of the war. Transportation and sale of absinthe were forbidden when the war began, but traffic in other intoxicants was continued.

The Government has now supplemented its original order with another forbidding the sale of any alcoholic drinks similar to absinthe. There is a marked movement in all parts of France tending to perpetuate this prohibition.

France is rated as the largest consumer of liqueurs, although the statistics do not show the amount of alcohol consumed in this form. In 1912 a total of 1,541,406,000 gallons of wine were consumed in France and 76,803,000 gallons of alcohol.

TELLS BAVARIANS
'WE MUST CONQUER'

Crown Prince's Order to His Troops
to 'Break the Pride of Our
Most Hated Foe.'

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
LONDON, Nov. 8.—An army order promulgated on Oct. 26 by the Crown Prince of Bavaria, after warmly congratulating his troops on their successes, says:

COSSACKS INVADE POSEN PROVINCE; ALLIES PUSH AHEAD NEAR SOISSONS

Summary of War News.

Special to The New York Times.

Przemysl Again Attacked—
30,000 Austrians, 200 Guns
Taken in San River Victory.

BARRIER OF 3,000,000 MEN
Austro-German Armies Concentrating on Line from Fortress
of Thorn to That of Cracow.

Special to The New York Times.
WASHINGTON, Nov. 8.—The main Russian offensive campaign against the Germans along the western frontier of Poland, according to a Russian official bulletin received here, has reached the point where Russian cavalry forces have crossed the frontier into Germany, swinging around the German left wing and cutting a railroad communication near Pleschen.

Pleschen is the first point at which the Russians have entered Germany from Western Poland. The campaign in East Prussia is considered of minor importance and subordinate to the main campaign westward through Poland toward Berlin.

The news came in a dispatch from the Russian General Staff to Col. Golejewski, Military Attaché of the Russian Embassy, who issued the following translation of the message:

On the East Prussian front our troops drove the Germans out of their strongly fortified positions near Werballen and advanced as far as Stalupen. Near the forest of Rominten and Lyck our troops continued to press on the rearwards of the enemy.

On the left bank of the Vistula our cavalry, having entered German territory, destroyed the railway near the station of Pleschen, to the northwest of Kalisz.

On the road to Cracow on Nov. 8 we attacked the Austrian rear guard on the River Nida, and on Nov. 7 on the River Nidzica.

In Galicia our troops continue to advance. In the last battles on the River San we took prisoners 125 officers and 12,000 men and captured machine guns and other material.

To the south of Przemyśl on Nov. 7 we took more than 1,000 prisoners.

The Russians have now reached the crucial stage of the main march toward Berlin. The battle front along the western frontier of Poland now extends along the line from Kalisz to Czestochowa. This line has been strongly fortified, and it is there where the Russians expect the Germans to make their stand. As understood here, the Russian plan of campaign is to prevent them making this stand, if possible, and to keep the retreating armies on the run.

Russian cavalry is also endeavoring to flank the German right wing and is now swinging southwestward through Poland toward Cracow. The message received by Col. Golejewski shows that the forces engaged in this movement are now very close to Cracow.

RETREAT REVEALED
IN BERLIN REPORT

Kaiser Reported to be Worried—
Border Populations in Posen
and Silesia in Flight.

BERLIN, Nov. 7. (via The Hague and London, Nov. 8.)—The first reference showing the direction and extent of the German retreat from before Warsaw was contained today in a report mentioning the defeat of Russian cavalry near Kola, twenty-five miles from the German frontier.

This shows that the Germans have been retreating from the Warthe River, which roughly parallels the German eastern frontier, and according to the Major Berlin Tagblatt, that the German frontier has been abandoned by the Russian advance north of the Warthe on the west Prussian frontier.

There have been rumors for the past few days regarding the penetration of the Russians into German territory, some even mentioning Bromberg, which lies sixty-nine miles northeast of Posen, and timid inhabitants of the border regions have been flocking to Posen, where they have been abandoning their country homes, regardless of the presence between them and the Russians of Gen. von Hindenburg's strong army.

No indications are published here regarding the movements of the new German positions, and the movements of the Russian cavalry screen, of which there were three defeated divisions, were uncertain, nor is it divulged whether the Russians were repulsed by cavalry or infantry.

LONDON, Monday, Nov. 9.—A dispatch to Reuters' Telegram Company from Rome says:

"German advances received here say that Emperor William, much affected by the Russian victories, has held a council of war which was attended by the Kaiser's sons."

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position. Nowhere is gun or gunner exposed, although they are there, concealed by a hundred wily devices. Such is the battle for La Bassée in its present stage.

It is estimated that the German field pieces are at three to one of the French. This preponderance is not unusual, and it enables the invaders to hold their own; but, although the Allies' arms made no appreciable advance at La Bassée, they are as unmovable as a rock, and they have slain the Germans by thousands as soon as they have advanced in force.

It is almost impossible to conquer an enemy that you cannot see and whose infantry refuses to be tempted into the open, and the French infantry will not be drawn yet. The German infantry have simulated attacking movements on several occasions. They have approached the French lines and have fired countless rounds of ammunition, but they have only once seen the French infantry. They were then harassed by shrapnel, and they advanced far enough to meet their doom. Now the big guns monopolize the fight.

The thunder is deafening, but it does not spread fear. No such contagion is likely when the fire is so abortive. Quite \$500,000 has been wasted in shells by the Germans at La Bassée in the last week; but, beyond destroying a number of very beautiful country churches and firing many farms, they have not contributed one iota toward victory.

The casualties from the artillery fire on both sides have been trivial, and the battle rages indecisively until the Germans make to make another advance.

One incident of interest has occurred in this quarter. On Friday the French created a diversion by sending one of the English armored trains from Bethune to La Bassée. It steamed at great speed along the line, and for fully three hours the roar of guns indicated that a furious duel was in progress.

The French feared the train had been put out of action, but toward evening it returned with its armor undamaged. The Germans and commander were waiting by its side, driving nearly 200 prisoners before them.

In passing, I must mention the almost incredible good fortune of the British armored trains. They have inflicted appalling damage on the Germans, and all are unscathed. Their only casualties are one man killed and one wounded. The trains have annihilated whole companies of Germans. They have fired their biggest guns broadside this week.

At Ypres the British troops have found in their forward movement that many of the trenches deserted by the Germans were mined. Signs were not wanting to show that these had exploded and killed scores of hundreds of Germans who in their hasty withdrawal had no time to avoid them.

ADMITTS DUNKIRK FAILURE.
But German Critic Says Allies Are Now in Danger at Ypres.

BERLIN, Nov. 1, via The Hague and London. Nov. 1.—Major Morant, the expert, discussing the situation in the western war area, says that the last three bulletins have shown that an attack on a large scale along the coast against Dunkirk, has been rendered impracticable, but asserts that the situation is equally hopeless for the Allies' left, which has rapidly indicated an intention to force the Germans back upon Antwerp and render the position between Lille and Arras untenable.

The Germans, he adds, are now able to use the troops from the Yser district elsewhere and need only small forces to defend the Yser, and along the coast, artillery preparations between the Ostend-Holland frontier being sufficient to repulse any attempts to debark an expedition against the German rear.

A decisive struggle on this wing, continues Major Morant, is in progress around Ypres, which is now enveloped from the east, south, and southwest, and he declares that the situation is practically only in northern or western directions, and that an attempt to break through the strong German forces in the region of Lille would be fruitless.

The Allies will have held Ypres to no avail if the German advance on the front between La Bassée and Arras continues.

The French, says the critic, "cannot indefinitely continue strengthening their forces. The same time the same time, the German forces remain strong enough along the Arras-Verdun front against the increasing German pressure. German progress on the Aisne in the last few days is gratifying. The Germans now hold thirty kilometers, about eighteen and one-half miles, on the north bank between Valenciennes and Soissons, and also the crossings over the stream and canal. The abandonment of Soupir and Saignes is regrettable, but the retirement is only local.

RECALLING GERMAN TROOPS?
Dutch Correspondents Report Movements from Belgium.

Special Cable to The New York Times. ROTTERDAM, Nov. 1. (Dispatch to The London Daily News.)—The Germans are now, according to the people of Belgium that they welcome the inundations near Nieupoort, as they shorten the line which the Germans must defend on this front.

A Dutch correspondent says that many troops of infantry, cavalry, and three hours are starting for Germany via Brussels and Louvain. The wagons and carriages are marked for Petrograd. The soldiers say that there is no more fighting on the Yser, and that they are now going to fight the Russians.

The Brussels correspondent of the Neue Rotterdamse Courant says that the aeroplane sheds at Knesselsdreef have been taken down by the Germans, and sent to an unknown destination. Troops are moving from Bruges in an easterly direction, and machine guns have been mounted on towers in the town.

Germans in North Belgium are extremely uneasy and despondent. A large correspondent says that numerous troops have carried troops and materials into Germany. A Maastrecht paper asserts that an German cavalry division has been taken down by the Germans, and sent to an unknown destination. Troops are moving from Bruges in an easterly direction, and machine guns have been mounted on towers in the town.

GERMANS SAVED DIXMUDE.
Not Only Repulsed the Germans, but Forced Them to Retreat.

Special Cable to The New York Times. ROTTERDAM, Nov. 1. (Dispatch to The London Daily News.)—It is now more than three weeks since a stroke of fate led me into Dixmude. It seemed to me then an impossible thing that the Belgians, with all their courage and their dogged desperate gallantry, could stand against the great mass of invaders who were trying to smash their way through with the aid of their guns, but what seemed to me impossible is now a splendid achievement. The remnant of the Belgian Army, aided in the nick of time by French troops, who came

up with their batteries, has not only checked the attack of the enemy, but have beaten him back into the Netherlands and are continuing retreat. The air in the region between Furnes and Nieupoort, Dixmude and Pervyse, is cleared of the smoke of battle, and peace and a strange new quietude have come to places like Oostkerke and Ramecapelle, which ten days ago were under a sulphurous pall and in the same burning shrapnel. The battle line has withdrawn a number of miles; it is only with the help of the wind that the echoing thunder of the guns vibrates into listening ears at Furnes. It is no longer an adventure, with a chance of death at every turn in the road to travel through the villages on the way to Nieupoort.

ALLIED LINE HOLDS FAST.

Paris Content with Check to German While Russian Advance.

PARIS, Nov. 1.—At the end of two weeks of continuous fighting the Allied line from the sea to the Aisne remains firm in the face of the German attack. The Allies even appear to have succeeded in advancing slightly their positions, which military experts say is creditable in view of the great importance attached by the German General Staff to throwing the allied forces back on the coast, as is shown by the heavy sacrifices they are willing to make to attain this object.

The Germans still hold three points on the Yser as a guard against flanking attacks on the right, coming by way of the narrow region of sand dunes under cover of the British monitors. They also continue to hold Roulers, but have fired three miles south of Dixmude, and considerable forces continue to be directed toward Ypres. That city, which is being bombarded from a distance of eight miles, hardly has a street intact. Two shells struck the famous thirteenth century Cloth Hall, doing much damage to that edifice.

French military opinion holds that the Allies' proper policy now is to oppose a firm and patient resistance to the enemy, however distasteful this may be to both the French and the British troops, to enable the Russians to reap the full benefits of their victory in Galicia.

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Broke the Allied Line, but Were Routed by British Bayonets.

LONDON, Nov. 1.—A dispatch to The Times from Dunkirk, filed Saturday night, says that the British troops, after a desperate attack lasting the whole week the German attempt to break the allied line at Ypres has failed. "It may be admitted that the position at Ypres two days ago was serious. The town itself was bombarded by the Germans with extraordinary violence, and under the circumstances the Allies had to withdraw from the town, which became a 'No Man's Land,' across which the shells from both sides burst.

"The Germans made a superbman and final effort under cover of a fierce bombardment of the British positions. They had prepared a determined onslaught. Masses of men were launched in succession at chosen points on our front. The assault was met in a supreme way. Two regiments, one Scottish and one of the Guards, went down with bayonets to stem the advance. It was the most terrible bayonet charge of the whole war. It succeeded; the break in the line was repaired, and the German attack was once more driven back.

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ALLIES' GAINS OF THE WEEK.
Have Repelled All Serious Attacks from Ostend to Armentières.

Special Cable to The New York Times. PARIS, Nov. 1. (Dispatch to The London Daily News.)—"The turn of the tide is now very much marked, and everything indicates that it is definitive. From a point near Ostend to the neighborhood of Armentières, along a front due north and south of forty miles, the Allies have repelled every serious attack, and nearly everywhere have taken the offensive.

Between Ypres and Warneton, and especially to the north of Messines, where the Germans made efforts as desperate as those of a week ago on the coast, they seem to be decidedly failing.

The Germans brought by the Oise and Aisne Canal several heavy siege pieces to repulse the bombardment of Soissons and Rheims. They also threw reinforcements estimated at 20,000 men, against the allied positions on the north of the Aisne from Bryce to Vailly. But superior numbers the Allies withdrew to better defensive ground at Boulogne, Comblain, and Soupir. The fighting continued all last week. Rheims and Soissons being subjected to fresh bombardments.

Not until Thursday were the French able to recover the villages of Soupir, near Vailly, and Saignes, near Berry-au-Bac. On Friday the line of trenches held the previous day on the Caronne plateau was recaptured, and today's official bulletin records a marked advance from Soissons.

M. Millerand's visit to Verdun is made the occasion for announcing that the defenses of the great Meuse fortress have been strengthened.

TELL OF GERMAN REPULSES.
Belgians Report Successes at Dixmude and Ypres.

PARIS, Nov. 1.—The situation in the western theatre of the war is described in a statement issued by the Belgian Government at Havre, and received here today, as follows:

The head of the bridge over the Yser at Nieupoort has been recaptured by the Allies after an offensive movement by them. The enemy holds the front on Lombaertsdreef to the southeast of Nieupoort. Our reconnaissance toward the Yser were met by rifle shots.

The Germans again occupied St. Georges and Denetours. These points are now being bombarded by our heavy artillery.

Brucy-lez-Ducloux has been evacuated. It is filled with the corpses of Germans. Dixmude has been violently bombarded. A very strong attack directed against this place was successfully repulsed.

In the region of Ypres the enemy directed violent attacks upon Brucy-lez-Ducloux and the great mass of invaders who were trying to smash their way through with the aid of their guns, but what seemed to me impossible is now a splendid achievement. The remnant of the Belgian Army, aided in the nick of time by French troops, who came

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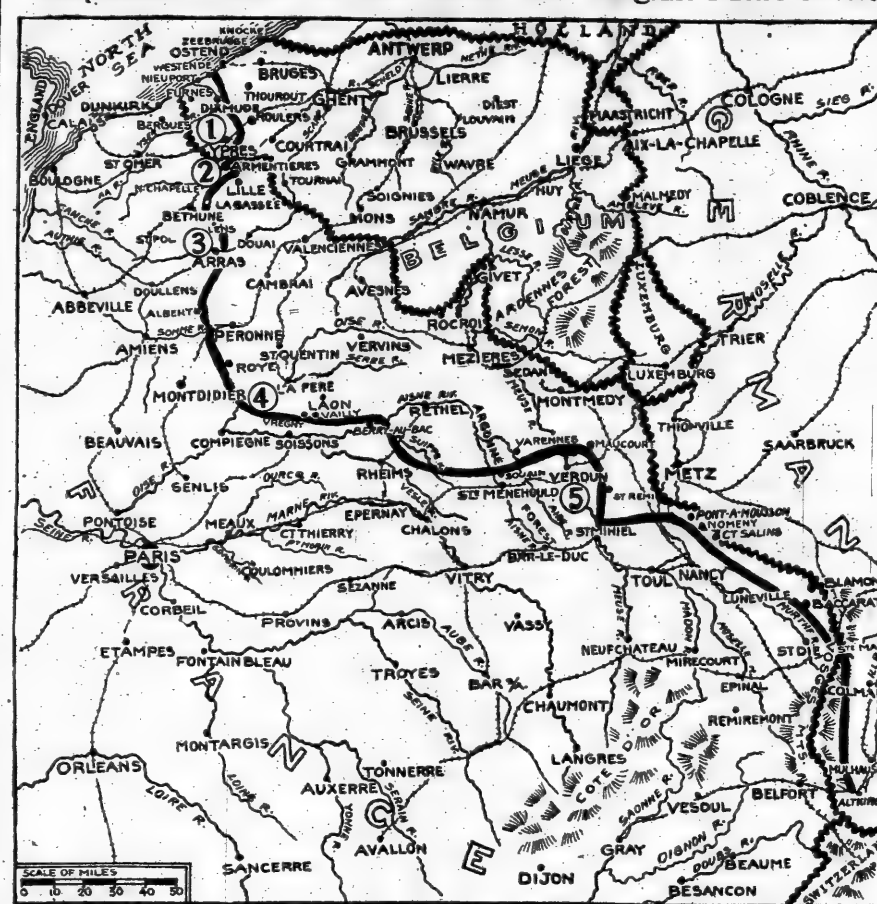
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Special Cable to The New York Times. PARIS, Nov. 1. (Dispatch to The London Daily News.)—"The turn of the tide is now very much marked, and everything indicates that it is definitive. From a point near Ostend to the neighborhood of Armentières, along a front due north and south of forty miles, the Allies have repelled every serious attack, and nearly everywhere have taken the offensive.

Important Points on the French and Belgian Battle Front



1. Yesterday's fighting was most severe in the region of Ypres, where the French War Office reported German repulses.
2. Slight progress on Saturday of the British troops near Armentières was reported on the same authority.
3. Between La Bassée and Arras, the French official report announced, the German attacks of Saturday were repulsed.
4. On the River Aisne the Allies, according to the same report, made an advance northeast of Soissons to the plateau of Vregny, a point not previously reached.
5. In the neighborhood of Verdun the French announced that they were establishing the supporting positions recently gained. The German official statement reported the capture of an important position in the Argonne region, which lies to the west of Verdun.

JAPAN CELEBRATES FALL OF TSING-TAU

Emperor and Empress Send Messages of Thanks to British Forces Aiding in Victory.

GERMANS ACCEPT TERMS

Plenipotentiaries to Meet Today and For to be Turned Over to the Japanese on Tuesday.

TOKIO, Nov. 1.—Emperor Yoshihito and Empress Sadako have sent messages of appreciation to the forces of the Allies that participated in the operations resulting in the fall of Tsing-tau.

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PEKING HEARS ALLIES WANT 200,000 JAPANESE

Chicagoan Sends a Story of Offers Made to Mikado to Send Troops to Europe.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Nov. 1.—Dr. George A. Chicago, curator of the Field Museum of Natural History, now on an ethnological and anthropological mission to the Orient, has sent this cablegram to The Chicago Herald from Peking:

"Enticing offers have been made to Japan by agents of the Allies in China to induce the Mikado to throw 200,000 seasoned troops into the European theatre."

"Following the fall of Tsing-tau, which releases Japanese troops and warships, the Allies are exerting every effort to induce Japan to enter the conflict. A guarantee of a free hand in the affairs of China is said to be the price offered for the Japanese troops. The younger statesmen are averse to have welcomed the proffer with enthusiasm, but the more conservative are dubious."

"The effect of such a move on the status of Tsing-tau is problematical. Japan has insisted that her only intention is to restore the territory to China, and it is to be made a part of the under a rigid agreement that China shall cede no more territory to any European power. Calling this under the fall of Tsing-tau made no admission of British influence in the future of the province."

"To carry 200,000 troops to the Russian front by way of the Trans-Siberian Railroad, Japan would have to transport them nearly 800 miles across the sea, and more than 5,000 miles over the Trans-Siberian Railroad. This movement would have to be made in the winter of the Siberian winter, and would require at least until the late spring to complete. The alternative would be to send them, via the Suez Canal, to France, or through the Panama Canal."

POPE WANTS PEACE ONLY.
Vatican Denies Plans to Arrange for Guarantees by Nations.

ROME, Nov. 1.—The Milan Corriere della Sera says that the Pope is taking diplomatic steps with a view to being represented at the peace conference after the war, the object being to obtain papal recognition of the Italian empire in Rome, in the form of an international agreement by the powers.

"It is a clever manoeuvre. The Allies have enticed their opponents into a favorable position for our guns, and on a signal the guns will be turned away and are gliding to earth."

"Realizing their perilous position, the Taubes make an effort to ascend but late. Shells are bursting around them. They collapse and dash to the ground, a mass of flames. Not one escaped."

BAYONETS WON LE QUESNOY.
French Sergeant Describes the Capture of an Important Position.

Special Cable to The New York Times. PARIS, Nov. 1.—The Matin prints a letter from a former combatant, a Sergeant of Infantry, who gives details of the capture of the important strategic position of Le Quesnoy-Santerre last week. It enables the reader to form a picture of the long drawn-out burrowing war between the two strongly entrenched armies from Arras to Verdun.

"We set out at dawn," says the writer, "my company in the second line, supported by artillery fire. The ground leading to the Quesnoy heights is an open plain, across which we advanced by short rushes under heavy fire. Toward evening we were barely 200 yards from a wood occupied by the Germans, but were unable to advance further owing to the intensity of the cannonade. Without pausing for food or rest, we started trenching ourselves, and by morning reached a point only fifty yards from the trench."

"About 7 o'clock our artillery remained operations, while reinforcements made to our trench. At 8 the bugles sounded the charge, and, despite the enemy's quick-firing, we rushed the trench, driving out the Germans with the bayonets. Then we easily seized Le Quesnoy village by a similar rush, and took two cannon and three quick-firers."

"Still we had no rest, and all began immediately to interfere with the possible counter-attack, and with good reason, for toward nightfall the reinforced enemy tried to retake the position. Thanks to our work in the trenches, they were unable to prevail, and were driven back with severe losses."

ROTTERDAM HEARS FIRING.
North Sea Activity Reported There Yesterday Morning.

Special Cable to The New York Times. ROTTERDAM, Nov. 1. (Dispatch to The London Daily Mail.)—Firing from the North Sea was distinctly heard here at 10 o'clock this morning.

FOR REBUILDING RHEIMS.
All France to Be Allowed to Help the Stricken City.

RHEIMS, (via Paris), Nov. 1.—Premier Viviani, who is making a trip of inspection along the battle front, arrived here today and conferred on the Mayor of Rheims the decoration of the Legion of Honor in recognition of the heroic defense of the city during the recent severe fighting in this vicinity. Premier Viviani said in a speech:

"The object of my visit here is to see what damage the enemy has done. A proper valuation of the destruction can then be made and the portions of the country which have not suffered in excess will be allowed to contribute to the rebuilding of Rheims."

BLACK SEA FLEET SAILS.
Constantinople Hears Russians Have Left Sebastopol.

AMSTERDAM, Nov. 1. (via London.)—The Frankfurter Zeitung learns from Constantinople that the Russian Black Sea fleet yesterday sailed for the Bosphorus in an easterly direction. Turkish submarines cruised in the Aegean Sea, returning to Constantinople without having sighted any hostile warships.

TALE OF A MOTORBOAT.
That Attacked a British Gunboat and Set It Exploding.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Nov. 1. (via London.)—The Turkish General Staff reports the following: "A Turkish motorboat cruising in the Black Sea, attacked a British gunboat, with which it exchanged shots, causing an explosion on the gunboat. The Turkish motorboat, after the explosion, returned to Bana undamaged."

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FOOD FOR BELGIUM STILL NOT ENOUGH

With Many Cargoes on Way, American Commission Is 20,000 Tons Short for November.

WOMEN'S AID IS SOUGHT

With an Executive Committee in New York—People in Europe to Pay All Transportation Costs.

LONDON, Nov. 1.—The second week's report of the American Commission for Relief in Belgium shows that the commission in a fortnight has delivered to Belgian relief stations 2,283 tons of cereal foodstuffs. Additional supplies in hand are as follows: In Holland, being forwarded, 2,000 tons; en route from England, 3,472; en route on the Atlantic, 4,100; loading in various ports, 10,000. Also, the commission has in course of collection eight cargoes estimated at 32,000 tons.

By Nov. 15 the commission will have delivered into Belgium about 17,000 tons of foodstuffs, and during the last half of the month, with the supplies now on hand, will deliver about 15,000 tons. The commission, therefore, is about 20,000 tons short for November.

The requirements from Dec. 1 will be about 30,000 tons monthly, and the commission has assurances of 32,000 tons for delivery during December and January.

The cargoes on the Atlantic are made up of gifts from the people of Nova Scotia and the Rockefeller Foundation. Among cargoes assured are ones from California and Iowa and the city of Ottawa.

A committee movement has been inaugurated to induce the co-operation of all women's organizations in America, under the title of the Women's Section of the American Commission for Relief in Belgium.

The Executive Committee consists of Mrs. L. Lindbergh, Mrs. J. D. Edwards, Mr. Hewitt, Mrs. August Belmont, Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, Mrs. H. Hoover, Miss Anna M. Morgan, and Miss Mary Parsons.

The commission has received a financial backing on this side which enables it to pay the transportation charges on foodstuffs from any part of the world until they reach Belgium. The Belgians, so, it is stated, every ounce given by Americans will reach its destination without any deduction for the cost of the value of the gift through transportation or organization expenses.

FIRST FLOUR FOR LIEGE.
Loaded Motor Trucks Flying American Flags Leave Rotterdam Today.

LONDON, Nov. 1.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company from Rotterdam says that the first consignment of flour sent by the American Belgian Relief Commission will be transported by motor trucks to Liege, where there has been no bread for a fortnight. The flour will be transported by motor trucks to Liege, where there has been no bread for a fortnight. The flour will be transported by motor trucks to Liege, where there has been no bread for a fortnight.

BOULEVARD ALBERT I.
Thoroughfare in Havre Renamed—A Strictly Belgian Post Office.

Special Cable to The New York Times. PARIS, Nov. 1.—The Journal says that the authorities of Havre have changed the name of the principal thoroughfare of the city, Boulevard Albert I. in honor of the Belgian King, whose Government is actually housed in the town.

One post office on the Boulevard Albert I. is considered quite Belgian, so that a letter sent from the town of Havre requires a 5-cent stamp and receives the Belgian post mark. A letter sent from Brussels requires only a 2-cent stamp.

TURKS FALL BACK BEFORE CZAR'S ARMY.
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Sevastopol and began a bombardment. The coast batteries of the Russian fleet replied vigorously. The Goeben's fire caused no damage in the roadstead. Several shells were fired at the city, but one struck the oil depot, another the railroad, and a third the naval hospital, wounding eight patients.

At the same time the torpedo-boat flotilla, commanded by Captain Troubetsky, attacked the Goeben, but the enemy's hot fire prevented it from approaching. The Russian torpedo boat Pustichin, made much water and also was hit, but did not sink. The Goeben lasted twenty minutes, after which the cruiser withdrew.

The motor continues its rear and clatter. Suddenly a little French aeroplane appeared in the sky. It is smaller and lighter than our kind, of the type known as the "peasants' terror," and it is armed with a machine gun. It is armed. Now there is a chase, as it were, by air. The French aeroplane approaches and then to elude the shot fired by the other. The aviator

COSSACKS INVADE POSEN PROVINCE

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CAN'T SPEAK DURING WAR

When German and Austrian Ambassadors Moved In, Czar's Representative Moved Out.

The complaint made by the London Evening News that the Ritz-Carlton Hotel in New York is "the centre of the anti-British propaganda in the United States," a statement that the Ritz-Carlton management promptly and emphatically denied, "caused a lot of talk in hotel circles yesterday. Nobody took seriously the intimation that those in charge of the Ritz-Carlton had any part in any such propaganda, hostile to Great Britain, even though it is a fact that the hotel is the New York war headquarters of both the German and Austro-Hungarian Ambassadors, and was until a few weeks ago that of Ruten Bey, the Turkish Ambassador, who talked himself out of the United States, and is now supposedly on his way back to Constantinople.

A question that was asked in many lobbies, was, "Where do the Ambassadors and Ministers and Attachés of the allied nations stop when in New York?" One of the traditions of the diplomatic service is that Ambassadors and Ministers of warring nations shall not recognize each other during the continuance of hostilities, no matter how friendly they may have been in the days of peace.

Ambassador Bakmeteff of Russia, until Europe went to war, was usually to be found at the Ritz-Carlton when in New York. When the war got under way, however, and Count von Bernstorff, the German Ambassador, and Dr. Constantin Theodor Dumbrila, the Ambassador of Austria-Hungary, engaged suites at the Ritz, the Russian Ambassador decided to make a change. So he went to the Plaza, and he has made that hotel his stopping place ever since. When he comes to New York, he is about as salacious as a diplomat, so far as the newspapers are concerned. Capt. Vassiliev, the Russian Naval Attaché, also stops at the Plaza, but Col. Nicolai Golevski, the Russian Military Attaché, stops at the Vanderbilt, where he has a suite away up in the top stories.

The Plaza is also the hotel at which Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, the British Ambassador, stays when here. But Sir Cecil, unlike Count von Bernstorff, has remained in Washington, continuously since his return from England, after the outbreak of the war, and all of his ambassadorial duties are transacted from the British Embassy in the capital.

Mr. J. J. Jusserand, the French Ambassador, is another of the distinguished diplomats accredited to the United States who have kept away from New York since the war started. He came over with Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, and the British Ambassador, he sticks close to his desk in the Embassy at Washington. When Mr. Jusserand does come to New York he usually goes to the Plaza.

HELD UP BY THE KARLSRUHE

Norwegian Freighter Wascana Encountered the German Cruiser.

Capt. Borstad of the Norwegian freighter Wascana, which arrived yesterday from Brazilian ports, said he was stopped by the German cruiser Karlsruhe on the night of Oct. 13 off Abrolhos Island, near the Brazilian coast.

"The cruiser came close alongside the Wascana," said the Captain, "and stopped me until I had given the nationality of the ship with her number, destination, and cargo aboard. Then she switched on her powerful searchlight and steamed away to the southward."

The Wascana called at Barbados in time to bring up the mail, but left it for the Lamport & Holt line's Vandek, which was due next day. The police authorities on the island had not heard that the Vandek had been captured by the Karlsruhe.

RUSSIAN ADVANCE SCARES VIENNA

PARIS, Nov. 8.—Advices from Vienna say that the Russians are rapidly advancing on Craiova and that in consequence the Austro-Hungarian military authorities are betraying great anxiety and calling up every available man to the colors.

It is said that in the last Landsturm levy, a supplementary notice of which has just been issued in Vienna, all strangers are warned that non-residents are liable to Landsturm service, especially refugees from Galicia and Bukovina, and that in their own interests they should report themselves to the Conscription Bureau.

MAIN GERMAN ARMY MENACED

Flanking Movement Threatens Invaders on Both Sides.

PETROGRAD, Nov. 8.—Owing to the general Russian outflanking movement on both right and left of the main German line from Sieradz to Czenstochowa, the last German position in Russian territory is regarded here as fast becoming untenable. On the north the Russians have taken Koia and the Germans have retreated ten miles to Turak. A battle for the possession of Sieradz is now in progress.

The German right is outflanked by the Russians in possession of Andryew and their advance nearly ten miles west of that base. This appears to afford foundation for the report of an exodus of German troops from Czenstochowa.

Meanwhile it is apparent that communication between the German East Prussian army and the Poland army has been severed. The Russians, taking advantage of this fact, have thrown troops between the River Wartha and the Lower Vistula, and are concentrating especially around Vitolzowak.

In Poland there has been a general restoration of all traffic facilities, posts and telegraphs and administrative offices, and workmen are being taken from Russia to repair damages resulting from the German invasion.

SWIFT MARCH OF RUSSIANS

Moving 14 Miles a Day in Pursuit of the German Armies.

SPECIAL CABLE TO THE NEW YORK TIMES. PETROGRAD, Nov. 8.—The rapidity of the Russian Army's movements on the Polish battlefields has not been equaled since the days of the great Napoleon.

Eighteen days after their first attack near Warsaw the Russians are across the German frontier at a spot 134 miles from Warsaw.

Deducting the time spent in fighting the battles before that city and another battle north of the Piliza River, this means that the Russian pursuit has been pressed for more than a week at a rate averaging fourteen miles a day, and over Polish roads after a rainy season. Military men will have no difficulty in appreciating the conditions of the German forces after such experiences as these.

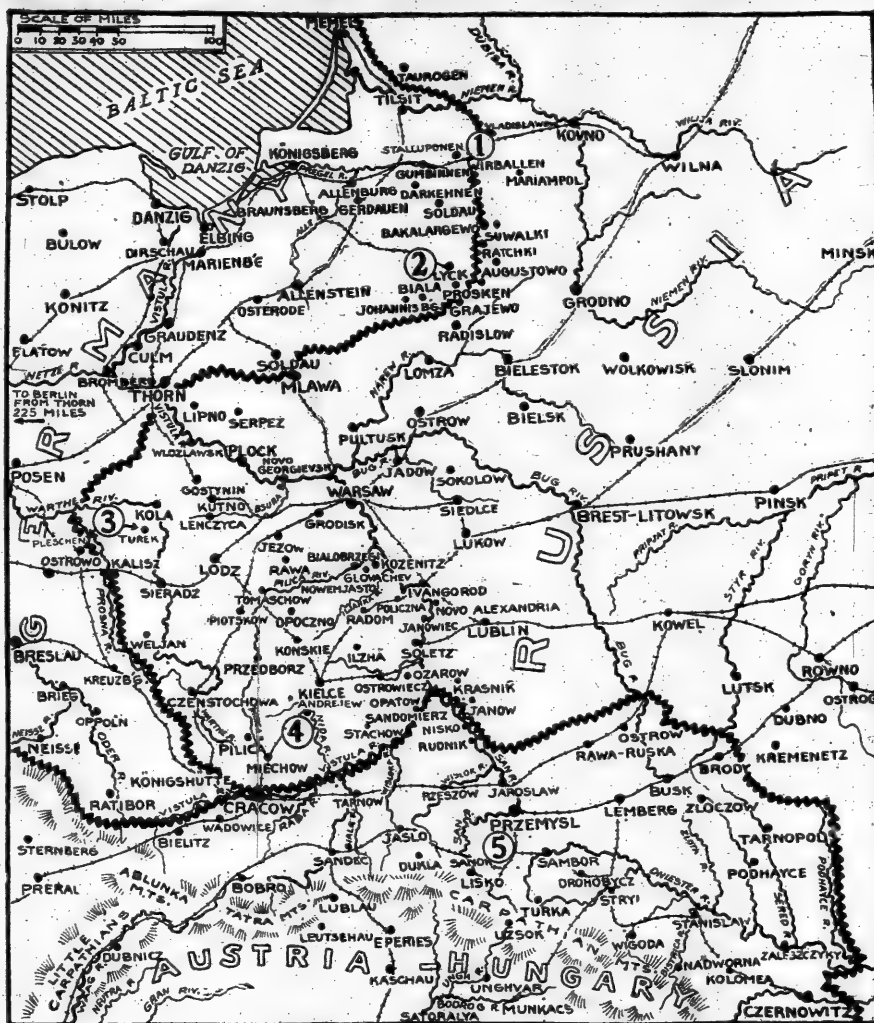
The figures indicate that there is not a doubt about the German retreat having passed by Czenstochowa without stopping on the way. The troops of the column, which apparently are marching in good order, are probably the first line of the German divisions, extracted from the disastrous fighting in Poland at the cost of the reserve troops and allied Austro-Hungarian tactics seem to have been employed elsewhere—for example on the Koia-Werthe and Werthe-Sieradz front.

The object of preserving their finest troops in this manner in itself seems to indicate that the Germans have given up the Russian adventure, and will concentrate against the French and British in Belgium.

STORY OF AUSTRIAN DEFEAT

Teutonic Allies Said to Have Received Another Staggering Blow.

SPECIAL CABLE TO THE NEW YORK TIMES. PETROGRAD, Nov. 8.—(Dispatch to The London Daily Telegraph.)—Critical



Scene of Operations on the Russian Frontier.

On the East Prussian frontier the Russians, according to official announcement in Petrograd, have driven the Germans from the region of Wilna, and advanced to Stalluponen, (1) they are also pressing the German rearwards in the region of Lyck. (2)
For the first time since the war started the Russians have invaded the Province of Posen, cavalry having swung around the left wing of the main German Army, and destroyed the railroad near Fleschen. (3) Cossacks are also endeavoring to flank the right wing, which is retreating to Cracow, and have crossed the Nida River. (4)
In Galicia the Russians are once more attacking the great Fortress of Przemyśl.

PRZEMYSL WELL DEFENDED

Damage Caused by First Siege Repaired and Garrison Provisioned.

THE HAGUE, Nov. 8.—A correspondent of the Berliner Tageblatt, returning from the scene of the operations around Przemyśl, in Galicia, telegraphs his paper from the Austrian headquarters that upon his departure the warfare around the fortress seemed to be entering a new phase. The Russian attack, initiated by great artillery activity and an advance against Medyka. The Austrians responded by a closer concentration, with the fortress as their centre.

All damage to the outer forts during the first attack has been repaired, and the outer forts strengthened by field fortifications of a very strong character. The covered batteries positions. A new railroad bridge has been built at Nizankowice, twenty-five miles to the south, restored. Numerous trains were transporting the wounded and bringing flour, zwieback and other supplies to the fortress. The arrival of these carloads of beer caused particular rejoicing.

The spirits of the Austro-Hungarian troops, despite the retirement in Poznan, according to the correspondent, remain high. The weather, which for a time was wintry, had given milder before the correspondent departed.

Two American military attachés left Przemyśl with the correspondent.

RUSSIA NOW TO LEAVE GERMANY TO ALLIES?

Suggestion That She Now Will Dismember Austria, and Drive Turkey from Europe.

SPECIAL CABLE TO THE NEW YORK TIMES. PETROGRAD, Nov. 8.—(Dispatch to The London Morning Post.)—Ten days ago, in recounting the Russian victory south of the River Piliza, I pointed out that if victory likewise was scored north of the Piliza, then the Austro-German Armies would be broken once for all on this front. The victory north of the Piliza duly followed the day after, and then came the successes on the San and further south.

On Friday night the Grand Duke at length permitted himself to record what his Highness considers a victory, using this word for the third time only in three months. He concluded his eminently modest dispatch, closing the Russian thirteenth victorious campaign in thirteen weeks of war, with the following words:

"The victory we have gained permits our troops to turn to other tasks, the inception of which opens a new period of war."

This is the first time Grand Duke Nicholas has allowed the slightest suggestion of anything relating to the future in his dispatches for publication, and the words gain enormous significance from the fact that they are issued from headquarters, where the Emperor is at present in person.

What are the new tasks now lying before Russia's victorious armies? The smashing of Germany is a necessary part of any Russian plan, but hardly comes under the category of "new tasks."

It seems to me probable that Russia thinks the Western nations who are known as the Allies might now take a turn at the common object, while Russia temporarily pursues her new tasks. If I am not mistaken, Russia will now turn her main attention toward the settlement of the Eastern question. This means the breaking up of Austria-Hungary first and foremost, the expulsion of the Turk from Europe, possibly the reconstitution among many small protected States of a new Armenia, and many other changes in the geographical and political maps in this part of the world.

The Slav has arrived, and if you examine a globe or even a map, you will find that Russia has no further comment is needed to suggest many things which somebody, if not the Government, must begin to think about in England. No Russian doubts now that Constantinople (or Czargrad, as it is proposed to call it) will at length be Russian, nor will any sacrifices be thought too great for the attainment of this age-old historical goal.

A glance at the map shows that Constantinople is the natural capital of the Russian Empire, to which it stands as the hand and eye to a fan.

The world is at war, and England ought to bear her share of the burden. Those who comfortably assure Englishmen that modern wars are different from warfare in olden days, that results cannot be expected in weeks and months but only in years, contradict themselves by the other argument that Germany will be beaten by economic means. Both arguments are false and are intended only to keep Englishmen from recognizing painful truths.

KITCHENER TO GRAND DUKE

Sends British Army's Congratulations on Russian Success.

PETROGRAD, Nov. 8.—Grand Duke Nicholas has received from Earl Kitchener, the British Secretary of State for War, a telegram conveying the congratulations of himself, Field Marshal French, and the British Army on the brilliant termination of the second stage of the Russian operations. Earl Kitchener adds:

"We are convinced that the joint efforts of the Allies will result in the final crushing defeat of the enemy."

FIND BIG GUN SITE UNDER MONUMENT

Discovery by Paris Reporters at Wuertembergers' Memorial Near Champigny.

SPECIAL CABLE TO THE NEW YORK TIMES. PARIS, Nov. 8.—The Intransigent calls the attention of the authorities to the remarkable nature of the monument erected in 1910 by Germans at the village Champigny-sur-Marne, thirteen miles east of Paris.

Acting on information received from Champigny readers, Intransigent reporters visited the monument yesterday. It consists of a granite obelisk, with an inscription commemorating Wuertembergers killed during the battle there in 1871. The obelisk is situated on a platform twenty yards square, on hills commanding Champigny fort, with a full view of the towers of Notre Dame.

According to their instructions the reporters tore up the sods covering the platform, which they found to be of the softest construction, the material resembling cement. At two points of the platform were holes six inches in diameter, suitable for affixing supports for mortars with which to bombard Paris.



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FIFTH AVENUE AND 47TH STREET

HELD BACK CABINET MINISTER

Soldier on Guard Firmly Refused to Make Any Exceptions.

SPECIAL CABLE TO THE NEW YORK TIMES. PARIS, Nov. 8.—An motorist, using French roads since the outbreak of the war, have remarked on the seal of the territorials guarding important points. Even to M. Augagneur, the Minister of

Marine, permission was recently refused to cross bridges, giving an exit from Toulon dockyard which he had been inspecting.
The territorial, inflexible and unimpressed by the Minister's rank as a Minister, said:
"I don't care if you are the Pope himself, you cannot pass here without a laissez passer."
The Minister was compelled to put his own signature to the pass needed.

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WATERLAND CAPTAIN CALLS FOR POLICE

Chief Hayes Rushes Twenty-five Men to Hoboken Piers and Masses Reserves.

TROUBLE DUE TO WAGE CUT

Hamburg-American Married Sailors to Get Two-thirds, Single One-third Wages.

A squad of twenty-five policemen in command of Chief Hayes was sent to the dock of the Hamburg-American Line, at the foot of First Street, Hoboken, about 8 o'clock last night after a notification that the officers of the German ships which have been tied up there since the war began feared trouble among the crew of the Vaterland.

The police were on their way to the waterfront every other available policeman in Hoboken was ordered to report at Police Headquarters, where automobiles were held in readiness to carry them to the docks if necessary.

The str on the Vaterland started when one of the petty officers reported to Capt. Hans Ruser that he had overheard one of the crew, coming aboard after shore leave, tell a sailor on duty that the men had held a meeting and agreed to reject the proposed reduction in pay. The crew were ready to be shifted at 6 o'clock, those on the ship being succeeded by the men who had been ashore at the meeting. Capt. Ruser and his officers held the men about to be relieved on board the ship. The relief men marched along the docks between the lines of police and were kept together and apart from the others of the crew about to depart, so that they had no opportunity to talk together or to unite in a disturbance if such was their intention.

The exchange of watches was made without any trouble, and the men were relieved from duty on the docks quietly. After Capt. Ruser had told them they would receive a representative of the crew today and the men might have a complaint they might have regarding the reduction in pay. After several hours the men were waiting on the docks. The chief Hayes said he believed the trouble had been caused by the men, and might break out today, as he understood that some of the leaders at the meeting insisted that the men refuse to work for the lower wages.

There are 750 of the original crew of 1,200 on the Vaterland, who others having been sent back to Germany. The men have very little to do with the ship, and as the company is receiving no income it was decided to reduce the pay of the men to one-third of the original rate.

Chief Hayes said he was told by one of the officers that he was feared one of the men would attempt to tamper with the water pipes, thus endangering the ships in case of fire. Though the men were taken last night, no indications that the men contemplated any action further than a protest, extra police were taken last night to watch the machinery of the vessel. Officers were stationed at all the places where damage might be attempted.

On board the Vaterland at the time was director Ficker of the German offices of the Hamburg-American Line, who came here before the war and has since been on the ship. He said last night that representatives of the crew had formed a committee and intended a protest only and had no intention of doing injury to the ship or docks.

It was said last night that the crew on the Pennsylvania, Bohemia, and other ships of the Hamburg Line would take similar action with the crews of this fleet of vessels.

GERMAN OIL TANKERS LAID UP.

War-Interdicted Ships Go Into Winter Quarters at Docks.

Three of the fleet of German oil tankers, Heffen, Hagen, and Kiowa, of Hamburg, which have been lying anchored in the bay since the outbreak of the war, have been docked at Bood's Dock, Stapleton, S. I., for winter quarters. The cargo of oil on the Kiowa, which was recalled to port at the outbreak of hostilities by wire, has been transhipped by an Italian tanker.

The only war-Interdicted vessel at anchor off Staten Island is the German bark Masterdoff, which put into this port for safety the latter part of August and is bound to Bremerhaven, New York, with a cargo of tobacco, valued at \$100,000. The ship United, Fruit, and Calamaria, which was recently placed under American registry is still tied up at the Municipal Dock, Stapleton, and the Mackintosh, loaded with dynamite, which escaped from South Africa at the time of the destruction of the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, is still anchored in Gravesend Bay.



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MUCH MEAT BAR TO HEAVEN.

Y. M. C. A. Warns That Heavy Diet Kills Spirit of Love and Peace.

The West Side Young Men's Christian Association, through Dr. Louis R. Wolz, its physical director, has issued a circular, in which it says that New Yorkers are eating too much meat, and that the man who is addicted to "juicy steaks" has a remote chance of ever reaching heaven. Two hundred members of the West Side branch were examined, and as the result of this analysis the circular was issued, being aimed particularly at men of 35 and warning them of the danger of overindulgence in meat.

"The age of the 'easy chair and the long after-dinner smoke' is beginning to show itself in men of 35 years," the circular says. "It's the time when we begin to slow up. At this age there is not much new tissue being built by the body, and we naturally ease up in activities, so that there is not the demand for proteins that there is in early life. Irritability, melancholia, high-blood pressure, hardening of the arteries, mental depression are some of the results of 'juicy steaks' are good for the palate, but an overindulgence will keep more than one man out of heaven. Irritable, high-strung, quarrelsome men cannot live as Christians should. The man who is thinking of heaven needs peace and the spirit of love and peace in this life. Too much meat will leave behind it poisons that the body cannot work off."

MISSING GIRL'S BODY FOUND

Two More Arrests Follow in Mildred Sullivan Case.

PRESTON ISLE, Maine, Nov. 8.—The body of Mildred Sullivan, who disappeared early in September, and whose alleged murder Dr. Lionel E. Dudley of this town was arrested yesterday, was unearthed today about a mile from this village. The authorities immediately took into custody Perley Pelletier and his sister Alice as accessories. The Sullivan girl is alleged to have been at the Pelletier home here shortly before the disappearance. Dr. Dudley was flown to Boston last September on a charge of performing a criminal operation and was brought back to this county. At that time Alice Pelletier and Kate O. Michael of Wallagras were held as accessories. They were released on bail. Information which the county officials received yesterday caused the new arrest of Dr. Dudley on the murder charge, and led also to the search of a particular section of woods for the body. It was found buried in a wood lot.

A coroner's jury was at once empaneled for an inquest and meanwhile information regarding the findings of the medical examination was withheld. The Supreme Court Grand Jury will sit on Nov. 17, when it is expected the murder evidence will be presented. Miss Sullivan was seventeen years of age and of attractive appearance. She was last seen alive when she came from her home in Houlton, ostensibly to attend the coroner's court.

GET ONE JERSEY MURDERER.

Martin, Who Killed Brothers-in-Law, Tried Suicide When Caught.

August Martin, who shot and killed his two brothers-in-law, Raymond and George Leonard, in their father's blacksmith shop in Jersey City last Friday, was arrested last night by the Jersey City police after he had shot himself at attempt at suicide. He was arrested within a block and a half of his wife's home, and, although he said that he was about to surrender, the police believe that he was bent on attacking his wife, who has been in fear of him since her brother's death.

The man was crossing Communipaw Avenue, near Bergen Avenue, when he was pulled out by a man who knew him to Policemen Byrnes and Irwin. The policemen started toward him, and when Martin drew a revolver, put it to his head, and fired. The bullet inflicted only a flesh wound on his cheek and scalp. He was locked up in the Jersey City prison after his wound had been dressed.

The prisoner said he had been drinking for five days, and was crazy at the time he killed his brothers-in-law. He went to the blacksmith shop, he said, to borrow \$2, and became enraged when Raymond Leonard refused to lend him the money. He ordered him to get the money, and when he refused, he shot him. He obtained the revolver with which he shot the youths from a pawnbroker half an hour before he used it, he said. On Friday night, while the police were looking for him, he slept in an empty wagon in Jersey City, and he spent Saturday night roving in the woods of Bergen County. He was sober when arrested.

WIFE WAIVED ALIMONY.

Mrs. Hallam, Seeking Divorce, Says She Can Support Herself.

Referee William C. Arnold has reported to the Supreme Court in favor of giving to Mrs. Martha Dean Hallam a divorce from her husband, Milton Hallam. Mrs. Hallam is a teacher of dancing at 27 West Forty-fifth Street, and Mr. Hallam is the President of a pattern company. They were married in 1896. They have no children. Mrs. Hallam said she wanted no alimony, as she was amply able to support herself.

The referee in his report said that no unusual should be added to the grounds that touched his honor except upon ample evidence, and that the evidence submitted was sufficient to justify the action taken against him.

AUSTIN GOLDEN WEDDING.

Astoria Couple Were Born and Wed Near Present Home.

James V. Austin and his wife, Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth Austin, will celebrate their golden wedding, at their home, 500 Second Avenue, Astoria, this evening. Mr. Austin is seventy years old and Mrs. Austin sixty-nine, and they were both born in Astoria, where they have lived all their lives. Mrs. Austin was the daughter of Benjamin Moore, one of the pioneers of that section and her brother is Benjamin Moore, in business in Astoria. They have two sons, Harry Austin of Sullivan County, and Albert T. Austin of Astoria, and two granddaughters.

The occasion is to be made a reunion of all the heads of old Astoria families. Mrs. Austin's mother died within a month of celebrating her golden wedding.

Queen Acts Got Him Into Bellevue.

A man who said he was Vincent Downey, forty-five years old, of Boston, was taken from the Sixty-sixth Street Subway Station yesterday to Bellevue for observation, after his actions had attracted Patrolman Schifano. In his power was a memorandum book giving the address of his sister as Maud E. Evans, 600 Park Street, Boston. Inquiry in New York revealed that the name of neither Downey nor his sister was in the City Directory, and that there is no 600 in Park Street.

PHILIPPINE BOARD MEMBERS CLASH

Governor General Harrison Said to Have Demanded Removal of Secretary Riggs.

RIGGS ALLEGES CONSPIRACY

Friend of President Wilson and Secretary Garrison—Trouble Over Supervision of Native Constabulary.

SPECIAL CABLE TO THE NEW YORK TIMES. MANILA, Nov. 8.—Serious trouble has developed in the Philippine Commission, resulting in an open break between Francis Burton Harrison, the Governor General, and Clinton L. Riggs, Secretary of Commerce and Police. The trouble began about two months ago, when Mr. Riggs cabled to the Washington Government questioning the right of the Governor General to take action over the head of Mr. Riggs. The Administration supported the Governor General. Later Secretary Riggs refused to sign a document expressing approval of the Jones Philippine Government bill then pending in Congress. This furnished fresh cause for friction.

The trouble took a new turn shortly afterward when Victorino Mapa, Secretary of Finance and Justice, broke off direct dealings with Secretary Riggs and refused to resume them. In an attempt to compose the difficulty, Gov. Gen. Harrison directed that all correspondence between Mr. Riggs and the other members of the commission should pass through the Governor General's office. Mr. Riggs refused to comply, whereupon Mr. Harrison cabled to Washington requesting the removal of Riggs from office. To this Mr. Riggs replied that he would resign if the commission with the conspiracy.

Special to The New York Times. WASHINGTON, Nov. 8.—Officials of the Administration expressed surprise tonight over the news cabled from Manila to The New York Times that Francis Burton Harrison, the Governor General of the Philippines, had cabled to the Washington Government asking for the dismissal from office of Clinton L. Riggs, a member of the Philippine Commission. They said they had not received any such messages from Gov. Gen. Harrison. The surprise was due mainly, however, to the fact that the officials concerned had been comforting themselves in the belief that the row between Mr. Riggs and the Governor General had been adjusted. According to official information that has reached Washington from Manila, Commissioner Riggs had been adjusted.

According to official information that has reached Washington from Manila, Commissioner Riggs had been adjusted. The trouble in the Philippine Commission was the result of a dispute between Gov. Gen. Harrison and Commissioner Riggs over the extent of the Governor General's authority in connection with the administration of the Insular Government department under the direct charge of Mr. Riggs. Commissioner Riggs, as Secretary of Commerce and Police, has jurisdiction over the Philippine Constabulary, a force of 10,000 men, which began its session on Oct. 18. A cable dispatch from Manila printed in The New York Times last Thursday said that the relations between Commissioner Riggs and Commissioner Winfield T. Denison, Secretary of the Interior in the Insular Government, were strained because "Secretary Riggs alleges that Secretary Denison is plotting to overthrow the Insular Government without consulting him." The dispatch said Mr. Denison declared that the facts do not justify the charges, but Mr. Riggs left a committee meeting in a huff.

Official said tonight that they knew nothing of the trouble between Commissioners Riggs and Denison. They

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There were also without knowledge, they said, in regard to the statement that Commissioner Riggs had declined to sign a document approving the Jones bill, or that Victorino Mapa, the Secretary of Finance and Justice, had refused to have direct dealings with Commissioner Riggs. It is supposed that what Mr. Riggs is reported to have refused to sign was a statement of the views of the commission on the measure considered in the session of Congress that ended last month, an action of original form provided for ultimate self-government of the Philippines.

LAMAR STAYS IN THE TOMBS

Surety Company Unable to Arrange for His Release on Sunday.

While friends continued to search yesterday for bondsmen for David Lamar, who was arrested on Friday night on a charge of impersonating Congressman Palmer and others, and who was held in \$30,000 bail, the "Wolf of Wall Street" stayed in the Tombs. He declined to see reporters, saying that he might give out a statement today, after his lawyers had passed upon it.

Lamar received word late yesterday afternoon that there was no hope of obtaining bail until today, as a surety company that was negotiating the matter had not obtained the signatures of the proper officials on Sunday.

Edward Lauterbach, who was named in an indictment jointly with Lamar, said at his home, 301 West 106th Street, last night that he would appear in the Federal Court this morning and would plead to the indictment.

CITY BREVITIES.

Charles Torroto of 315 East Forty-fifth Street was stabbed twice in the back last night in the hallway of his home by two unidentified men, who escaped. He was not seriously wounded.

To arouse interest in the safety first movement among its employees, the New Haven Railroad has planned a series of meetings at which "Careful Clubs" will also be organized.

The Bethany Presbyterian Church House, 228 West 104th Street, will be distributed tonight by the Church Union among winners of a contest of essays on peace.

Charlotte Perkins Gilman will deliver a series of optimistic lectures on the European war in the United Nations Building, beginning next Sunday evening.

William F. Tammany, 26 years old, of 837 West Forty-fourth Street, was held in Jefferson Market Court yesterday on a charge of robbing customers in a saloon at 273 Fourth Avenue in company with three other men.

James McGee, 40 years old, a printer, was killed yesterday when he fell or was pushed down a flight of steps at 38 Park Row. Three men who were with him were held for examination by the coroner.

Tony Manoli of St. Johnsville, N. Y., who was arrested on Saturday with a suitcase full of dynamite, was held in Court yesterday on charges of carrying explosives on a railroad train and having a revolver.

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Antique Meshed	Beautiful rose ground; Medallion and borders of soft ivory, dark blue and shades of gold. This rug is of exceptionally close weave. Size, 28' x 18' 10". Formerly \$5,000.00. Sale Price \$3,750.00.	Rare Kermanshah	Ground color is in the old ivory tone; all over designs of flowers, birds and foliage in mellow tones of blueberry, pale gold and black. A remarkable specimen of Oriental weaving. Size 20' x 15' 9". Formerly \$3,000.00. Sale Price \$2,100.00.
Kermanshah	A very rare specimen in soft shades of the old blues and tans predominating; Medallion effect with surrounding field covered with a profusion of intricate Persian figures in the same dull rich tones. Size 20' x 16' 11". Formerly \$2,800.00. Sale Price \$2,100.00.	Bijar	Beautiful rich dark blue ground, the lattice design and borders being of a lighter shade of blue blending in with soft shades of ivory, gold, and rose. A most unusual specimen of Kurdish workmanship. Size 26' x 16' 0". Formerly \$5,000.00. Sale Price \$3,750.00.
Persian Hamdan	With Camel Ground Medallion effect and center of Persian figures in blues, rich reds and tan shades. Size 27' x 14' 2". Formerly \$1,500.00. Sale Price \$1,250.00.	Kermanshah	Soft ivory ground; all over designs of soft rose, blues and green shades; choice quality and beautifully colored. Size 18' x 12' 2". Formerly \$1,600.00. Sale Price \$1,175.00.
Fine Fereghan Carpet	Very deep blue ground, small all over Herati design in soft gold, ivory, rose and blue shades. This type of rug is almost impossible to duplicate at the present day. Size 26' x 14' 0". Formerly \$3,500.00. Sale Price \$2,500.00.	Kermanshah	Soft old ivory background; large all over design in light and dark blue and rose shades. Very fine quality. Size 18' x 12' 7". Formerly \$1,500.00. Sale Price \$1,075.00.
Rare Antique Souf Baluk	Beautiful soft rose red ground; elongated Medallion and borders in the soft blues, gold, green and ivory shades. This example is remarkable both for its coloring and size. Size 28' x 9' 0". Sale Price \$4,000.00.	Kermanshah	Cream ground. The old "Tree of Life" design, in pale greens, gold and rose shades. Size 17' 10" x 11' 4". Formerly \$1,500.00. Sale Price \$1,050.00.
Saruk Carpet	Mellow rose red ground, elaborate Medallion; corner pieces and borders of exceedingly rich tones of soft greens, old blues and tans. This rug is of remarkably close fine texture and beautifully colored. Size 26' x 15' 2". Formerly \$2,800.00. Sale Price \$1,900.00.	Kermanshah	Soft cream ground; Medallion effect, center being well covered in rich rose, blues and soft greens. Size 18' x 12' 0". Formerly \$1,200.00. Sale Price \$825.00.
Sohna Khurdistan	Dark blue ground, Fereghan design in rose, soft light green, tan and light blue shades. This is a unique specimen and has most unusual color effects. Size 26' x 15' 2". Formerly \$4,000.00. Sale Price \$2,900.00.	Khurdistan	Dull ivory ground; large all over design of light and dark blue, rose and tan shades. Size 17' 10" x 10' 10". Formerly \$1,500.00. Sale Price \$1,075.00.
Kermanshah	Mellow cream ground with Medallion and corner pieces of soft gold, blues and rose shades. Very fine close weave. Most unusual effect in color. Size 18' x 14' 5". Formerly \$2,250.00. Sale Price \$1,650.00.	Khurdistan	Rare old piece; deep rich red center, Medallion corner pieces and border in rich deep blues, gold and rose shades. Size 17' 10" x 11' 2". Formerly \$1,500.00. Sale Price \$1,000.00.
Meshed	Rose red ground, Medallion border and corner pieces of deep rich blue, green, gold and cream shades of a quality that is almost impossible to obtain at the present day. Size 16' x 12' 8". Formerly \$1,200.00. Sale Price \$500.00.	Khurdistan	Rich dark blue background; trellis designs and border of dark and light shades of blue, cream and gold. Size 18' x 11' 9". Formerly \$900.00. Sale Price \$625.00.
Kermanshah	Old XVII Century design. This rug particularly rich in mellow tones of old reds, tans and deep blues in its fine all over detail, together with its quaint narrow border. Size 16' x 11' 2". Formerly \$1,800.00. Sale Price \$1,300.00.	Saruk	Dark blue background; fine all over design of soft rose and cream and gold shades. Narrow border of soft green. Exceptional old quality. Size 18' x 10' 7". Formerly \$1,200.00. Sale Price \$800.00.
Kermanshah	Companion piece to the above in design and in most beautiful tones of soft rich reds, tans, ivory and blues. These two rugs are of exceptional quality. Size 20' x 9' 10". Formerly \$2,500.00. Sale Price \$1,700.00.	Saruk	Dark deep rich brown center; Medallion and border in soft blendings of rose, blues and tan shades. This is a unique piece having for its center the rare "sunburst" design. Size 12' x 8' 8". Formerly \$750.00. Sale Price \$525.00.
Kermanshah	Panel design of deep reds, blues, cream and green shades. Size 18' x 10' 2". Formerly \$550.00. Sale Price \$600.00.	Bijar	Deep blue background; corner pieces of light blue; Medallion and borders of soft reds, gold and ivory shades. The field surrounding the Medallion well covered with the fine Fereghan designs in beautiful tones of deep red, old blue and gold. A rare antique piece. Size 18' x 8' 2". Formerly \$1,500.00. Sale Price \$1,125.00.
Camel's Hair	Background of rich Natural Camel's Hair Color. Medallion center and borders of soft dark blue and rose shades. Pile exceptionally heavy and lustrous. Size 18' x 10' 0". Formerly \$1,000.00. Sale Price \$750.00.		
Kermanshah	Exquisite old blue ground color, relieved by ornate Medallions in soft rose and ivory shades. Size 14' x 10' 3". Formerly \$800.00. Sale Price \$600.00.		
Kermanshah	Antique ivory center; Medallion and borders of rose, light green, tans and blue shades. Very fine texture. Size 11' x 11' 0". Formerly \$900.00. Sale Price \$675.00.		
Kermanshah	Beautiful turquoise blue ground; Medallion and detailed field of pale rose, ivory and gold shades. Size 14' x 10' 0". Formerly \$550.00. Sale Price \$375.00.		
Kashan	Rose ground; Medallion, corner pieces and border in beautiful shades of light and dark blues, rich tans and ivory shades. A striking example of the finest Persian weave. Size 16' x 8' 5". Formerly \$1,000.00. Sale Price \$750.00.		

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8' x 7' 3"	325.00	225.00	13' x 8' 6"	650.00	475.00
10' x 8' 3"	355.00	245.00	13' 11' x 10' 3"	650.00	465.00
10' 11' x 8' 3"	440.00	295.00	14' 1' x 11' 4"	720.00	540.00
11' x 8' 4"	395.00	265.00	14' 1' x 11' 4"	720.00	540.00
11' x 8' 8"	425.00	295.00	14' 1' x 11' 4"	720.00	540.00
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8' x 10'	125.00	100.00	12' x 16'	300.00	225.00
10' x 12'	170.00	140.00	12' x 16'	320.00	240.00
10' x 12'	185.00	145.00	14' x 16'	385.00	245.00
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HARVARD FOOTBALL
BEST OF THE YEAR

Houghton Has Perfectly Drilled Eleven—Princeton Team Overruled.

The strength and perfection of Harvard's attack was more responsible for the Crimson's overwhelming victory on Saturday than the weakness of the Princeton defense. Of many high-class football teams turned out during the Houghton regime at Cambridge, this year's team like the best that has ever been a question of a moment's hesitation about what the team was going to do when the ball was thrown back Logan had his play picked and his signals barked out almost before the whistle was blown.

Harvard's attack, a double pass on a fake kick formation, an old cross-buck play, and the one tandem directed off guard and tackle—all these plays seemed simple enough to solve, but the Princeton defense was so well marked and executed them so swiftly that the Tigers were invariably taken unawares.

Princeton's defense was helplessly in the face of Harvard's brilliancy. The Tigers did not have that old time dash and vim which so often characterized Princeton teams. The talent on the Tiger squad looked good enough to produce a few touchdowns, but they were short on Saturday. The team seemed short in its knowledge of football. They had not had much new football developed to any degree of certainty.

The team seemed under coached as far as the early part of the game was concerned. And in the plays they did use, there was an element of uncertainty and doubt to their execution. The Princeton team of this season has been overruled.

At work seems too short a time to learn the football they must make to make the game a success. The Tiger defense was also a big disappointment. Princeton was decidedly weak at the ends. Early in the game, before Harvard struck their first goal, there were two or three men on the line who should have been some of these fumbles would have been recovered and the game would have been a different one. The Princeton ends were boxed hopelessly and the burden of the game was thrown on the secondary defense.

One seldom sees a line which charges with such perfect form as the Crimson forwards. With every play, they went at the Tigers hard and low and the backs plenty of room to go through. In every line charge, the Harvard forwards were able to get through the first line of defense because of the splendid charging of the Harvard forwards. The line was a completely no redeeming feature to Princeton's play. Never before has Princeton's line been so weak. The Harvard line was a completely no redeeming feature to Princeton's play. Never before has Princeton's line been so weak.

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The men all could get out for work tomorrow, but it is likely that the regulars will do much before Tuesday. Brown University's team played so much better than the Harvard team in taking this week's game with the Providence team a little more seriously. Several of the backfield men will be saved and allowed to go to Princeton to watch the Yale game.

CHANGES IN YALE TEAM.

New Ends and Right Tackle for Tigers and Crimson.

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NEW HAVEN, Conn., Nov. 8.—Yale is not overconfident of overwhelming Princeton and Harvard after yesterday's close call at the hands of Brown. Although Yale's strongest backfield trio, Wilson, Le Gora, and Knowles, were absent in Cambridge, the raggedness of the Eli team's game and the ease with which its rush line was punctured hold out no hope that Yale will be able to make a clean sweep of the season.

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Jackson Fails to Beat Record. Midway Jackson of the Irish-American A. C. made an unsuccessful effort yesterday to break the record of the Holy Cross Lyceum. He was in a fair way of surpassing the record of 20.2 for three and a half miles when owing to an accident the pack was held up for almost a minute.

Pore Outlines Big Field. Charles Pore of the College Point Y. M. C. L. showed his mettle yesterday afternoon when he defeated a big field in the first weekly throw and a half mile invitation run of the Athletic Club of Brooklyn through the streets of Coney Hills and East New York.

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HARRIS PRACTICE OVER NEW COURSE

More Than One Hundred Cross-Country Runners in Training for Championship.

More than a hundred hill and dale chasers of the metropolitan district took advantage of the perfect cross-country running weather yesterday to familiarize themselves with the new A. U. course at Van Cortlandt Park. Morning and afternoon the athletes mostly youngsters preparing for the metropolitan championship next Saturday, jogged over the rough trail. Many only walked over it to gain some knowledge of its devious windings and tricky marshes, but a majority took the hills and dales at the best speed they could command.

Small club athletes predominated, but the colors of the Irish-American A. C. and the New York A. C. were carried by a score of cross-country runners. The Irish-American A. C. has a number of its members in the metropolitan championship next Saturday. The Irish-American A. C. has a number of its members in the metropolitan championship next Saturday.

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NEW PHYSICAL TRAINING.

Schoolchildren to Have More Time for Exercise Than Formerly.

Scholars in the five schools in this city in which pre-vocational training has been introduced now have one hour a day devoted to physical training instead of the half hour formerly allotted. The new curriculum in this department of school work is almost revolutionary as is the whole scheme of pre-vocational training, which was fully explained in this Times by Dr. William E. Stettin.

Physical training is the basic element of the new system, for says Dr. Stettin, "the thing that the business man asks for of our public schools is a product, strong, healthy, and mentally sound in both body and mind. To that end this department of our public school system is directing its energies in connection with this pre-vocational work, which many educators consider public school work made perfect, as near as it can be made for the average child whose school days are a rough, hard, and uninteresting one."

Cycle Riders Killed in War. Maurice Combes of Holland, one of the European six-day bicycle stars, arrived yesterday on the steamer "Holland" from Amsterdam. He is one of the few survivors of the war. He is one of the few survivors of the war. He is one of the few survivors of the war.

Brand Is Hard to Beat. Dick Brand, the St. Annin A. C. cross-country runner, yesterday maintained his leading position in the weekly road race. He is one of the few survivors of the war. He is one of the few survivors of the war. He is one of the few survivors of the war.

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Kehega Heads Greek-American A. C. Because of business reasons G. Panagiotis, recently resigned president of the Greek-American Athletic Club, has been elected to the position for four years, and at the annual meeting of the organization on Saturday night he was chosen his successor.

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TAUB AND WELTON SCORE.

Class Finish in Weekly Point Race of Century R. C. A.

With a desperate sprint over the last hill Idaho Taub yesterday won the weekly point race at five miles of the Century Road Club Association from the limit mark over the Pelham Road course. Pushing Taub were A. Palma and L. Zemo, both of whom finished less than fifteen feet behind the winner. Twenty-three seconds later came Jack Welton, who rode from the thirty-second mark alone, and who made up seven seconds on the three riders ahead of him, while the three scratch riders were only able to gain three seconds on Welton and nine seconds on the limit riders.

A hard sprint brought the scratch riders over the hill side by side, with Whitman in the lead, when Jensen endeavored to come out, only to be met by Jensen into the ditch, and with Whitman close behind finished in that order.

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KNOPF CYCLING CHAMPION.

Scores Seventy Points in Century Road Club Title Series.

Although he failed to compete in the final series of three races held yesterday by the Century Road Club of America, Knopf was crowned champion of the series. He is one of the few survivors of the war. He is one of the few survivors of the war. He is one of the few survivors of the war.

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PLAY NINE GAMES IN WORLD'S SERIES

American League Favors a Change, Also Reduction in the Price of Seats.

Special to The New York Times. PHILADELPHIA, Penn., Nov. 8.—Nine games instead of seven to decide the world's baseball championship, and a considerable reduction in the scale of prices of admission to the games has been decided upon by the American League. The plan will be presented to the National League at the annual meeting in New York next month for ratification, and it is almost certain it will meet with the same unanimous support that it received at the American League meeting in Chicago last week.

The proposed changes took up considerable of the time of the meeting. One or two of the club owners were in favor of extending the series to ten games, but it was decided to stick to nine. The plan will be presented to the National League at the annual meeting in New York next month for ratification, and it is almost certain it will meet with the same unanimous support that it received at the American League meeting in Chicago last week.

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FAIR MAIDEN LOSES.

Nathan Straus's Trotter Meets First Defeat on the Speedway.

Straight beats ruled at the matinee races of the Road Drivers' Association yesterday on the Harlem Speedway, when seven of the ten events decided required but two heats each to return the winner. The fine weather brought out a strong representation of light horsemen who were anxious to secure points before the series closes next Sunday.

For the first time this season Fair Maiden, owned and driven by Nathan Straus, went down to defeat. The class was near the end of the programme, and as Fair Maiden had been worked out for several fast miles, was cooled out when the event was called. As Vermont Bellini was forced back into the class, he won the second heat. The Fair Maiden lacked her usual speed was shown by the time, which was 1:04 1/2 in each heat. Nathan Straus, however, met with better success in the Class C trot, which he won by McKinley to victory over Dr. J. Ferster's Castle Dome.

In the special match race between J. Murphy's brown gelding Oakland Boy and E. Shoemaker's O'Brien Boy, the former won by a wide margin. The race was covered in two heats, the first of which was won by Oakland Boy. The second heat was won by O'Brien Boy. The race was covered in two heats, the first of which was won by Oakland Boy.

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THE FINANCIAL SITUATION IN AMERICA AND EUROPE

In September the United States had a credit merchandise trade balance of about \$130,000,000. In October, according to official estimates made last week, exports exceeded imports by about \$80,000,000. This rapid progress in offsetting what we owe abroad by the sale of more goods than we import points out very clearly the main road along which we must travel to clear up our international obligations, and to place ourselves in a position eventually to absorb what further amounts of our securities Europe may want to dispose of in this market, when the way is again opened to international transactions in securities. We are now steadily reducing our debt to Europe, and although large sums are due periodically in the way of return on foreign capital invested in this country, the paying off of what we owed on various current accounts at the outbreak of the war will place us in a better position than ever to profit by the credits created through our excess of exports. That excess is normally large, but it promises to grow very much larger under the influence of restricted imports and accelerated exports due to the urgency of the present European demand for many articles of merchandise. There are some staples, notably cotton and copper, which are not now moving out in anything like normal volume, but it is to be expected that later on the exports of both of these commodities will increase.

As our trade balance grows we will find it possible to absorb an increasing amount of our securities if Europe is disposed to sell them. It holds many billions of American obligations, but there is no reason to suppose that more than a small fraction of these European holdings of American stocks and bonds would be sold here. The head of one of the great international banking houses said last week that it was not likely that more than \$100,000,000 of our stocks and bonds would be sold by Europe upon the reopening of the exchanges. That sum is great, but at the present rate it amounts to only one and a half months' excess of exports over imports. The building up of a greater trade balance is very widely recognized as a necessary preliminary to the resumption of unrestricted Stock Exchange operations, but it is not by any means agreed that trading cannot be resumed until it is resumed without restriction. Banking practices being what they have been in the past, the closing of the Stock Exchange has exerted unfavorable influence far beyond brokerage circles themselves, and it is not well that the attempt to re-establish natural market conditions should be delayed any longer than is absolutely necessary. It no longer seems necessary to exclude all securities from public trading, and a beginning should be made with the resumption of an open market for securities. The natural place at which to begin is with the bond market, for there the preliminary steps toward the re-establishment of a natural market have already been taken and taken very successfully. The impatience of the investing public at large to be brought again in touch with current prices must be taken into account for they have certain rights in the matter which cannot be ignored and which sooner or later will be asserted if emergency measures are maintained too long beyond the time of actual emergency.

The resumption of trading can hardly be made dependent upon the grant of increased rates to the railroads or upon other similar events. Such things might help, as their absence might retard, the redevelopment of a satisfactory market, but the question of maintaining an open market for securities cannot be answered on any such narrow lines. Such a market is needed to make liquid loans on securities which would be liquid whether prices were a little lower or a little higher than a given set of quotations, but which are not liquid at all so long as there is no open market. It may be, as is now being said, that a general resumption of Stock Exchange operations will be impossible until after the end of the year, but it should not be argued from this assumption that no attempt should be made sooner to pave the way for a general resumption of trading by gradual steps in that direction.

DISCUSS OPENING BOURSE.

Paris Expects to Resume Cash Trading This Month.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PARIS, Nov. 8.—The never-ending question of opening the Bourse will, according to information from an authoritative source, soon be decided. The cash market is expected to be reopened by the end of November under arrangements similar to those made in London, whereby the Bank of France would take over commitments of lenders on stocks which have been tied up since July. The bank's advances would be limited to 40 per cent of the pre-war prices, and would be made on joint guarantees of agents and the Government.

Meanwhile, private money is becoming less abundant, the only possible business activity being the general business of Government contractors. American money is in great demand in the English market, but unfortunately American makers are not inclined to make offerings of cost, insurance, and freight at French ports, and advance payment in New York seems unpalatable to French buyers. New York exchange is cheaper.

HEAVY COAL SHIPMENTS.

Anthracite Receipts in October Almost Up to Those of 1912.

Shipments of anthracite coal last month were 6,644,478 tons, only 20,845 tons short of the record for October made in 1912, of 6,665,323 tons. The amount of anthracite shipped during the month of October last year was 6,665,323 tons, and the Philadelphia and Reading was second with 1,020,000 tons, and the Lackawanna was third with 960,000 tons. The Central Railroad of New Jersey carried 882,386 tons, the Erie 773,890 tons, the Delaware and Hudson 678,104 tons, the Pennsylvania 611,593 tons, and the New York, Ontario & Western 241,757 tons.

FINANCIAL NOTES.

The Keusch & Schwartz Company, one of the largest cash grain firms in the country, has extended its facilities to general trading in wheat on the Chicago Board of Trade.

The Union Oil Company of California has paid off \$450,000 of its 6 per cent bonds, which were due last year. The company has \$2,100,000 of the same still outstanding.

SEEK TO EXTEND UTILITIES' CONTROL

Civic Federation Reports That
Public Ownership Is Barred
by Politics.

LAWFUL REGULATION BEST

Supervision Must Not Be So Drastic
as to Make Capital Timid
When Needed.

The National Civic Federation has just issued a report drawn by its President, Seth Low, and William R. Willcox, ex-Chairman of the Public Service Commission, on the model bill for the regulation of public utilities, introduced by the Federal Trade Commission, the result of the work of the Federation's Commission, which visited Europe in 1907 to study municipal ownership.

Although this commission, the Chairman of which was the late Melville E. Ingalls, had on it many advocates of public ownership, it was forced to the conclusion that in the present state of public opinion in this country it was impossible to advocate public operation. At the same time it urged the necessity of proper regulation of the private operation of public utilities, and pointed out the tendency of public utilities to develop into monopolies.

So the federation appointed a Department of Public Utilities, and its Executive Committee was formed with this personnel. Emerson McMillin, American Light and Traction Company, New York, Chairman; Franklin Q. Brown, Redmond & Co., New York, Vice Chairman; Prof. John H. Gray, of the Department of Economics and Political Science, University of Minnesota, Secretary, ex-Public Service Commission; Edward M. Bassett, Halford Erickson, of the Wisconsin Railroad Commission; William D. Kerr, of Chicago, Illinois Central Railroad; John C. Blum, of Chicago, General Manager of the Illinois Central Railroad Company; Commissioner of Public Utilities, of New York, Chairman of the Association of Edison Electric Companies and President of the American Electric Works Association.

It was found that the radical supporters of regulation wanted to press it to such an extent as to endanger the chance of capital coming forward to construct public utilities, and to many of them the risk of thereby bringing about public ownership and operation did not seem objectionable.

The bill deals with the organization of a public service commission, and its powers, with the regulation of stock and bond issues and with intercorporate relations with regard to service, regulation of accounts, and franchises, and with the procedure to be followed by public service commission and the means of enforcement of regulation.

In conclusion Mr. Low and Mr. Willcox point out that the issue before the public now is between the public operation and ownership of utilities and their private operation and ownership under proper regulation. This, they assert, is not merely a question of economics, as important social and political problems are bound up in it. Thus they instance the fact that the public ownership of a street railway, the public ownership of a water supply, the public ownership of a power plant, the public ownership of a telephone system, and the system of collective bargaining, the former was to go to the old spoils system, but if it is attempted to reconcile collective bargaining and the right to strike with public employment, the same difficulty might arise as in France when the railroad employees struck.

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HOUSTON FEARS OUTLOOK

**Infection Threatens Untold Losses
Among Live Stock, Says Secretary**

—Disease Spreads in Illinois

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 8.—In a formal statement issued tonight Secretary of Agriculture Houston, said that the prevailing epidemic of foot and mouth disease threatened untold losses among live stock. The epidemic still is spreading. After the Secretary had issued his statement information was received which led officers of the Department to prepare an order quarantining the State of Rhode Island against inter-State shipments of live stock. The Department will issue the order tomorrow.

Cases of the foot and mouth disease were reported during the day from the vicinity of Johnston and Washington. Rhode Island will make the eleventh State to be placed under Federal quarantine in the campaign to suppress the epidemic. Massachusetts, New York, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Indiana, Illinois, Maryland, Wisconsin, Iowa and Iowa already are under quarantine.

Extraordinary efforts are being made by the department to stamp out the epidemic. Experts agree that the only method of combating the disease successfully is to stop all interstate shipments and to destroy all herds in which the disease has been found.

Scores of Federal inspectors are now engaged in making a farm-to-farm search for infected cattle. In his statement Secretary Houston said:

"At present the chief danger lies in the possibility of there being concealed sources of infection. Every effort is being made by the State and Federal authorities not only to trace suspicious shipments but to convince farmers of the seriousness of the disease and the extreme ease with which it is communicated, and to urge upon them to report at once to State or Federal authorities all suspicious cases of foot and mouth lameness."

Secretary Houston explained that an effort was being made to discover and segregate all animals that had been traced through bills of lading and railroad records all shipments of live cattle within the last six days from the States under quarantine. The disease first appeared in Southern Michigan. Shipments to the State of Illinois caused the epidemic to spread over a wide territory. Continuing, Secretary Houston said:

"The present outbreak of the foot and mouth disease, which is one of the most contagious and most destructive of all diseases affecting live stock, is being spread by infected cattle, swine, and sheep, and is being spread by infected cattle, swine, and sheep, and is being spread by infected cattle, swine, and sheep."

"So contagious is the disease that in past outbreaks where but one animal in a herd was infected, the entire herd almost all cases later contracted the disease. While the mortality is not high, the effect on the business of the animals that recover are such as to make them practically useless. They lose flesh rapidly, and the milk they produce is almost entirely valueless for human consumption. In the case of infected cattle, the milk becomes valueless for breeding, and it may continue to be a constant source of infection."

"It is possible to cure the external symptoms, but the internal disease remains, and it is possible to cure the internal disease, but the external symptoms remain. The only method of curing the disease is to destroy the infected animals."

"As a result of the five outbreaks in this country, the prevalence of the disease in Europe and Great Britain, veterinary authorities have concluded that the only method of combating the disease is to stop all movement of stock and material that have been exposed to any danger of infection, and to kill off without delay all herds in which the disease has been found. This enables the authorities to eradicate infected herds and to isolate and hold under observation all other herds."

Owners of infected cattle slaughtered by the Federal and State inspectors, Secretary Houston said, would be reimbursed on the basis of the appraised value of the cattle. The appraiser appointed by the State or Federal Government would be divided equally between the State and Federal Governments. Secretary Houston will appeal to Congress for the necessary appropriation.

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Transatlantic, Sat., Dec. 5, 10 a. m.

New Triple-screw turbine, 15,500 tons

Transatlantic, Sat., Dec. 12, 10 a. m.

New Triple-screw turbine, 15,500 tons

Transatlantic, Sat., Dec. 19, 10 a. m.

New Triple-screw turbine, 15,500 tons

Transatlantic, Sat., Dec. 26, 10 a. m.

New Triple-screw turbine, 15,500 tons

Transatlantic, Sat., Jan. 2, 10 a. m.

New Triple-screw turbine, 15,500 tons

Transatlantic, Sat., Jan. 9, 10 a. m.

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Transatlantic, Sat., Jan. 16, 10 a. m.

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Transatlantic, Sat., Jan. 23, 10 a. m.

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Transatlantic, Sat., Jan. 30, 10 a. m.

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Transatlantic, Sat., Feb. 6, 10 a. m.

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Transatlantic, Sat., Feb. 20, 10 a. m.

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Transatlantic, Sat., Feb. 27, 10 a. m.

New Triple-screw turbine, 15,500 tons

Transatlantic, Sat., Mar. 6, 10 a. m.

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Transatlantic, Sat., Mar. 13, 10 a. m.

New Triple-screw turbine, 15,500 tons

Transatlantic, Sat., Mar. 20, 10 a. m.

COAL-TAR INDUSTRY

WANTS MORE TARIFF

Committee Says That Under

Present Duties Europe Can

Hold American Market.

RAW MATERIAL IS HERE

Public Must Pay If United States

Is to be Independent of Ger-

man Enterprise.

The special committee appointed by the American Chemical Society to examine into the feasibility of chemicals and dyes in the United States, because of conditions brought on by the European war, has completed a detailed report which will appear in full today in The Oil, Paint and Drug Reporter. The committee reported that the chemical industry of the country was making use of all opportunities presented to it under normal conditions prior to the state of hostilities. The report then says:

"If, however, it is desired, and if public necessity requires the introduction of the manufacture of explosives and further chemicals and dyes into the home industry, such as coal-tar product explosives, pharmaceuticals, medicines and other intermediates and finished coal-tar dyes, then alterations of our tariff laws are inevitable and the consumer in this place and the public in general must share in the burden thus imposed."

Under existing circumstances, the report says, private capital and private enterprise have reached their limit. These reasons are given:

"The explosive, dye, and similar industries abroad, just referred to, are in a state of high development and are financially the best suited to carry on an offensive campaign against the American industry, attempting to take business away from them."

"Domestic manufacturers are prohibited by law from making use of co-operative chemical devices, such as pools, trusts, and other devices, which are the best suited to carry on an offensive campaign against the American industry, attempting to take business away from them."

"The members of the committee were: H. H. C. Hesse, chairman; J. P. Stone, D. H. Jayne, J. Merritt Matthews, and Allen Rogers."

1,500 Immigrants at Concert.

Some 1,500 immigrants, including more than 800 who had been ordered deported but were unable to get back to Europe, were entertained last night by the Department of Street Cleaning and by 600 members of the United German Brotherhood of America.

The concert was one of a series that was started soon after Frederick C. Howe took office as mayor. It was the first of a series of such concerts, which are being given by the city of New York.

Arrived.

SS Columbia, at Mobile, Nov. 7.

Passed.

SS Britannia, New York for Marseilles, passed Gibraltar.

Transatlantic Parcel Post Mail.

France—Service suspended on Ellis Island—No sailing at present.

Hungary—No sailing at present.

Sweden—No sailing at present.

Denmark—Close at 9:30 A. M.

Norway—Close at 9:30 A. M.

Switzerland—Close at 9:30 A. M.

Belgium—Close at 9:30 A. M.

Italy—Close at 9:30 A. M.

Spain—Close at 9:30 A. M.

Portugal—Close at 9:30 A. M.

Greece—Close at 9:30 A. M.

Turkey—Close at 9:30 A. M.

Syria—Close at 9:30 A. M.

Lebanon—Close at 9:30 A. M.

Libya—Close at 9:30 A. M.

Egypt—Close at 9:30 A. M.

Sudan—Close at 9:30 A. M.

Somalia—Close at 9:30 A. M.

Sierra Leone—Close at 9:30 A. M.

Liberia—Close at 9:30 A. M.

Ivory Coast—Close at 9:30 A. M.

Ghana—Close at 9:30 A. M.

Senegal—Close at 9:30 A. M.

Gambia—Close at 9:30 A. M.

Guinea—Close at 9:30 A. M.

Sierra Leone—Close at 9:30 A. M.

Liberia—Close at 9:30 A. M.

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Ghana—Close at 9:30 A. M.

SHIPPING AND MAILS.

Miniature Almanac for Today.

Sun rises, 6:38 Sun sets, 4:30 Moon rises, 10:12

THURSDAY, Nov. 11

Arrived—Sunday, Nov. 8.

SS Chicago City, Swansea, Oct. 23.

SS British Prince, Tyne, Oct. 18.

SS Sardinia, San Francisco, Oct. 18.

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COURT CALENDARS

CASES WILL BE CALLED IN THE ORDER GIVEN BELOW

(C) This character means order of appeal.

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CARRANZA READY FOR RESISTANCE

Orders Generals to Quit Con-
vention for Their Posts—
Mexican Crisis Today.

FIGHTING ALREADY BEGUN

Skirmish with Zapatistas in
City's Outskirts—Rumor of a
Settlement Is Denied.

QUARANTEES BY CARRANZA

Vera Cruz Demands Partly Met—
Mexico City Has Report That Ma-
rines Landed at Acapulco.

Bank Reported Sacked By Mexico City Mob

VERA CRUZ, Nov. 9.—According to
private telegrams received here, the
National Bank of Mexico City has
been sacked by a mob led by Consti-
tutionalist soldiers.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 9.—It is now
considered certain that Gen. Carranza
has determined to resist the mandate
of the Aguascalientes Military Con-
vention deposing him from power and
elevating Gen. Huilob Guiterrez to the
Provisional Presidency. From Cordoba
the First Chief has issued an order,
in the form of a proclamation, requir-
ing all Generals who personate attend-
ed the convention to withdraw there-
from and place themselves at his order
by 9 P. M. on Nov. 10, (tomorrow).
Forces under Generals who disown the
First Chief are informed that they must
obey the officer next in rank who re-
mains faithful to Carranza.

The hour named in the order, 9 P. M.,
tomorrow, coincides with the ex-
piration of the time given to Carranza
by the convention to retire or fight.

Obregon Loyal to Carranza

Gen. Obregon has left no doubt of his
intention to remain loyal to Carranza.
Gen. Obregon, who was one of the de-
legates to the convention sent to notify
Carranza of its action, said, speaking at a
luncheon at Cordoba: "We have no
intention of rallying around Francisco
Villa, whom I can never trust."
Gen. Obregon added that in the con-
vention he had held that it would be a
crime to remove Carranza and leave
Villa in power, but that everything pos-
sible must be done for the country's
salvation.

"Let us sacrifice Carranza and elimi-
nate Villa, and if he resists let us
fight him," Gen. Obregon concluded.

In a last effort for peace, Gen. Jacinto
B. Trevino, who for a time was
Gen. Carranza's Acting War Minister,
tonight wired to Gen. Guiterrez begging
him to prevent the threatened renewal
of civil war.

Gen. Obregon and the other Car-
ranza Commissioners arrived here at 7
o'clock tonight, and soon afterward got
into telegraph communication with
Aguascalientes.

Messrs. Obregon and Hay telegraphed
to the convention that Carranza was
willing to withdraw his conditions with
regard to Zapata, but wanted to be as-
sured of Villa's effective retirement,
and insisted that the convention must draw
up a programme of social and economic
reforms which the new Pre-Constitu-
tional President should carry out. If
all this were done, Carranza would re-
sign.

In a statement issued tonight reasons
are given why Villa shot the Argentine
citizen Francisco Mugica. It is said
that Mugica distributed on a north-
bound train copies of the newspaper
El Liberal containing "The Reply of
First Chief Venustiano Carranza to the
Bandit Villa." For having distributed
these newspapers, it is asserted, Mugica
was removed from the train at Cuernavaca
by a Zacaiteca and shot in Villa's
presence. Mr. Carothers, the representa-
tive of the United States Government,
is said to have witnessed the scene,
peeping under the blind of his Pullman
car.

It is also stated that traces between
Ramon de Romera and Zacaitecas are
frequently held up by Villistas, who,
using violent language and with pistols
cocked, ask the passengers what they
think of Villa. In Zacaitecas Villa's
soldiers are said to compel peaceful
passengers to shout "Viva Villa."

The statement continues: "The brutal
atrocities in that region have no
parallel in the world's history. Even
Huerta's tyranny pales in comparison.
The insolence of the Villistas respects
nobody, not even members of families
who have the misfortune to set foot
outside."

Getters Names His Cabinet

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 9.—Gen. Car-
ranza today issued a proclamation de-
claring himself the chief head of the
republic. The proclamation, issued at
Cordoba, was directed to the military
chieftains and the civil employees of the
Central Government, who were ordered
to obey Carranza as First Chief of the
Constitutionalists and to disregard to-
tally the mandates of the Aguascalientes
convention. To the military chieftains
he said that unless they left the con-
ference and were back at their posts
by 6 o'clock Tuesday evening their
next in rank would assume their places.
Gen. Guiterrez, appointed Provisional
President by the convention, has pre-
sided himself the chief executive be-
cause of Carranza's absence.

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LION LOOSE AS SHIP TOSSES IN A STORM

Some Sailors Volunteer to Drive
Him Back Into His Cage But
Others Climb Rigging.

Special to THE NEW YORK TIMES

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 9.—Thrilling
stories of a battle with a lion which
broke from its cage during a raging gale
in midatlantic were told today by the
crew of the steamship West Point, which
landed its cargo of more than seventy-
five wild beasts, destined for Prospect
Park, Brooklyn.

From the time the steamship left Lon-
don until it docked at Pier 25, north of
Callowhill Street today, life aboard the
ship was one horror after another. Bed-
lam reigned and sleep was impossible.
Some of the crew, ancient mariners, used
to sleeping when the fiercest gales are
blowing, said that it was impossible
for them to get any rest on the west-
ward voyage of the West Point. Roar-
ing of lions, chattering of monkeys,
screaming of jackals, and the whining of
coyotes kept them in a constant state of
uneasiness.

The continual pitching and rolling of
the ship made the animals seasick and
at times aroused their anger. The con-
stant lunging of the vessel also weak-
ened the cages holding these denizens
of the jungle. On Thursday last, before
the vessel reached the Delaware Break-
water, a large lion burst through his
cage, and his escape was not discovered
for a short time. Because of the delay
caused by the escape of the lion, the
ship was forced to stop at sea for two
or three days late and food for the
animals had run short. The lion was
hungry, and his first thought was for
food. He made for a cage containing
a white mule, and was trying to tear
the bars apart when H. B. Goodkin, an
employee of Bostock's, who was in charge
of the animals, saw him, and shouted
for assistance.

When the word spread among the sail-
ors that a lion was loose and help was
needed, a lion hunt was on. Two or three
of them volunteered to go, but most of
them fled to the upper decks. The lion
was seen by the crew of the vessel. After
an hour's work, however, Goodkin, who
had volunteered to help, was still there,
and with sharp pronged pitchforks,
managed to shepherd the lion back into
his cage.

When the vessel arrived here another
exciting incident occurred. While the
cage containing a large black bear, weigh-
ing 400 pounds, was being lowered into
the water, the bear broke through the
cage. The cage was full of food, and the
bear was hungry. It took five attendants
almost half an hour to beat him back
into the cage. The bear was then taken
to the shore, and while this was going
on, longhorns, which were unloading the
ship, had sought safety on top of box cars and in
the rafters of the pier.

BRITISH WORKERS DROPPED

English and Scotch Employees of German-American Co. Lose Jobs

Special to THE NEW YORK TIMES

METUCHEN, N. J., Nov. 9.—Thirty-
two Englishmen and Scotchmen em-
ployed by the German-American Stone-
ware Company, owner of the Phoenix
Ceramic Works here, found their jobs
"vacant" this morning. Last week
Leonard Albrecht of New York, general
manager of the company, came here and
announced that the German-American
Stone-ware Company would have to be
closed. There are more than 100 Germans
and Austrians employed at the plant, while
the piece work is done by the thirty-two
English and Scotch. The reduction of
force was made necessary, the company
said, because of the loss of the German
market. Saturday, after a conference
of the owners, it was decided that the
English and Scotch were no longer in
the employ of the company.

\$10,000,000 FOR BUILDERS

Chicago Contractors First to Ben- efit by Reserve Banks

Special to THE NEW YORK TIMES

CHICAGO, Nov. 9.—An indication of
improving business conditions in Chi-
cago is found in the fact that negotia-
tions were opened today by contractors
and real estate operators for loans at
the Federal Reserve Bank. The money is to
be used in construction on delayed
buildings. This is regarded here as the
first big step toward prosperity, as a
direct result of the "loosening of
money" through the establishment of
the Federal Reserve Bank. Builders
said today that Chicago bankers were
accommodating the contractors with
loans. A date has been fixed for the
opening of the reserve banks.

Several loans extending into millions
of dollars are said to have been closed.
These will be applied at once to the work
delayed by the sudden contraction of
credit. The contractors say they are
willing to take at least \$10,000,000
which they will take as much more as
the spring building demand requires.

The property awaiting development in
the extreme ends of the city—north,
west, and south. Most of it is in the
suburbs, although several large build-
ing are to be erected on the west side.
Gen. M. Reynolds, President of the
Continental and Commercial National
Bank, expects a lowering of money
rates.

"I feel confident that it will not be
many weeks before money rates will
be lowered," said Mr. Reynolds. "Con-
ditions are such that the turn seems
almost at hand."

ORDER FOR 20 SUBMARINES

Fore River Plant Gets \$10,000,000 Contract Through Schwab

BOSTON, Nov. 9.—An order for the
construction of twenty submarines
has been placed with the Fore River
Shipbuilding Corporation of Quincy.
Officials of the plant today refused
information as to the identity of the
power for which the submarines were
intended, but one officer of the corpora-
tion said that the order would amount
to about \$10,000,000.

The order came to Quincy through the
Bureau of Naval Ordnance at Boston.
Bethlehem, Penn., of which Charles M.
Schwab is President.

The submarines are not to be turned
out by the Fore River plant, but as finished
sections, to be assembled afterward.

KITCHENER SURE ALLIES WILL WIN

Says England Has 1,250,000
Volunteers Waiting to Go to
the Front—Wants More.

ENTHUSIASM AT GUILDHALL

War Ministers and Allied Digni-
taries Cheered at the Lord
Mayor's Banquet.

CHURCHILL PRAISES NAVY

Says Convoy Work Postpones a
Great Battle—Stronger Than
When the War Began.

LONDON, Nov. 9.—That England is
prepared to carry on the war to the
bitter end, with every confidence in
the result, was the tenor of the speeches
at the annual banquet inaugurating the
new Lord Mayor of London at the
Guildhall this evening. Notable speeches
were made by Prime Minister Asquith,
Field Marshal Lord Kitchener, Secre-
tary for War, and Winston Spencer
Churchill, First Lord of the Admiralty.

Lord Kitchener, whose massive fig-
ure, clad in service khaki, towered over
the audience of a thousand men and wo-
men in the historic building, while ex-
pressing satisfaction at the response
to his call for men and the progress of
their military training, impressed upon
the nation that the war would be a long
one and he would require "more men
and still more, until the enemy is
crushed."

The Guildhall has been the scene of
many civil and national functions in
the past 500 years, but seldom has there
been one which so strongly appealed to
the popular imagination. The guests,
who numbered a thousand and included
the leading statesmen, diplomats, and
financiers, entered the civic head-
quarters of London between two lines
of khaki-clad riflemen. As each dignitary
entered the reception hall he was greet-
ed with rounds of cheers, but the real
outburst was reserved for Premier As-
quith, Lord Kitchener, Secretary for
War, Winston Spencer Churchill, First
Lord of the Admiralty, the Japanese,
Russian, and French Ambassadors, the
Belgian Minister, and the commander
of the Canadian contingent.

As these entered the hall, which was
decorated with the flags and coats of
arms of the allied nations, the entire
assembly rising to welcome them. The
military men, including Lord Kitchener,
were in uniform of khaki; the Am-
bassadors and other diplomats were in
the brilliant uniforms of their rank.

The principal speech of the evening
was that of Lord Kitchener, who ex-
pressed confidence in the ultimate suc-
cess of the Allies, by the advantages
which they possessed in men and ma-
terial and "in that wonderful spirit
which has never understood the mean-
ing of defeat."

Lord Kitchener praised the Scot-
tish, particularly the London Scot-
tish, for their splendid service in the
campaign of the East. In the ultimate
of the Admiralty, the Japanese, the
Russian, and French Ambassadors, the
Belgian Minister, and the commander
of the Canadian contingent.

"Under the direction of Gen. Joffre,
who is not only a great military leader,
but a great man, we may confidently
rely on the ultimate success of the
allied forces in the western theatre of
the war."

He praised the brilliant leadership of
Grand Duke Nicholas and also the
splendid deeds of the gallant Belgian
Army, and the bravery of the Japanese
forces. Continuing, Lord Kitchener
said:

"The British Empire is now fighting
for its existence. I want every citizen
to understand this cardinal fact; for
only from a clear conception of the vast
importance of the issue at stake can
the great national impulse with
which the Government's War Min-
isters, or even their navies, can do but
little. We have enormous advantages
in our resources of men and material,
and in that wonderful spirit of ours
which has never understood the mean-
ing of defeat. All these are great ad-
vantages, but they are of no use unless
they are used judiciously and effectively.

"I have no complaint to make what-
ever about the response to my appeals
for men. The progress in the military
training of those who already have en-
listed is most remarkable, and the coun-
try may well be proud of them; but I
shall want more men, and still more,
until the enemy is crushed."

"Armies cannot be called together as
with the magician's wand, and in the
process of formation there may be
discomforts and inconveniences—may
some cases even downright suffering. I
cannot promise that these conditions
will wholly cease, but I can give you
every assurance that they have already
greatly diminished, and everything that
administrative energy can do to bring
them to an end assuredly will be done.
The men who have come forward must
remember that they are enduring for
their country's sake, just as their com-
rades are in the shell-torn trenches."

"The introduction of elaborate de-
structive machinery with which our en-
emies had so simply and carefully sup-
plied themselves has been the subject of
much eulogy on the part of military
critics, but it must be remembered that
in the matter of preparation those who
are in the shell-torn trenches have a
considerable advantage over their
neighbors. So far as we are concerned,
we are clearly open to no similar sug-
gestions."

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SAYS BELGIAN PATROLS HAVE REACHED OSTEND

Coast Line Now Believed to Be
Safe From that Port as
Far as Dunkirk.

LONDON, Tuesday, Nov. 10.—A dis-

patch from Northern France to The
Daily Chronicle says that advance pa-
trols of Belgians have penetrated to
Ostend, which means that the coast
line from Dunkirk to Nieuport and Ost-
end is relieved from the menace of the
past two weeks.

DE WET'S SON KILLED; 364 BOERS CAPTURED

Force of Rebels Under Gen.
Beyers Routed by Gen.
Lammore's Men.

LONDON, Nov. 10.—"Gen. Christian
De Wet, the rebel leader," says Reu-
ter's Pretoria correspondent, "has been
in contact with and has dispersed a
small Government commando under
Gen. Cronje, a member of the Legis-
lature, near Doornburg. In the course
of the fighting Gen. De Wet's son Daniel
was killed."

"The Government is sending strong
reinforcements to Cronje."

Reuter's Cape Town correspondent,
under date of Monday, gives the follow-
ing official communication concerning
the fighting in South Africa:

"An engagement between Gen. Lam-
more's forces and Transvaal rebels un-
der Gen. Christian Beyers occurred on
Nov. 8. The rebels, well armed and led
by Beyers, were entirely dispersed, los-
ing 9 men killed, 11 men wounded, 364
prisoners, 300 rifles, and 300 horses.

"The loyalists' casualties were 3 men
killed and 9 wounded."

A dispatch from Cape Town says:
"Dr. W. B. Rubusana, a native physi-
cian and member of the Cape Provin-
cial Council for Tembuland, recently
offered to raise 5,000 natives for service
against German Southwest Africa. Dr.
Rubusana has now been informed by
the Government that, while it appreci-
ates the sentiment of the natives, it
does not desire to avail itself of the
services as combatants of citizens of
non-European descent in the present
hostilities."

CONCERTS TO REVIVE WAR-HIT APPETITES

London Hotel Seeks to Dispel
Gloom and Draw Knitting
Women from Their Rooms.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES

LONDON, Nov. 9.—One of the biggest
hotels in London plans to give frequent
concerts in an effort to dispel the
gloom of the war and improve the ap-
petites of its patrons. An official of
the hotel said today that whereas some-
times Americans were able to eat
\$3.25 dinners the English seldom spent
more than \$1.75. Especially among the
women had the decline in appetite be-
come noticeable, he said. This he ascribed
to worry and lack of exercise, the lat-
ter the result of remaining too much in
their own rooms knitting for the sol-
diers. Another substantial element was
a desire to see the world.

It was explained that the concerts
would draw the women out of their
rooms to a place where they could knit
in a musical atmosphere. "This in turn
would invigorate the appetites of the
women—and when women eat it is a
sure thing the men will not be out-
done," the manager said. "The concerts
are a good music would dispel the
prevailing depression."

ESCAPED ATTACK FROM AIR AND SEA

Thrilling Tale of How French
Cruiser Engaged Aeroplane
and Submarines.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES

PARIS, Nov. 9.—A thrilling story of
how a French cruiser was engaged with
an aeroplane and submarines simultane-
ously is told by a midshipman, who
says that the French cruiser Waldeck
Rousseau was heading for Cattaro in
the small hours of the morning and was
warned that three hostile submarines
had stolen out from their base to gar-
ber. The day had scarcely broken when
an Austrian biplane also came sailing
through the air straight toward the
cruiser, hovering at not more than 1,000
feet above the ship.

Unmoved, apparently, by the hail of
shot from quickfiring, the biplane let
fall a bomb, which splashed into the
sea only about thirty feet to starboard
aboard the bridge. A second bomb just
missed the port quarter.

At the same moment a lookout sig-
nalled that a submarine was only 300
yards to the starboard side of the cruiser.
The submarine discharged a tor-
pedo almost as soon as she was sighted,
but the cruiser had had time to shift
her helm and the deadly missile went
swirling by not more than three feet
from the stern. Before the submarine
could make a second shot the cruiser
had blown away its periscope and an-
other biplane was seen to be circling
the vessel.

Another submarine came sneaking up
on the other side and a destroyer op-
erated to draw the cruiser's fire while
the submarine crept in and dealt a
deadly blow. The Waldeck Rousseau
was a match for the two of them,
and shortly after the destroyer turned
and ran for harbor with a nasty list
to port, while the submarine dived to
escape the storm of shell and did not show
itself again.

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RUSSIANS SWEEPING OVER FRONTIER; CRUISER GLASGOW SAFE AFTER FIGHT; GERMANS RENEW ATTACK IN BELGIUM

GERMANS QUIT DEFENSES

Great Intrenched Line
Centred on Czenstochowo
Reported as Abandoned

FIGHTING NOW FOR CRACOW

Russians Attack Austro-German
Rear Guards on the Outer
Line of the Fortress.

BIG PRIZE IN EAST PRUSSIA

Invaders Seize 1,500 Railroad
Cars Filled with Coal—Ger-
mans Take 4,000 Prisoners.

PETROGRAD, Nov. 9.—The following

communication from the Russian Gen-
eral Staff, issued tonight, shows that
the advancing Russian forces are sweep-
ing with great speed on to the frontier
of Posen and approaching Thorn, the
southernmost fortress of the great de-
fensive line of the Vistula, running
northward through Prussia to Danzig:

On the East Prussian frontier fight-
ing continues. The Russian troops have
occupied Goldapp. In the direc-
tion of Mlaw, (Poland), we have ad-
vanced and stopped the movement of
the railway trains of the enemy, near the
station of Soldau. (East Prussia.)

Beyond the Vistula, the Germans
have withdrawn from Wlozawsk to
Nieschans, and from Konin to Sleszy.
On the roads to Cracow we are con-
tinuing to push back the rear guards
of the Austrians.

South of Przemyśl, Nov. 7, we cap-
tured 1,000 prisoners and a number of
cannon.

On the coast of the Caucasus, Nov.
6 and 7, cruisers of the enemy made
their appearance.

What is described here as the contin-
ued and irresistible offensive of the
Russian Army resulting in the evacua-
tion of Poland by the Germans is re-
ported as successfully establishing it-
self in German territory at Pleschen,
thirteen miles west of the Russo-Ger-
man frontier, thus threatening the Ger-
man line of communications.

Along the South Polish frontier the
Russians attacked the Austrian rear
guard at Pleschen, which commands an
important crossing on the upper Vistula,
twenty-five miles from Cracow. It is
asserted that a general retreat of the
Austrian forces on Cracow as a new
base is now apparent.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES

PETROGRAD, Nov. 9. (Dispatch to
The London Daily News.)—The con-
tact now are inside German terri-
tory.

The Russians took 1,500 wagons laden
with coal standing on railway sidings
in East Prussia in positions the Ger-
mans had evacuated.

The Russian cavalry, which invaded
Posen, has cleared the left flank of the
cannon at the crossing of the Warthe at
Konin. These cavalry operations with
strong supports have nullified the en-
tire defensive preparations of Germans
inside the Polish frontier.

The Russians now hold without re-
sistance the great line of entrenchments
running from Czenstochowo southward
to the town of Gostynin. German re-
serves and local forces had been
employed for a month digging and
equipping these works, which were
built buttressed like underground dwell-
ings. Now all are abandoned.

The Russians are now attacking the
Austro-German rear guard on the outer
line of Cracow fortress.

CAPTURE 4,000 RUSSIANS

Germans Also Take Ten Maxims on
East Prussian Frontier.

BERLIN, (via Amsterdam to London),

Nov. 9.—The following was contained in
a report issued by General Headquarters
this forenoon:

In the eastern theatre an at-
tack on the Russian forces north of
Wyschny Lake has been re-
pulsed, with several Russian losses.
Four thousand Russians and ten ma-
chine guns were captured.

Special to THE NEW YORK TIMES

WASHINGTON, Nov. 9.—The Austro-
Hungarian Embassy tonight made pub-
lic the following official wireless dis-
patch from Vienna:

No fight northeastern war theatre.
Desperate engagements continue in
Serbia near Krupanj. Bombardments
after earthworks and points of sup-
port taken by storm.

The following was issued yesterday
by the Austro-Hungarian Consul Gen-
eral in New York:

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Summary of War News

The French War Office announces that the Allies continue their progress on the battle line between Dixmude and the Lys, and also along the Aisne. The attacks of the Germans on Dixmude and in the region of the Ypres were repulsed yesterday.

The German Army Staff admits that the Allies have started an offensive movement in Belgium. Sorties near Nieuport during Sunday night failed completely, it is said, while attacks southwest of Ypres were repulsed and several hundred prisoners taken. The progress made by the Germans in their attacks on Ypres continues, it is said, in spite of obstinate resistance.

The Russian General Staff reports that fighting continues on the East Prussian frontier, with the Russian Army steadily advancing. The movement of German railway trains near Soldau has been stopped, and beyond the Vistula River the Germans have withdrawn further. The Austrians are being pushed back closer to Cracow, and south of Przemyśl 1,000 prisoners and a number of cannon have been captured.

The German report states that a strong column of Russians has been defeated near the Wyschny Lake, in East Prussia, and 4,000 prisoners and many machine guns have been captured.

The British cruiser Glasgow, which was engaged with the German cruisers off the coast of Chile on Sunday, Nov. 1, and the British transport Otranto are reported safe in the Straits of Magellan, bound for the Falkland Islands base.

Lord Kitchener, speaking at the Guildhall banquet last night, declared his belief in the ultimate success of the Allies, and announced that 1,250,000 men were now training in England to join the forces in the field. Other speakers echoed his note of confidence.

RUSSIANS TAKE TURKS' FORT NEAR ERZERUM

In Pursuit of Kurdish Cavalry—
Armenian Students Enthusiastic
Volunteers in Petrograd.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES

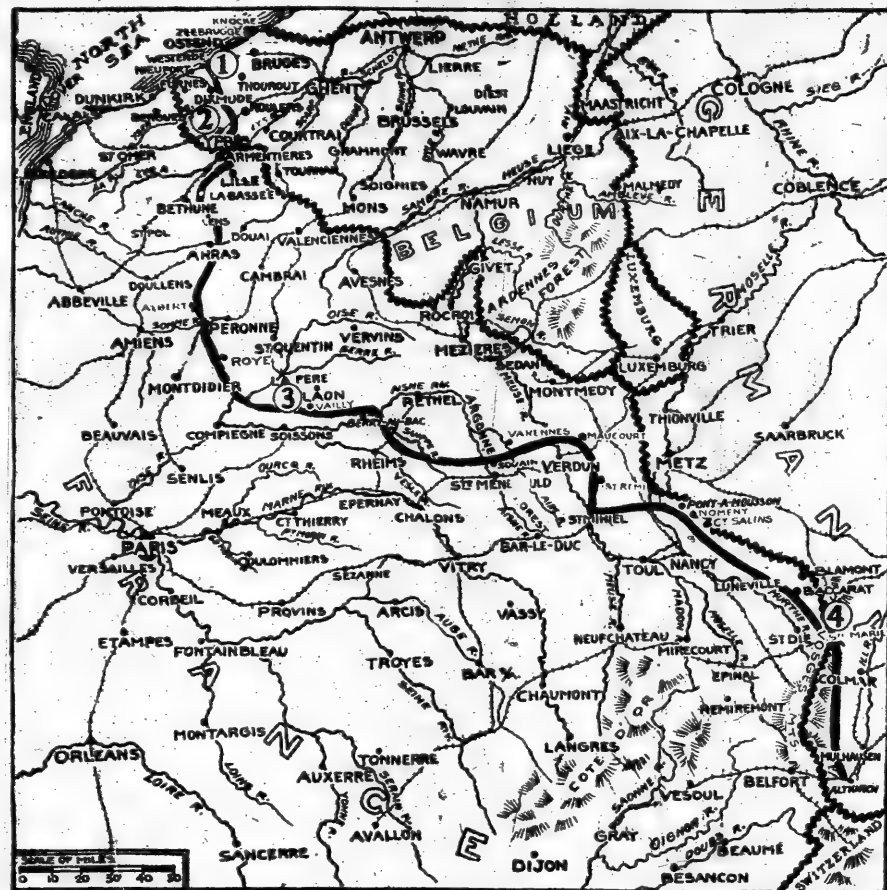
PETROGRAD, Nov. 9. (Dispatch to
The London Daily Chronicle.)—The Cau-
casian Army continues to operate suc-
cessfully against Turkey. Most impor-
tant is its seizure of a stronghold twenty-
five miles east of Erzerum. The de-
feated Kurdish cavalry has been scat-
tered in small bands in the valleys and
passes south of the Russian frontier,
and part of the Russian force is engaged
in sweeping it up in order to prevent it
from raiding communications.

The Kurds, supported by regulars and
armed peasants, tried to advance to the
northeast of Karakissa, but were re-
pulsed with heavy losses. The Kurdish
cavalry, known as the Hamidieh, is sta-
tioned at Alashkert, Hassan Kaei, and
along the Persian frontier. Several
bands of Persian irregulars under the
leadership of Amir Heshmat, former
Chief of Police at Teheran, and Ibrahim
Bey are operating on the Turco-Persian
frontier.

The persecution of the Armenians has
begun in earnest. Armenian refugees
are pouring across the Caucasian fron-
tier, and they say that the Turkish
troops have orders to shoot all Ar-
menians who are met near the frontier.
It is rumored that Armenian bands are
attacking Van.

Armenian students are volunteering in
hundreds for the Turkish campaign.
Last night I saw a party of sixty leave
for the Caucasus. Large crowds of stu-
dents gathered to bid them farewell.
There was

Points of Present Interest on the Western Battle Front



1. A wireless dispatch from Berlin says the enemy's ships attacked the German right wing, but were beaten off. Presumably this attack was made between the Dutch frontier and the Belgian coast, pointing seaward. German Army headquarters reports that a land sortie from Nieport was repulsed.

2. Fresh attacks on Dixmude and Ypres by the Germans have been unsuccessful, according to the French official report, which says the Allies are advancing slowly between Dixmude and the Lys. Berlin, on the contrary, states that the German attacks on Ypres are progressing steadily.

3. The Allies are holding their guns on the Aisne River, according to Paris.

4. The French official report tells of a new attack by the Germans on the heights of Mount Ste. Marie, and adds that the assaults were repulsed.

ers, but every policeman is obliged to salute all German officers, and scrupulously return the salutation.

RUSSIANS CAPTURE FORT NEAR ERZERUM

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Revolving no hostile reply, the cruiser put in close to the breakwater and opened fire with its Maxims on the troops there, wounding six men.

The troops had artillery, with which and their rifles they replied to the Turkish fire. The first hit made by the Russian field artillery caused the cruiser to draw off and turn northward.

RUSSIANS ATTACK BOSPORUS.

Warships Said to Have Destroyed Several Vessels at Ereğli.

PARIS, Nov. 9.—The protected cruisers Kagul and Pamiat Merkuria of the Russian Black Sea fleet bombarded the ports of the Bosphorus and the coast depots of Ereğli on Saturday, according to an announcement made at Constantinople and forwarded by the Athens correspondent of the Temps.

The attack, which was added, went out to meet the Russian warships, but soon returned. Several vessels at the port of Ereğli, which is 128 miles north of Constantinople, were destroyed in the course of the bombardment.

LONDON, Nov. 9.—A dispatch from Berlin says that the Russians have bombarded Kobuleti and Sugli on the coast of Asia Minor.

TURKISH MINISTERS OUT.

Ambassador Morgenthau Reports Resignation of Peace Advocates.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 9.—Ambassador Morgenthau at Constantinople today reported the resignations of the Turkish Ministers of Agriculture, of the Interior, and of Posts and Telegraphs. The Cabinet officers who represented the peace party in the Ottoman Government, they forced the resignation of the war party in control.

Mr. Morgenthau's previous messages showed that the three men made every effort to prevent Turkey from entering the war, and were the first to inform the United States of the Turkish attitude toward the belligerents.

The Ambassador reported that he was now caring for Bervan as well as British and French interests.

CONSTANTINOPLE, (via Sofia and London, Nov. 9.)—There is a great degree of anxiety in Governmental circles regarding the attitude of certain sections of the Turkish press.

The local police maintain a close surveillance over the population, and any expressions of anti-Government views in the press are immediately suppressed. Several public executions have taken place in the last few days.

COL. G. C. WILSON KILLED.

Mafeking Veteran and Husband of Daughter of Duke of Marlborough.

LONDON, Nov. 9.—News has reached London of the death in action of Col. Gordon Charles Wilson, a Mafeking veteran, who was killed in the action of the Tigris.

Col. Wilson belonged to the Royal Horse Guards and was born in 1855. He served in South Africa and did staff duty during the defense of Mafeking. His wife, Lady Sarah, who was born Isabella Churchill, sixth daughter of the Duke of Marlborough, is a social prominent in England. She was in South Africa during the Boer war and was taken prisoner outside of Mafeking.

Capt. Hon. Arthur Edward Bruce Gordon, Col. Wilson's son, was killed in the action of the Tigris. He was a member of the lower house of Parliament and was a member of the House of Commons.

Some Japanese Officers Want Troops Sent to Aid the Allies.

TOKYO, Nov. 9.—Since the fall of the German position at Tsing-tau, the question of Japan's sending an army to Europe has begun to attract increasing attention.

The idea finds considerable support in military circles, where it is believed that such a movement would be welcomed by France.

PEKING, Nov. 9.—The German Legation says that the garrison at Tsing-tau numbered between 4,500 and 4,800 men.

At the Japanese Legation the belief is expressed that the town was not badly damaged by the bombardment.

Chinese officials, who have greatly feared that China would be invaded by international complications as a result of the presence of hostile forces on her soil, appear relieved by the conclusion of the fighting at Tsing-tau, and express the hope that China may now continue the process of reconstruction undisturbed by external questions.

FRENCH AVIATORS WIN OFFICIAL PRAISE

Critics of Air Service Answered by Tribute Paid in German Prisoners' Diaries.

PARIS, Nov. 9.—Published reports that French aeroplanes are never seen above the French lines, while many machines of the enemy are constantly reconnoitering over the French Army has brought forth an official explanation of the operations of the French aviation service.

This sets forth that French aviators are operating not only on the German lines, but considerably behind them. The critics of aviation are never mentioned officially, but their exploits have been none the less numerous and brilliant.

The statement says that this new arm of the service has fulfilled the promises made for it, but that it will never take the place of any weapon now in use.

Air battles between contingents of flying machines might have satisfied the fancy of prophetic minds, it is said, but they have been lacking. In a few cases two aeroplanes have been in conflict, and two instances have been reported in which three machines were engaged, but these were mere incidents to the real mission of the aeroplane as it has developed in service—that of an auxiliary to other arms of the service, particularly the artillery.

This service is obscure to the civilian, and is rendered more so by the rigid censorship. From wounded soldiers and prisoners, however, is gathered evidence of the value of this service, and the published orders of the day occasionally give instances which show heroism on the part of the French aviators.

The inquiry is frequently heard, "Where are the great aviators?" Nothing has been heard from Paulhan, the hero of the English tour from London to Manchester. Gilbert, Brindejone des Moulins, Garros, and Vardines, popular aviators from whom wonders were expected, have, so far as the public are concerned, played a small role in the war, but they have not been the less active for all that.

Extracts from the diaries of German prisoners attest the efficiency of French machines. A non-commissioned German officer wrote:

"At Corboret several men of my detachment were hit by bomb thrown by French aviator."

From the diary of a German aviator: "The Seventh Company of the Third Regiment of the Guard had 8 killed and 22 wounded by bomb from a French aeroplane."

From a soldier's diary: "An officer showed us a torn coat taken from one of sixty soldiers wounded by bomb from French aeroplane."

From the diary of an officer: "A bomb from a French aeroplane wounded several men of the Seventy-third Infantry in the region of Rheims."

Information from a prisoner: "Near Neuville an aeroplane bomb dropped on a supply train, killed 4 men, wounded 6, and killed a considerable number of horses."

It was recently announced semi-officially that as the result of the specially trained of an aeroplane the staff of one of the German armies was obliged to change its position.

In recent orders of the day these aviators were mentioned:

Radot, Lieutenant, aviator observed distinguished himself by number and precision in his information; killed by enemy, battle of the Marne.

Watteau, Lieutenant, aeroplane scout, made many fruitful reconnoissances in aeroplane and frequently exposed to enemy's fire.

Cohen, Sergeant, aviator, killed while reconnoitering during battle of the Marne; had furnished precise information.

Thoret, Sergeant, aviator, and Thoret, sapper, aviator; distinguished services; dropped bombs on enemy's lines; Sapper Thoret wounded by bullet in thigh refused interrupt his service to have wound dressed.

Munch and de Serre did not hesitate to take the most dangerous missions, doubly perilous; obliged to fly low and constantly exposed to fire enemy at short range.

Laokman, Parent, Bouquier, Gilbert, and Allouah also mentioned for having braved tempest and fog in order to secure precious information.

BRITISH RED SEA REVERSE?

Berlin Reports Troops Landed at Akabah "Destroyed" by Arabs.

LONDON, Tuesday, Nov. 10.—A Berlin dispatch received tonight by wireless from the Marconi Company gives the following from the main army headquarters at Constantinople:

"Turkish gendarmes belonging to the tribes fighting on the side of the Turks have destroyed the English troops landed at Akabah (on the Red Sea.) Four British armored cruisers withdrew, only one remaining."

EUROPA HELD AT GIBRALTAR.

Italian Liner from New York Said to Have Contraband Cargo.

GIBRALTAR, Spain, Nov. 9.—The Italian steamer Europa of La Veloce Line, which sailed with passengers from New York on Oct. 28 for Naples and Genoa, was detained here today by British warships, and is discharging alleged contraband of war.

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FEAR OF CONFLICT IN RELIEF WORK

American Commission in London Sees Danger in Lack of Co-operation Here.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. LONDON, Nov. 9.—There is apprehension here that the failure of those in America who are interested in Belgian relief properly to co-ordinate their work with the American Commission in London will lead to confusion and lack of efficiency which may seriously interfere with the relief measures already well advanced.

From indications noted here there is danger of other organizations endeavoring to direct the relief work from the other side, making more than one agency for the transmission of supplies to Belgium. It is considered here that this would be a grave mistake.

The American Commission has arranged a channel for supplies after great effort, involving the obtaining of the consent of all the Governments concerned. While unofficial, the commission has official recognition and receives contributions from the British Government for the purchase of supplies.

If any other organization in America like the Rockefeller Foundation or the Red Cross should now endeavor to run its own system of supplying food to Belgium complications certainly will ensue, as it will be difficult for them to obtain recognition from the Governments which have already recognized the commission.

It is understood that the matter is being discussed with the Government at Washington with a view to obtaining thorough co-operation between the commission here and the relief workers in America.

LONDON, Nov. 10.—The American Commission for the relief of Belgium has been advised that with the 50,000 sacks of grain on hand the committee in Belgium will be able to relieve in three or four days the towns of Namur, Liege, and Leuven, and the districts around them, and that by the 15th of November the commission will have been able to supply the needs of all persons in Belgium, except those in the most remote and inaccessible places.

The steamer Janbuck with relief stores on board arrived at Rotterdam yesterday.

LARGE SHELLS ORDERED HERE.

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Officials of the steel company affirm the receipt of the order, and the fact that the shells are to go to one of the European warring nations.

Five million rounds of small arm ammunition will be supplied to one of the warring European nations by the Economy Cartridge Fuse Company of this city within the next three months. The order for these cartridges was received Saturday.

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EXPLAIN LUDINGTON'S DEATH

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Mr. Ludington had no worries and was in a sound financial position. He was moved by the cause of the Allies and tried to enlist in the British Army. Unable to do this because he was an American, he joined the Red Cross. Mr. Ludington enjoyed the health. He was strong, athletic, and almost a giant in physique.

Evidence given by his friends at the inquest showed that on Tuesday, the day before his death, Mr. Ludington was in excellent spirits. He had been working for the Red Cross service in France as soon as he learned to drive an automobile. He never gave anything about suicide. Mr. Ludington had invited Lord Eustace Percy of the Foreign Office to dine with him at the Automobile Club on Wednesday evening.

Lord Eustace arrived at the club about his master dead in a bedroom with a revolver, which he had purchased two hours before, by his side. The coroner in summing up said it seemed almost incredible that Mr. Ludington should intentionally take his life.

His brother lives in Philadelphia.

KAISER GOING TO POTSDAM.

The Emperor to Make His Headquarters There, It Is Said.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. COPENHAGEN, Nov. 9. (Dispatch to The London Daily Mail.)—I learn from Berlin that preparations are being made at Potsdam for the Kaiser's return there.

It is reported that it is the Emperor's intention to remove his headquarters there.

FOR BRITISH WAR RELIEF.

Relative of Spring-Rice Among Incorporators of New Society.

An application was made to Supreme Court Justice Pendleton yesterday for the incorporation of the British War Relief Association. This organization will raise a fund to provide an automobile ambulance corps for service in the European theatre of war.

It is used also to send out as many volunteer nurses as possible and to relieve severe cases of distress among British subjects in this city. The headquarters of the association is at the British Consulate, 48 West Ninety-sixth Street.

Those named as directors are Theodora Mary Anne Spring-Rice of 48 West Ninety-sixth Street; Percy William Darbyshire and Blanche Rosalind Darbyshire of 17 East Eighty-third Street; Florence Emily Hargreaves and Randall Hargreaves of 430 William Street; and Ernest Murray Wynne of 485 Avon Avenue, Newark, N. J.

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SEES WORLD'S HOPE
IN GERMAN TRIUMPH

War Was Not Fought or
Wanted, Says Dr. Hall, Who
Returned Recently.

PUTS BLAME ON RUSSIA

And Says Victory of Allies Would
Be "Betrayal of Democracy,
Civilization, and Freedom."

The Rev. Dr. Thomas C. Hall, Professor of Christian Ethics in the Union Theological Seminary, in a formal interview, made public by the German Information Service in New York, said that the attitude of the German Government toward the European war, which led to the European war, Dr. Hall, who recently returned from Germany, said that not only the average German, but even the German Army officers, did not want war.

"I know Germans in all classes of society," Dr. Hall said. "I do not know, even among the younger German officers, one who wanted war. Germany was growing stronger and richer through her trade, and every German knew that her trade needed peace."

"Bernhardt's book, even though by some it has been taken as an indication of a realistic attitude on Germany's part, no more represents the feeling of the average German than Hobson represents sober American opinion. If we were, which God forbid, to be dragged into a war with Japan by her attempt to dominate China, would it be fair to quote Mr. Hobson as showing we all stand with Japan?"

"On the third of the German voters—and Germany has manhood suffrage—are Social Democrats and utterly opposed to war. The whole industrial community has dreaded war, and the Emperor has cherished as his chief ambition the hope that he would go down into history as the 'Emperor of peace.'"

"There is no doubt that Russia is the real source of the trouble. She is pushing her Balkan policy, and once sure of the support of England she went to war to regain her prestige lost through the Japanese war, to avenge herself for what she considered a diplomatic defeat after the Balkan war, and to divert attention from the growing discontent within her own borders."

"It was only a matter of time with her, and, assured of the assistance of the British Navy, she considered her task of going through Austria to Constantinople an easy one."

"Germany's victory, far from being a world menace, is the best hope of peace. Germany is the only great power that has not in the last forty-four years carried on a war of aggression."

Dr. Hall asserts that business has not been ruined in Germany as a result of the war, and that food remains cheap. Germany, he says, can raise twice as much money as she already has to finance the war.

"The eastern situation," Dr. Hall continued, "as it affects the war I do not know as I should like to, but I feel dreadfully the crime of dragging Japan into the quarrel. The fate of Tsing-tau will not and cannot terminate the outcome of the European war, and Germany will never forget that Japan, which owes much to her, took advantage of the struggle to commit an unpardonable act of treachery against her."

"It brings a war with Japan just so much nearer, and that would mean, alas, the destruction of all the value that the West has brought to Japan! It is a shame and a crime that England did not keep both sides of the door out of this horrible, brutal war."

"So far as England's entrance into the war is concerned, I am a peace advocate, with Sir Edward Grey and Churchill as leaders, have at last succeeded in the task of saving England and Germany, and fear of her as a growing sea power, taken with Chamberlain's policy, has made her eager to seize the excuse of Belgium's neutrality for the attack on Germany."

"To me it seems absurd to claim that Russia stands for liberty and civilization, and Germany for slavery and barbarism. I know Russia, and I know Germany, and Americans forget that Russia is the power that will win if the Allies win. A victory for Russia means another world war for the control of the Mediterranean and for Persia and India."

"Cut off as the United States is from direct contact with Germany, we know only what England teaches us and are missing the real emphasis of this war, which is essentially a war of values and a struggle for the control of the world."

"A victory for the Allies would be the betrayal of democracy, civilization and freedom."

BERLIN GETTING PANICKY.

Knows Now of Reverses in the East,
But Expects Victory in the West.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. LONDON, Nov. 9. (By Special Cable.)—Traveling in the east of France on Friday, I had as a fellow-passenger an American business man who left Germany on Wednesday. He told me that, so far as outward appearances were concerned, the German capital had changed very little since the outbreak of the war, but that there was a certain air of expectancy, was practically at a standstill. He had given up hope of pursuing his occupation any longer, and intended making his way to New York to await the end of hostilities.

He said that anti-British feeling was growing in Berlin. Only the previous Saturday night he was at a concert in a beer hall where the turns provoked demonstrations against England, and things were none too pleasant for him when, in a moment of thoughtlessness, he spoke to an American friend in English.

Berlin, he added, now knows that things are not going well for the German-Austrian forces in the east, and the people were getting panicky as to what might happen from that direction. They only knew, however, that the operations against Calais were being hindered by the flooding of Belgium, and were very confident that the movement would be successful and that the plans for invading England would in time be carried through. He himself did not know how tightly the German advance to the coast was being held by the Allies until he read the French newspapers in Switzerland.

GERMANS FAVOR ONE BRITON.

Banker Born in Colony Only One
Not Interned in Hamburg.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. LONDON, Nov. 9. (By Special Cable.)—A telegram from Hamburg today, received from Hamburg saying that all the English bankers there had been interned except one who was born in one of the British colonies.

No details were given, but it is generally believed that Germans consider their subjects are better treated in English colonies than in England, and hence this discrimination in their favor.

THE WAR SITUATION.

BY THE MILITARY EXPERT OF THE NEW YORK TIMES.
(An Associate Editor of The Army and Navy Journal.)

The vigorous attacks which the Germans are now making between Lille and Ypres show the development of a new effort by them to break down the opposition of the allied forces on this flank.

Their best opportunity for success in this move was when their army from Antwerp first arrived at the front. Since then the German reinforcements have had more than enough to make good their losses, while the French and the British have been steadily strengthening their armies on this flank. There would seem, then, little prospect of success for the Germans in their attempt to drive the Allies out of Belgium.

The success of the Allies in repulsing the German attacks all along the line indicates the wisdom of the policy adopted by Gen. Joffre and his advisers. Warfar, a battle, is nearly as much as it is a struggle of force. The whole object of strategy is to out-guess the enemy and use one's own forces in the way that will gain the greatest results. Much depends upon the proper estimate of what the opponent will do.

In this case, Gen. Joffre banked on the prediction of the Germans for aggressive action. Their drill books have for years emphasized the point that field fortifications would fail before determined attacks of large numbers of men. Consequently the French and British have remained on the defensive, where their sheltered positions would enable them to inflict disproportionate losses on the attacking columns.

The result of the fighting for the last month along the battle line in France has been a constant wearing down of the German forces without compensating losses to the Allies. The net result is an appreciable gain for the allied cause. They are obtaining the desired military objects, and at the same time are harassing the lives of their men. By this policy they have been able to do better than break even with the Germans during the weeks in which the Russian Army has been developing its full force.

Now the crisis is largely passed for the Allies, and all signs seem to indicate that they are preparing for an aggressive campaign. It can be told where they will strike, but the three months of preparations have placed the Allies in a condition of preparedness, similar to that which the Russians have shown in their recent fighting in Poland. When the advance of the Allies is started, it bids fair to be pressed with vigor.

However, it should be borne in mind that this will be only one step more in the conduct of the war. The Germans will gather strength in withdrawal and will confront the Allies, when they have been able to bring an army even stronger than that now massed along the front in France. If the Allies should be successful in accomplishing such an advance, they would be but little further ahead in the war.

KAISER FINDS LANCES USELESS TO CAVALRY

Praises Horsemen, but Takes
Blame for Not Training
Them as Infantry.

BERLIN, Nov. 9. (Via The Hague and London.)—German cavalry has been called upon in the present war to perform duties of a character differing widely from those emphasized in maneuvers a few years ago. Only rarely has there been an opportunity to launch the thrilling cavalry charges then favored. Instead, the high-spirited horsemen frequently are used both in the East and West to hold trenches and fill out the lines of the infantry.

Emperor William, in an address to the officers of a cavalry division which he reviewed in a Belgian town, said: "I learn with pleasure that the cavalry fought brilliantly. The horsemen in this war have been intrusted with tasks such as I never believed possible. It is perhaps my fault that the training in time of peace never included the duties which the cavalry are here performing. The cavalry fought with bayonets and trenching tools, and Gen. von Mawritz tells me that the infantry are proud to charge with their brothers of the cavalry."

"I hope, however, that the cavalry may yet have an opportunity to use their lances if we succeed, with the help of the dear God who already has permitted so many successes, in surrounding the enemy."

DENIES CRUELTY TO JEWS.

Bernstorff Says Germans Treat
Those in the War Zone Kindly.

In response to an inquiry of Herman Bernstorff, editor of the new Jewish daily, The Day, as to the allegations of German barbarities in the Jewish towns of Russian Poland, the German Ambassador has written the following letter:

"GERMAN EMBASSY.
"Washington, Nov. 6.
"Dear Mr. Bernstorff: I have your communication stating that you have found in Russian newspapers accounts of atrocities alleged to have been committed by the German and Austrian forces, bearing especially upon the Jewish population. You have asked me whether I have any statement to make regarding the matter."

"I am glad to avail myself of the opportunity to express myself on the question, which is naturally of the most vital interest especially to the many Jews in America."

"War is not play, and there is no doubt whatever, but that all the occupied countries must suffer from its burden and its horrors. The authorities in the German Army, however, have done everything in their power to protect from the ravages of war the innocent civilian population in those districts occupied by their troops. They are doing this especially in Russian Poland, where they find a population which is composed of those nationalities which are opposed to Russia. The German forces are coming to Russian Poland as the defenders of the German frontiers. There they find the population which has suffered for a long time the worst treatment under the Russian regime. The sentiment of humane justice is combined here with the duty of protecting the population when the Germans make those oppressed people feel that the advancing enemy is not a conqueror, but a liberator."

"To accomplish this result, the Austro-German armies of occupation issued orders to the Jewish population to remain in their homes. The Jews in Russian Poland, which was distributed in the Hebrew as well as in the Yiddish language, were promised to the Jews not only their liberation from the Russian yoke, but also the restoration of their civil rights and equality in every phase of economic and intellectual life. The Germans did not stop with the making of promises. They endeavored to carry them out. To ease the burden of war for the Jewish population, the German authorities issued orders that they could not be any doubt they were going to be loyal to the German cause, but that they were saved from destruction whenever possible. Jewish prisoners were treated with the utmost consideration."

"There are numerous reports which testify to this policy of action on the part of the German authorities. I have given to her Jews all civil rights, and the Jews remain loyal to the German cause. To the Jews in Russian Poland German offers frankly and openly show the whole world that she is the only country in Europe that resorts to her own methods. It is essential once for all to expose this method of fighting."

"G. BERNSTORFF."

PLANNING WINTER CAMPAIGN.

Germany Assembling Tents, Sleighs,
and Fur Outfits for Army.

LONDON, Nov. 9.—A dispatch from Copenhagen to the Central News says: "According to a Berlin telegram Germany is making enormous preparations for a winter campaign with tents, sleighs, and fur outfits for an entire army."

"The intention of the Russian Circle which is issuing the Tatarian news is evident. The Jews of Russia are displaying in this war marvelous patriotism for their native country, which has been their oppressor. The Russian Government is now promising to the Jews, and improving conditions, but is simply trying to show that the hostile Germans are treating the Jews still worse. By this means it aims to kill the feelings of friendliness toward Germany among the Russian Jews, and above all to show the whole world that she is the only country in Europe that resorts to her own methods. It is essential once for all to expose this method of fighting."

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Pennsylvania R. R.

THE WAR SITUATION.

RUSSIANS SWEEPING
OVER THE FRONTIER

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voluntarily taken back before the overwhelming Russian forces. Our forces detached themselves from the enemy in order and without being pursued.

Our army got into new formations on the line Kutno-Kawa-Radom-mouth of the San. In Galicia all the positions reached before were kept everywhere, despite desperate counter attacks of the Russians, who were repulsed with heavy losses.

In Serbia we took strong Serbian positions, and the Russian advance otherwise the situation is unchanged. Bosnia is cleared of the enemy.

The bombardment of Cattaro continues without result. It is characteristic of the unscrupulous way the Russians proceed that they have put a price of \$30,000 for the capture or murder of our commanding General. There was a murderous attack against one of our commanding Generals, which, fortunately, however, did not succeed.

DRIVE AUSTRIANS BACK.

Servians Force Them to Retire to
Former Positions at Shabatz.

LONDON, Nov. 10.—Reuter's Nish, Servia, correspondent reports that there was severe fighting Nov. 6 on all the Serbian fronts, the Austrians losing 1,000 killed and the Servians driving them to their former positions before Shabatz.

RETREAT IN 30,000 AUTOS.

German Army's Flight from Warsaw
Made with All Possible Speed.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. PETROGRAD, Nov. 9. (Dispatch to The London Daily Chronicle.)—The German and Austrian armies in Poland are retreating, and it becomes a serious question as to when and where their retreat will cease. The Germans made the utmost possible haste to reach the Russian frontier, but they were engaged in a single serious battle since they left the precincts of Warsaw.

No private person in Russia is able to make extensive use of motor cars, of which they are said to have 70,000 on the eastern front. It is said that the Germans were at the disposal of the rear guard, which after each attempt to delay the Russian pursuit they were enabled to overtake the main body without difficulty.

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SPREAD OVER EAST PRUSSIA.

Russians Only 20 Miles from
Insterburg—Kaiser's Estate Ruined.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. PETROGRAD, Nov. 9. (Dispatch to The London Daily Chronicle.)—Twenty miles from Insterburg and less than seventy miles from Posen—that is the position in which the Russian forces in East Prussia stand.

This is the new phase of the war which has followed the general German retreat to the Austrian border. The last units of Gen. von Hindenburg's army have been driven from the Rypin district, and the Russian forces are now near Thorn. Once more Standopien is in Gen. Repenkaupf's hands, and the Kaiser's hunting estate at Trakehnen, where the Kaiser has his famous breeding establishment, is now in Russian hands.

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KITCHENER SURE
ALLIES WILL WIN

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This development of armaments has modified the application of old principles of strategy and tactics and reduced the present warfare to something approximating sieges operations.

Our losses in the trenches have been severe, but such casualties are far from deterring the British nation from seeing the matter through. They will act rather as an incentive to British manhood to prepare themselves to take the places of those who have fallen.

Army "Not So Contentible."

In paying a tribute to the leadership of Sir John French, commander of the British expeditionary force, and his General, and to the high efficiency and courage of the army, the War Minister said:

"I think that it has now been conceded that the British Army has proved itself to be not so contemptible an engine of war as some were disposed to consider it."

Although our thoughts are constantly directed toward the troops at the front and the great tasks they have in hand, it is well to remember that the enemy will not be able to hold the forces of the great Dominion, the vanguard of which we already have welcomed to the front, and which we are now sending to the front in quick succession.

As each soldier takes his place in the front line, he is put forward to do his duty and in doing so will gain the credit of the British Army. The British Army has never stood higher than it does today.

Replying to the toast to the navy, Lord Balfour, First Lord of the Admiralty, said:

"Eighty miles away the greatest battle of the world is being fought. Our countrymen who are striving to break the cruel tide of German devastation have gone before. That is due to the navy. While we do not shrink from the duty of the navy, happily are we not most of them."

Churchill on Naval Blockade.

There was a natural impatience on the part of the navy, said the First Lord, to see a blow, but the people must be patient. The navy is in this old battle, and were curious and novel. Great Britain was endeavoring to maintain all the seas and secure all the highways across the oceans against measures never before known.

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ALL GERMAN RESERVES OUT?

Dane from Hamburg Says Germany
Is Near End of Resources.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. COPENHAGEN, Nov. 9. (Dispatch to The London Daily Telegraph.)—A Dane who has just returned from Hamburg, where he had been in business for twenty years, states that nearly all commerce has stopped there and at other places in Germany.

Nowhere is it possible to get a shirt. All men are at the front or on their way there, and Germany has reached the end of her resources, having no more reserves.

The throngs that turned out to witness the big annual spectacle were little interested in the historic splendor attended the installation of a new city leader. They were vastly interested, however, in their first glimpse of the Canadian, Australian, and New Zealand contingents, in the Royal Naval Division which fought at Antwerp, in the battalion of London Scots who hope soon to join their comrades in France, and in all the other military features of the long procession.

St. Charles Johnston, who succeeds Sir T. Vanistart Bowater as Lord Mayor, occupied a distinctly minor role in the ceremony in which he was supposed to be the chief actor. It was not Sir Charles nor his great gilded coach-and-six nor even his stout and splendid coachman—Londoners wanted to see. They see that kind of thing every year, but it is not often that they get a chance to salute the men who are fighting for the British empire. That's why the Lord Mayor's show was greeted with real cheering for the first time in this century.

Popular enthusiasm was whipped to the highest pitch at the very outset, for the first band that passed was playing "It's a Long Way to Tipperary," and that tune is more inspiring now than ever "God Save the King!" But any military music delights the troops, because it is very seldom that troops marching through London have a band at their head.

The place of honor in the parade was accorded to King Edward's Horse, the crack cavalry of the Canadian forces, which not only led the long column, but also provided the personal escort for the Lord

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Miss Beddoe.
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(b) Flower Bath.....Schneider
Mr. Steele.
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CARRANZA READY FOR RESISTANCE

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gaining Nov. 10, and has appointed the following cabinet to act with him:

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Minister of Communications—Gen. ANTONIO VILLAREAL.
Minister of War—Gen. JUVENCIO ROBLES.
Minister of the Interior—Gen. JOSE BLANCO.
Minister of Public Instruction—Senor SOTO Y GARCIA.
Minister of Justice—JOSE VASCONCELOS.
Minister of Progress—PASTOR ROAIX.
Minister of the Treasury—FELICITO VILLAREAL.

Enrique C. Lorente will be appointed Washington representative of the Constitutionalists.

Roque Estrada, private secretary to Gen. Carranza, arrived in the capital tonight from Cordoba. In an interview he said:

"We have exhausted all legitimate means to bring about a peaceful arrangement. The Aguascalientes convention must obey Gen. Carranza or the delegates to it will be treated as traitors. We have sufficient means at our disposal to make good our mandates."

Foreign Minister Fabela is expected in the capital tomorrow from Cordoba, where he has been with Gen. Carranza arranging details in connection with the expected evacuation of Vera Cruz by the American forces. According to a high official here, a statement by the Carranza Government on the evacuation has been promised for tomorrow.

Battle in Suburbs of City.

Heavy fighting has been in progress today in the suburb of Xochimilco between followers of Emiliano Zapata and Gen. Carranza. Several trainloads of soldiers were sent from the capital to reinforce the Xochimilco garrison. Passenger traffic between the two points ceased for several hours today in order that the cars might be used to transport troops to the scene of the fighting and to bring wounded and refugees to the capital. Carranza's forces checked the Zapata advance.

Gen. Francisco Cardenas, who commanded the Rural Guard, the night President Madero and Vice President Pino Suarez were assassinated, recently made his escape across the Guatemalan border, according to advices received here tonight.

Aguilar No Match for Funston.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 9.—A difficult situation may arise if Gen. Carranza defies the Aguascalientes convention.

and armed conflict between his forces and those under the control of the convention ensued. Gen. Carranza, in command of the State of Vera Cruz, is loyal to Carranza. With unrest inspired by Carranza through the issuance of circulars and petitions calling on the American forces to withdraw, Carranza might become strained at any moment. Army officers scoffed at the idea of an attack by Aguilar's forces, as Gen. Funston has a larger body of men than Aguilar, and is under the protection of American warships, which could shell an enemy ashore without difficulty.

One of the special agents of the American Government at Aguascalientes reported that the convention recently adopted a fund of 5,000,000 pesos throughout the army, as he had planned, giving General Soto each and private 10 pesos each aside from their pay. The convention informed Carranza that he would be held personally responsible for the use of the funds.

The Assembly has issued a manifesto proclaiming its sovereignty and has telegraphed all agencies throughout foreign lands and throughout Mexico that it is the only legitimate government of the country. The manifesto of the Government after Nov. 10, Enrique C. Lorente, whom Gen. Gutierrez, with the consent of the convention, has named as special representative in Washington, formerly was Mexican Consul at Galveston and El Paso and married the daughter of a prominent American in Galveston. He is still giving General Soto and his staff orders, although no official disclosure is being made on the subject, it is the understanding here that the administration will be pleased if Carranza resigned in favor of the convention's selection for a provisional President.

The State Department has been informed that many Americans in Mexico City who hold postal money orders have been unable to cash them and are in need of funds. Recently the Post Office Department has announced the discontinuance of money order service with Mexico at the request of the Carranza Government.

WON'T REIMPOSE TAXES.

But Carranza Omits from Decree Protection of Vera Cruz Citizens.

SPECIAL CABLE TO THE NEW YORK TIMES. MEXICO CITY, Nov. 9.—Gen. Carranza, from Cuernavaca, has issued a decree guaranteeing that there shall be no reimposition of taxes and import duties paid to the American forces occupying Vera Cruz. This meets the American demand only in part, for it fails to guarantee the safety of Mexicans who

served the Americans under the occupation. The decree bans the re-imposition of the Constitutional Army, in charge of the executive power of the United States of Mexico, using the extraordinary powers with which I am clothed, and considering that the Chamber of Commerce and a majority of the owners and administrators of realty in the City of Vera Cruz have communicated to the executive that they renounce the protection requested in their behalf by the Convention of Aguascalientes, and deeming it expedient that port, declaring categorically that they will submit to decisions which in justice the Mexican Government may adopt in regard to the collection of fiscal dues already paid to the foreign authorities, and deeming it expedient in the interest of the nation, I have seen fit to issue the following decree:

Article I. The Mexican authorities, on occupying the port of Vera Cruz, shall not exact from the inhabitants of that port the payment of any sort on Federal imports or taxes previously paid to the foreign authorities, who temporarily occupied that town.

Article II. Laid down as the sole condition of this exemption, the authorities established during the occupation of Vera Cruz by the American forces.

VERA CRUZ, Nov. 9.—The prefect to Gen. Carranza's decree promising that the import and other taxes collected in Vera Cruz by the Americans will not be levied again by the Mexicans, refers to the petition circulated in Vera Cruz asking the American forces to withdraw and is calculated to show that the Mexican people acted on their own responsibility and not because of pressure from Washington.

While Carranza was issuing the decree Gen. Obregon and other members of the committee appointed by the Aguascalientes convention to inform Carranza of the election of Gutierrez as Provisional President, were insisting in published statements that the convention was the sovereign body and Gutierrez the legal head of the nation.

Gen. Carranza met the members of the committee and in the conference the latter persisted in their demand that the sovereignty of the convention and the Presidency of Gutierrez be proclaimed. Carranza frankly disagreed with this plan, and with sarcasm expressed doubt of the assertions of the committee that Carranza had retired from his command. He added that if those who made up the convention were afraid to face the Carranza forces near Vera Cruz, he himself would do it.

Gen. Aguilar's forces near Vera Cruz were further strengthened during the night.

SETTLEMENT RUMOR DENIED.

Vera Cruz Heard Carranza and Villa Had United on Blanco.

VERA CRUZ, Nov. 9.—A report received here tonight, but not confirmed, says that Gen. Blanco, a former rebel leader, has been designated by Gen.

Carranza as a compromise and ad interim President, and that Carranza's choice has been approved by adherents of Francisco Villa.

It is said that this development took place after Carranza had sent his ultimatum to the delegates to the Aguascalientes convention.

This rumor, however, is denied by Col. Edmundo Martinez, Gen. Aguilar's representative, who returned to Vera Cruz tonight from a conference with Gen. Carranza and his delegates to the Aguascalientes convention. Col. Martinez said that Carranza had not been named as ad interim President. He was positive that Gen. Carranza would remain at Cordoba, and from there direct his campaign for supremacy.

MARINES LAND AT ACAPULCO?

Mexican Port Reported Occupied by Americans at People's Request.

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 9.—It is reported here that the Port of Acapulco, on the Pacific, has been occupied by American marines.

The occupation is said to have followed a request of the inhabitants who were suffering great privations owing to the revolution.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 9.—While verification was not obtained tonight of the report from Mexico City that American marines had been landed at Acapulco at the request of the inhabitants who were suffering from the effects of the revolution, the report is not doubted. It is believed, however, that any such landing was not a military measure, but was intended to further relief work among people on the verge of starvation.

CARRANZA FREES RODRIGUEZ.

State Department Had Urged Release of ex-Peace Delegate.

SPECIAL TO THE NEW YORK TIMES. WASHINGTON, Nov. 9.—The State Department this evening received an

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The four selected were Edward Swan, farmer, Groveland; Albert Orman, farmer, Avon; Russell Stewart, farmer, York; S. J. Macey, wholesale coal dealer and mine operator, Avon. They were locked up for the night.

Great interest was taken in today's proceedings by the people of Genesee. The trial is held here by a change of venue obtained by Mr. Siegel's counsel. After court was adjourned this afternoon Mr. Siegel in discussing the case said:

"I expect to be acquitted—to start in business again and to pay 100 cents in the dollar in the next five years. I want to start at the scene of my defeats. Practically all my life has been devoted to the dry goods business and department stores. Consequently I expect to resume the business.

"It will be a remarkable thing for a man over sixty and \$2,000,000 in debt to rehabilitate himself in the business and financial world, but influential friends have stood by me, although I have been disappointed in my wife. I view my present troubles as so much experience. 'A young man would be too self-confident. I have profited by my experiences, and will look before I leap. Do not misunderstand me. I do not mean to attack the great American motto—'take a chance.' I have always taken chances, but never with the law. My one great regret is that I have never had a college education. I believe a young man should start life with a college education, and if I had had one, I might have avoided some of my difficulties."

Attack on the Indictment. Before the selection of the jury was begun this afternoon, John B. Stanchfield, chief counsel for Mr. Siegel, entered a demurrer to an amendment to the indictment under which Mr. Siegel is being tried which had been obtained by Assistant District Attorney Arthur C. Train, in charge of the prosecution. This amendment charges that Mr. Siegel obtained \$680.50 from the National Bank of Commerce on June 14, 1913, by submitting a false statement of the financial condition of his various mercantile enterprises. The original indictment charged him with the theft of \$25,000 from the same banking institution. Addressing Justice W. W. Clark, who presides at the trial, Mr. Stanchfield said:

"Before your honor proceeds to empanel this jury, the defendant asks leave to withdraw the plea of not guilty heretofore entered in this indictment, and to interpose a demurrer predicated upon the ground that since the finding of the original indictment and the plea made thereto the District Attorney has submitted to us for consideration a long and voluminous and somewhat radical amendment to the indictment. Upon that amended indictment I desire to interpose this demurrer."

Mr. Train said that Mr. Stanchfield had been informed of the proposed amendment, and that he had written a letter to the District Attorney, saying that he would have no objection to the amendment in New York County. Justice Clark thereupon overruled the demurrer. The jury was then selected. Each of the takersmen was asked about his knowledge of any of the Siegel-Vogel failure. Each was asked if he had read about the case in the newspapers. All those questioned said they had not read of the crash of the Siegel-Vogel enterprises, and the subsequent indictment, in the newspapers.

Those who had read reports of the case had obtained their information from Rochester or Buffalo or local newspapers. Others had not heard of the failure until they were subpoenaed.

Local Lawyers Pick Jurors.

The selection of the jury was left by the prosecution almost entirely to Assistant Attorney Cook of Livingston County, who resigned his office recently to assist in the case. On behalf of the defense the examination was conducted by Senator-elect Charles B. Newton. Mr. Cook and Mr. Newton were

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Judging by the progress made this morning in the selection of the jury it is likely that the jury will be completed before the noon recess tomorrow. It was learned today that Mr. Siegel's counsel should contend that there was no intent to defraud on his part because he lost more than \$4,000,000 of his own money along with the loans he obtained from commercial banks and the deposits in his private bank of Henry Siegel & Co. Mr. Train will maintain that Mr. Siegel could not have lost such a large sum without being aware that the financial condition of his business was not what it was represented to be in the statements on which he obtained loans.

WHITMAN MAKING A SLATE.

Governor-Elect May Announce Some Appointments This Week.

Governor-elect Charles S. Whitman returned to this city last night from Lakewood, N. J., and went to a theatre. Today he will receive a delegation of women suffragists. Before the end of the week he may announce some appointments. It was said yesterday that among other recommendations in his first message to the Legislature he will urge repeal of legislation of a purely partisan character adopted by the Democrats in the last four years. State Chairman Frederick C. Tanner returned from Cambridge yesterday, and spent last evening at Republican State Headquarters, where he received a great number of visitors. All applicants for places under the incoming administration were referred to the Governor-elect.

AN ALIEN'S WOES IN VERSE.

Lurana Sheldon Reads Her Poem to Aid War Sufferers.

Lurana Sheldon, who poet and lecturer, who in private life is Mrs. Lurana S. Ferris, read last night her poem, "The Alien: A Lecture in Verse," at the Standish Arms, 189 Columbia Heights, Brooklyn. Her contribution to the study of the European immigrant in America was well received by those who heard it. It is a verse cycle depicting the unhappy life of an alien in America from the time he lands as a baby, until, after he has had bitter experience with poverty, the police courts and prisons, he is buried in the Potter's Field. The purpose of the poem is to show the possible harmful effect on an immigrant in this country of heredity, poverty, environment, law, and ignorance. Mrs. Ferris read the poem under the auspices of the Brooklyn Women's Relief Committee, of which Mrs. Camden Duke is the Chairman. The receipts taken in last night will be devoted to aiding the war sufferers.

THREAT TO MOVE HIM MAKES SULLIVAN ILL

Bank Wrecker Collapses in Sing Sing When It Is Proposed to Take Him to Dannemora.

CONVICTS DREAD THE PLACE

Warden Had Planned to Transfer Man Formerly Favored with 60 Hardened Offenders.

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In Mr. Sullivan's letter to Mr. Cropper he said that he was willing to give the Kings County prosecutor every assistance in his power to aid in the prosecution of the case. The convict who volunteers to testify was a prisoner in Sing Sing when Sullivan was committed to the prison. He was there during the administration of Warden McCormick and for the first two months of Warden McCormick's term.

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Then, it is said, the attitude of the other convicts toward him since the special favors shown to him have become known has caused Sullivan anxiety. It was reported several days ago that Sullivan's life had been threatened, and that he had been permitted to stay in his cell because of this. At one time it was reported that the Acting Warden thought of sending Sullivan to Great Meadows Prison in order to forestall violence against him by Sing Sing convicts.

Sullivan is now in the hospital ward in charge of the hospital physician, and is likely to stay there for some time. The prisoners who will be removed tomorrow are being taken away because Sing Sing is overcrowded, and because, as confirmed criminals, they belong properly at Dannemora.

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MISS COPPELL WED CHAUFFEUR IN APRIL

Wealthy Tenafly Spinster's
Marriage Revealed by Trip
to Atlantic City.

HUSBAND HER MANAGER

Bridegroom Was Put in Charge of
Handsome Place Which Bride In-
herited from Her Father.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Douglass Connors are at the Marlborough-Blenheim, Atlantic City, N. J. Tomorrow they will journey elsewhere, to what point they won't say. Mrs. Connors was Miss Elizabeth C. Coppel, eldest daughter of the late George Coppel, a Wall Street financier and an organizer of railroads, and her husband was her chauffeur.

They were married on last April 7 by the Rev. William W. Knox, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of New Brunswick, N. J., but, although the bride's family suspected that perhaps she had taken a step, they did not know it for certain. Last night the couple admitted the fact and said they were not starting upon their honeymoon, but rather were ending it, for they had taken several such trips in the Summer.

The marriage, or rather the suspicion that there had been such a ceremony, has been the talk of Tenafly, N. J., for a week past, for the Coppel family has lived there for years and has been identified with the social life of that place and Englewood.

George Coppel built a handsome residence in Tenafly, and after his death thirteen years ago, Miss Elizabeth Coppel occupied it. She had Connors for a manager of the estate, and until about two years ago he had no other position. Then it was noticed that he began to drive his mistress in place of her regular chauffeur, who was relegated to the office of mechanic, and Tenafly began to gossip.

The gossip increased when Miss Coppel and a sister, Mrs. Walter A. Alder, of 133 East Fifty-fourth Street, went abroad and Connors was taken along. The family could not help hearing what was talked of by every one else.

There was Mrs. Lawrence B. Elliman, wife of a member of the firm of Pease & Elliman, real estate dealers, who is another of Mrs. Connors's sisters; Mrs. O. De Lancy Coster of Englewood, a third sister, and Mrs. Louis Haight, wife of the late Mr. Haight, a fourth. Miss Helen G. Coppel, also a sister, lived sometimes with the present Mrs. Connors and sometimes with her brother, Herbert Coppel, a brother, married a daughter of the late George S. Meyers of the tobacco firm of Liggett & Meyers.

About Oct. 1 Mrs. Haight began a visit to her sister, which lasted until a week ago yesterday. Connors left the place at once, saying "Miss Coppel" had reduced his wages, but the day after Mrs. Haight's departure he reappeared, driving a handsome new automobile, and the following morning he and Mrs. Connors drove away from her home.

ARREST BERKMAN IN A ROW.

Anarchists Going Home from Dinner to Leader in Clash with Police.

Alexander Berkman, the anarchist, who has several times been arrested in Tarrytown and New York without, falling into the hands of the police, was made a prisoner early yesterday morning for an alleged violation of the law which he had not planned as an anarchist propaganda. He is now out on bail facing a charge of felonious assault in the second degree, for which the maximum penalty is five years in prison or \$1,000 fine, or both. He will be examined on the charge this morning in the Essex Market Court.

Four of Berkman's companions, including Helen Goldblatt, known as "Helen of Troy," were arrested with him in Ninth Street, near Third Avenue, and each of them was fined \$10 for disorderly conduct by Magistrate Simms in the Essex Market Court yesterday. One of the offenders, William Shatoff, paid his fine and left the court free, but the others refused to pay their fines and were sentenced to ten days each in the Workhouse. Besides "Helen of Troy" and her sister, Lillian Goldblatt, and Abraham Blecker, Becky Edelson, of hunger-strike notoriety, and about forty anarchists were with those arrested and they offered themselves to the police, but the bluecoats considered that five in custody were as many as they wanted.

Berkman was accused by Patrolman Sodenberg of wrenching his club from him and would not return it until the policeman drew his revolver.

"You shall be free," returned the Caliph, "and no longer spend your days in toil."

Bowing low, and with head erect, the freedman walked away.

"Stop!" cried the Caliph "where are you going?"

"To choose another block of marble," was the answer. "That fool has ruined two months of my fairest work."

"What?" cried the Caliph, "are you, a free man, going back to your slave's task?"

"I never was a slave," replied the man, "my work was my life, my pride. Those slaves and overseers look upon their tasks with hatred. I find my life is happier in loving mine."

He bowed again and disappeared among the blocks of rough-hewn marble.

THE WAR and Poor Actors

Clothes and Shoes
Much Needed.

French and English actors thrown out of employment by the war need clothing. Men, women and children will receive gratefully new and old garments, boots and shoes, so that they may fulfill engagements and appear decently on the streets. The Theatrical Ladies' Guild of Charity in London is unable to meet the demands made upon its resources because the women generally employed in behalf of the poor players are working for the troops.

Mrs. William Faverham will receive garments at the Shubert Theatre.

ELECTION GRATIFIES BRYAN.

Administration Indorsed, He Says—
Suspects Plot to Discredit Tariff.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 9.—Secretary Bryan returned to Washington today after an absence of several weeks on a stump-speaking tour, and one of the first things he did was to prepare a statement giving his views on the outcome of the election. The statement contains the accusation that manufacturers sought to make the tariff law obnoxious by closing their plants or reducing their working forces. He regards the result of the election as an indorsement of the Administration. This is Mr. Bryan's statement.

"The election of 1914 cannot be considered otherwise than as an indorsement of the President and his policies. I am so convinced of the merits of the remedial measures enacted under the President's leadership and of the righteousness of his foreign policy that I expected the voters to support the candidates who related his views."

"There were a number of causes which operated against our party, namely, the efforts of the beneficiaries of protection, who, out of resentment, sought to make the tariff law obnoxious; the disturbed condition caused by the European war and the fact that the excellent law passed by Congress had not had time to prove their worth. Then, too, more Progressives returned to the Republican party than had time to prove their worth. Then, too, more Progressives returned to the Republican party than had time to prove their worth. Then, too, more Progressives returned to the Republican party than had time to prove their worth."

"The gains in the Senate were especially gratifying—not a single Democrat defected from the Republican party. The Administration will grow in popularity as the laws go into effect and as Democratic policies bear fruit. The new currency law is just beginning to operate; before the next election it will have vindicated its claim to public confidence."

"The new tariff law cannot be repealed until after the people have had a chance to try it out, and now that the election is over the protected manufacturers are already resuming work. Some of them suspended operations or cut down their force before the election; and they did it under conditions which left little doubt that they hoped to arouse opposition to the new tariff law. Seeing that the law is here to stay, they will be glad to demonstrate the fallacy of the arguments which they used in opposing a reduction."

"There is every reason to believe that the Administration will grow in popularity as the laws go into effect and as Democratic policies bear fruit. The new currency law is just beginning to operate; before the next election it will have vindicated its claim to public confidence."

"The outstanding fact in the late election returns is the slump in the Progressive vote. A large percentage of the Progressive Republicans have returned to the Republican party, and that, too, without any surrender on the part of the stand-patters and the reactionaries. The leadership of the regular Republican party has undergone no change. Senator Penrose and ex-Speaker Cannon will represent that party in the Senate and House and the returning Progressives must be prepared to accept all that they protested against, and more, for the stand-patters, after having overcome the defection, are even further from reforms than they were two years ago."

STEAMER REMBRANDT AFIRE

Now Headed for Norfolk with the
Blaze Under Control.

A call for help from the British steamer Rembrandt of the Lamport & Holt Line was picked up yesterday afternoon by the wireless station at Sayville, L. I. The Sayville operator flashed back the news that the distress signal, S O S, had been heard, and was told that the Rembrandt, then 200 miles off Cape Henry, was burning below decks, and that there was urgent need of help. In a few minutes the operator aboard the Rembrandt reported that Capt. Edlin was steaming at full speed for the shore. Late in the afternoon the ship's operator reported that the crew had brought the flames under control, and that the Rembrandt was then steaming for Norfolk, Va.

The Rembrandt sailed from Baltimore last Saturday for St. Nazaire, France, carrying a cargo of 800 horses for the French Army and a crew of fifty men.

HEARS NEW REVOLT IS BREWING IN CHINA

Prof. C. A. Beard of Columbia
Says Rivals Now Seek Presi-
dent Wilson's Ear.

YUAN SHIH-KAI'S CASH GONE

Loan in United States Needed to
Maintain His Regime — Kia-
Chau Affair Resented.

That China was on the verge of another revolution, and that recent reports of approaching harmony between the rival factions of the republic had been trumped up to curry favor with the Wilson Administration, and thereby pave the way for an American loan to keep President Yuan Shih-kai in power, were assertions made yesterday by Prof. Charles A. Beard of Columbia University, who said he spoke on the authority of Gen. Hwang Hsing, leader of the first Chinese revolution, now an exile in this country. Gen. Hwang left New York on Sunday night for Philadelphia. From there he will go to Washington to see President Wilson.

A delegation of Chinese officials, sent here by President Yuan as a financial commission, has reached Washington.

and it is in a sense a race between the Commissioners and the exiled General to see who can get President Wilson's ear first. Although the Commissioners were said to be here to study American financial practices, the real object of their coming, so Prof. Beard was informed, was to put through a scheme for the granting of Yuan Shih-kai's Government with American capital.

Only last Friday a statement was given out in this city by the East Eastern Information Bureau, of which Dr. Jeremiah W. Jenks is Director, to the effect that in the face of the European war crisis the rival political leaders of China were preparing to bury their differences and unite for the general good of China. The statement was described as coming from "well-informed, reliable sources."

"An agreement is just now being reached," it said, whereby Chinese radical leaders, hitherto strongly opposed to President Yuan Shih-kai, will join hands in upholding the President and the Wilson Administration. Interest developments are expected from the negotiations now pending in China.

"After conferring with Gen. Hwang," said Prof. Beard, "am convinced that there is nothing in such reports. On the contrary, Gen. Hwang assures me that no attempt whatever have been made by President Yuan to conciliate the leaders of the Liberal Party. It is quite evident that he is only one of several inspired reports, all part of a general campaign to curry favor in the United States for President Yuan to the end that he will be able to finance his despotism. It is the old story of Mexico under Huerta, the \$12,000,000 raised by Yuan through the five power loan last year has run out and he must get more money to pay his soldiers. He can't get it now from any European country. They need all they have got left of the war. With a revolution threatening, President Yuan now looks to the United States for financial aid."

Who Prof. Beard said was corroborated by one of his students, Jaryen Dang, a Chinese who was thrown into prison in Shanghai for criticizing the Government under President Yuan.

Young Jaryen had been editor of a daily paper in Shanghai known as the Chung Hui Min Pao, meaning Republican Press. He lived in the English colony and was therefore tried under English law for sedition. He got six months and a fine of 500 yen. When he was set free he fled to this country. He said yesterday that he would have been killed if his residence in the English colony had not compelled the Government to try his case there. According to Jaryen, there is no more freedom of the press in China.

According to Prof. Beard, Gen. Hwang described President Yuan as a more despotic ruler than Huerta ever thought of being in Mexico. Besides throttling the press, he said, more than half the schools had been closed and both the national and provincial Parliaments had been abolished. There has been no national Parliament in China for the last eight months, Prof. Beard said.

UPHOLDS SUPT. RICHARDS.

East Side Forum's Secretary Calls
Trouble Reports Exaggerated.

Carl Brock, Secretary of the East Side Forum, yesterday wrote to Eugene Lamb Richards, State Superintendent of Banks, who addressed a meeting under the Forum's auspices Sunday night on the State banking laws.

Mr. Brock regretted that the newspapers had "chosen to exaggerate what the reporters thought were little spectacular things." It was the opinion of the Forum's committee, he said, that the meeting was the best service to the depositors of the failed east side banks that had yet been given. He declared that the slight disturbance at the meeting was caused by a minority of excited depositors, and that the majority was influenced greatly by Mr. Richards's address.

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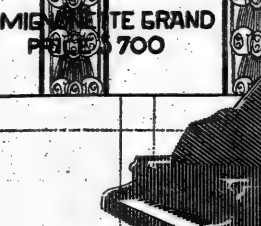
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Mrs. William Faverham will receive garments at the Shubert Theatre.

**Work—
A Fable**

The Caliph and his courtiers had journeyed to the site of his new summer palace in order to see how the building was progressing.

"I wish," said the Caliph "to go amongst the masons and watch them at work."

Passing beneath a high, balustraded terrace, where hundreds of sweating slaves were hewing and carving great blocks of marble, the party were suddenly alarmed by a shout of warning from above.

They sprang aside just in time to escape an enormous mass of beautifully carved marble which hurtled to the ground and split into many pieces, great and small. Looking up, the startled men saw two slaves struggling fiercely on the terrace; then one gave way, and his opponent hurled him over the balustrade, whence with a shriek he fell among the debris and lay still.

Guards seized the murderer and brought him before the Caliph. Passionately, he explained that his wretched victim had cursed the Caliph as the man who had doomed thousands to life-long WORK, and seizing an iron bar, had thrust the great block over the balcony. The warning shout had saved the Caliph's life.

"But," said the Caliph "why should you have warned me of my danger? Are you not, too, a slave who must spend his life toiling for my pleasure?"

"Yes, I am a slave," answered the prisoner, "but I work not for your pleasure, O Caliph, but for mine."

"You shall be free," returned the Caliph, "and no longer spend your days in toil."

Bowing low, and with head erect, the freedman walked away.

"Stop!" cried the Caliph "where are you going?"

"To choose another block of marble," was the answer. "That fool has ruined two months of my fairest work."

"What?" cried the Caliph, "are you, a free man, going back to your slave's task?"

"I never was a slave," replied the man, "my work was my life, my pride. Those slaves and overseers look upon their tasks with hatred. I find my life is happier in loving mine."

He bowed again and disappeared among the blocks of rough-hewn marble.

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Report in Chicago That Wards Will Buy the Brooklyn Nationals.

CONFERENCE WITH FEDS

Garry Hermann Says Peace Plans Are Progressing—Minor Leagues to Meet Today in Omaha.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Ill., Nov. 9.—If organized baseball does not put any obstacle in the way, Charles H. Weggman, owner of the Chicago Federal League Club, will soon be in possession of the Cubs. This was made known after a conference today between Weggman, Garry Hermann, president of the Brooklyn Nationals, and President Robertson of the Buffalo Bisons. While the conference was going on at the hotel, Ban Johnson, President of the American League, and J. H. Gilmore, head of the Federal League, were close to the wires in their respective offices, each being frequently consulted.

At 6 o'clock Hermann and Johnson left for the minor leagues meeting at Omaha. Charles H. Ebbets, President of the Brooklyn National League Club, was also in the city during the day, but Hermann asserted that he was not in the conference. He had been told that the Wards would buy the Brooklyn National League Club.

"Has Weggman bought the Cubs yet?" Hermann was asked.

"Well, no; but we are progressing," was his admission, the first definite statement made by Hermann since the negotiations started.

"Have you full authority to act for Mr. Taft in the sale of the Cubs?" was asked.

"I have," he said. "Mr. Taft imposes one condition, and that is that Weggman must buy the Cubs for \$1,000,000. We have no objection to that, and all I can say is that we are progressing."

"Why was it necessary for Mr. Ward and Mr. Robertson to come West? Does that mean the consolidation of the two Brooklyn Clubs into one, or is it a consolidation in Buffalo?" was the attempted poser of the question.

"No," Hermann replied. "The consolidation of the two Brooklyn Clubs into one is a matter of the future. The consolidation of the two Buffalo Clubs into one is a matter of the future."

"While the conference was in session, President Gilmore called up Garry Hermann, and after a talk with him, held a long conversation with Robert Weggman."

"The howls will come later, and they will be confined to the Federal League when the official information is given out that Weggman has bought the Cubs and the Wards have bought out the Nationals."

MINORS AGAINST FEDERALS.

Little Leagues Will Remain Under National Agreement.

OMAHA, Neb., Nov. 9.—There was every indication tonight that the National Association of Professional Baseball Clubs, in convention here, would declare almost unanimously for remaining under the National agreement. The Central League, composed of Ohio and Indiana clubs, already has pledged itself to that policy.

Twenty 300 men to the convention, which will open tomorrow morning here. They spent the afternoon and evening discussing baseball politics.

The Central League began its annual meeting today, and besides re-electing President Louis Hildebrand of Fort Wayne, Ind., adopted a resolution pledging the league support to organized baseball. The resolution also declared that baseball players should come to terms dictated by the owners.

There was no lack of expression by other baseball officials which indicated the feeling similar to that expressed in the resolutions adopted by the Central League. President Norris L. O'Neill of the Western League said:

"The Federals have nothing to offer to the minor leagues which will be of benefit to them. The Central League, Federal League and American League body to take any interest in minor leagues. The Central League will not rectify its own mistakes. It will ask minor leagues to do that first."

The Board of Arbitration found in the hands of a much greater number of hands a much greater number of hands. The entire afternoon was spent in the consideration of these complaints, and it was evident that the Federals had no chance of winning the case.

When the Federals made their case, the convention proper met Tuesday it was welcomed by Gov. Morehead and Mayor Bingham. The Federals had seven clubs represented here. Each club was represented by an official. The Federals were represented by an official. The Federals were represented by an official.

Gov. Morehead arrived in the city tonight, and President Hermann and Ban Johnson are expected to reach here tomorrow morning. Their presence is expected to give the expression to the policy to be pursued by the association as a whole.

New York State League Averages. Kaufman of Elmira led the New York State League in individual batting, with .350. He was followed by Menzel, his clubmate, second, Kaufman batted .339 for 153 games, while Menzel's was .338. McKelvey of Wilkes-Barre was .337. Williams of Utica led in winning runs, with 100. Durgin of Albany led the first base, with 100. McKelvey of Wilkes-Barre was .337. Williams of Utica led in winning runs, with 100. Durgin of Albany led the first base, with 100.

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OLDFIELD LEADS AUTO RACE

Twenty Cars Start in "Desert Classic" Three-Day Run.

NBEOLDS, Cal., Nov. 9.—Barney Oldfield won the first leg of the Phoenix road race today. Oldfield's elapsed time for the 303 miles from Los Angeles, where the start was made at 5:30 o'clock this morning, was 8:45:35. W. C. Durant, checking in one second ahead of him, showed elapsed time of 8:51:54. T. J. Beaudet, No. 1, was third in 9:14:26, and Olin Davis, last year's winner, fourth in 9:18:00.

Twenty starters of the 935-mile southern annual Phoenix race charged out of Los Angeles at a sixty miles an hour clip that sent F. J. Pink, No. 18, into the ditch fifteen miles out of Los Angeles. Pink was picked up badly bruised and his car went in with Tom Eley, his mechanic, at the wheel. Only two other cars were left to start. Two other drivers, Sygaue and Bucklin, in No. 18, were hurt.

To-morrow at daybreak the twelve remaining racers will start on the second leg of the race to Prescott, Ariz., 335 miles away. The final leg will be from Prescott to Phoenix, Ariz.

EL PASO-TO-PHOENIX RACE.

Hugh Miller Drives Auto 533 Miles in 14 Hours 35 Minutes.

PHOENIX, Ariz., Nov. 9.—Hugh Miller of Phoenix won today the El Paso-Phoenix automobile road race of 533 miles in 14:35, reducing last year's time more than two hours.

Miller's car was a 1914 Buick. He was followed by J. T. Hutchins, Alamo, 14:57. C. W. Tucker, El Paso, 15:10. Miller's car was a 1914 Buick. He was followed by J. T. Hutchins, Alamo, 14:57. C. W. Tucker, El Paso, 15:10.

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YALE BEGINS WORK FOR PRINCETON GAME

Elis Quite Sure of a Victory Over the Tigers in Palmer Stadium on Saturday.

CONFERENCE WITH FEDS

Garry Hermann Says Peace Plans Are Progressing—Minor Leagues to Meet Today in Omaha.

Special to The New York Times.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Nov. 9.—Opening of the Yale football game with the Princeton game was a fifteen-minute whirlwind scrimmage, Coach Hinkley of the Yale eleven began the final period of the season's practice. Every first-string player was on hand, and all except Higginbotham and Von Holt were in the signal line-up. It was announced that there is no chance of a postponement of the game to the Princeton game. His ankle has not fully gained its strength. Von Holt is only a possibility for part of the game as a reserve or tackle. A small bone in his wrist was broken five weeks ago.

Carl Betts was today shifted to right tackle, displacing Clark Sheldon. Betts improved rapidly during the three weeks he had Capt. Talbot's berth at left tackle, and it is about an even chance between him and Sheldon for the place on the right wing.

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OLD GRADS TO PLAY

Carlisle to Line Up Against Harvard, Yale, and Princeton Men.

Special to The New York Times.

BOSTON, Mass., Nov. 9.—It was announced here today that on Nov. 28 a team of old Harvard, Yale, and Princeton football players would play the Carlisle Indians in a match game at Hamilton Field, Jr., of New York, Captain at Harvard, in 1900, will be in charge of the All-Star eleven. Carlisle led a similar team to a 3-0 victory over the Indians at Cambridge four years ago this fall.

The proceeds of the match will be devoted to charity, the beneficiaries being the Carlisle Indians and the American Red Cross. Carlisle has a team working at his home at Garrison, N. Y., and Harry Gardner, a former Harvard quarter back, is getting up a team here. Both of these eleven are using the same signals, and a little later the best players will be picked to meet the Indians.

More than the players on the All-Stars will be Harvard men, but Ted Coy of Yale is expected to play, as are Holey Baker of Princeton and Sherwin, who played for the Cornell team. Among the Harvard men who are candidates for the team are Percy and Jack Wendell, Don Mitchell, and Grant. The Princeton players are Steve Philpott and other players announced for the All-Star line-up.

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NEW RESERVE LAWS WILL FREE MILLIONS

Clearing House to Act Friday, in Conformity with State and Federal Statutes.

TO RELEASE \$166,515,918

Redemption of Certificates and Emergency Currency Will Absorb Part of That Sum.

The Clearing House Association will meet at 1 o'clock tomorrow to take up the question of the reduction of its reserve requirements in conformity with those of the Federal Reserve act and the new State banking law. The matter has been under consideration for several weeks by a special committee and by the Clearing House Committee.

The Clearing House rules require national banks to maintain reserves of 25 per cent. In accordance with the new law, the Federal Reserve act and the new State banking law, the Clearing House made no change, postponing action until the Federal Reserve act should take effect in this respect. This will be next Monday, when the act should take effect in this respect.

The Clearing House also requires that the trust companies which are authorized to maintain reserves of 15 per cent. in cash and 10 per cent. additional on deposit with banks that keep 25 per cent. reserves. This requirement was always in excess of the legal requirement, and a number of the larger trust companies never have joined the Clearing House.

There has been no doubt that the Clearing House would reduce the requirements of State and national banks to the legal requirements of 18 per cent, but its decision as to the trust companies has been doubtful. The new State law requires that trust companies maintain reserves of 15 per cent. in cash and 10 per cent. in reserve deposits. The trust companies have been insistent on a reduction to the legal requirement, and the committee now has decided to make recommendation accordingly.

Action to be Taken Friday.

The association will not act on the matter tomorrow, as its by-laws require that notice of an amendment to the constitution be given at one meeting, and that the amendment be adopted at the second meeting to be held on Friday.

The expected reductions will mean the release of about \$166,515,918 of the reserve funds of State institutions, in addition to the \$166,515,918 from the national banks. The release of the funds made by Controller of the Currency, William, on the basis of their condition for the call of the Federal Reserve act, will mean the disappearance of the deficit in reserves since that time.

The \$166,515,918 of the Federal Reserve act is calculated somewhat roughly on their condition at the end of last week as reported to the State Banking Department. At that date the trust companies had net deposits of \$33,833,290, making a total for the trust companies of \$132,682,628.

The State banks happened to have less in reserve deposits than the 6 per cent. required by the Federal Reserve act, holdings running correspondingly higher than the 12 per cent. required to be held by the Federal Reserve act. The total of \$132,682,628, on which the legal requirement, in cash and on deposit, was \$54,400,000. They actually had \$132,682,628 in cash and \$53,337,000 in deposits, so that the adoption of the legal requirements by the State banks would add this amount to the \$27,400,000 release of \$107,082,628.

In these calculations based on aggregate figures, the release of the funds is less than in Manhattan has been released will be still more than shown.

Amounts Released Potentially.

These amounts are released only potentially, as any or all of the institutions may see fit to hold reserves larger than are required by the law and the Clearing House Committee.

There is another reason why the amounts thus released will not be wholly the release of the funds. The Federal Reserve act requires that the banks be desirous of retiring the emergency currency still outstanding. On the loan certificates they are paying 4 per cent. interest, and on the currency 4 1/2 per cent.

The payment of the loan certificates has been going on moderately for some time, but the Clearing House makes no provision for the retirement of the currency issued or the amount retired, so that the process will be greatly expedited, however, when the new reserve requirements become a fact.

The retirement of emergency currency has been progressing rapidly in the last week. Yesterday \$2,554,000 was retired.

PROPOSALS

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Board of Water Supply, at its office, at the Second Street station, New York, at 10 o'clock, for the construction of the Hudson River tunnel. The shaft will be about 400 feet deep, and will be about 100 feet in diameter. The tunnel will be about 100 feet in diameter, and will have a finished diameter of 14 feet. The tunnel will be about 100 feet in diameter, and will have a finished diameter of 14 feet.

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YEAR'S CORN CROP THE RICHEST EVER

Report of Agriculture Department Shows That War Has Greatly Increased Price.

Now 69 7/8 CENTS A BUSHEL

On the Estimated Yield This Would Make the Crop's Value \$1,885,867,324.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 9.—This year's corn crop is, perhaps, the most valuable ever grown, owing to its increased price on account of the European war. The Department of Agriculture announced today, in its preliminary estimate, that the crop would amount to 2,705,692,000 bushels and that, on Nov. 1, farmers were receiving 69 7/8 cents a bushel. The value of the crop, therefore, based on Nov. 1 figures, is \$1,885,867,324.

The total production this year of the principal farm crops as announced in the preliminary estimates, with comparison figures for last year, follows:

CROP.	1914.	1913.
Corn	2,705,692,000	2,446,000,000
Wheat	891,850,000	783,800,000
Oats	1,138,741,000	1,121,748,000
Barley	149,696,000	178,180,000
Rye	42,694,000	41,881,000
Potatoes	406,238,000	381,930,000
Sweet potatoes	56,020,000	59,057,000
Cotton (pounds)	7,341,000,000	6,772,000,000
Tobacco	852,715,000	938,734,000
Apples	288,862,000	145,410,000
Oranges	1,138,741,000	1,121,748,000

Other details of the report follow: CORN.—Acre yield, 25.8 bushels, against 24.1 last year and 24.7, the ten-year average. Total yield, 2,705,692,000 bushels, against 2,446,000,000 last year and 2,446,000,000, the ten-year average.

WHEAT.—Acre yield, 16.7 bushels, against 15.3 last year and 15.3, the ten-year average. Total yield, 891,850,000 bushels, against 783,800,000 last year and 783,800,000, the ten-year average.

BARLEY.—Acre yield, 51.3 bushels, against 47.1 last year and 47.1, the ten-year average. Total yield, 1,138,741,000 bushels, against 1,121,748,000 last year and 1,121,748,000, the ten-year average.

BUCKWHEAT.—Acre yield, 2.4 bushels, against 2.2 last year and 2.2, the ten-year average. Total yield, 65,000 bushels, against 60,000 last year and 60,000, the ten-year average.

POTATOES.—Acre yield, 94.5 bushels, against 90.4 last year and 90.4, the ten-year average. Total yield, 258,862,000 bushels, against 145,410,000 last year and 145,410,000, the ten-year average.

TOBACCO.—Acre yield, 852.7 bushels, against 938.7 last year and 938.7, the ten-year average. Total yield, 7,341,000,000 pounds, against 6,772,000,000 last year and 6,772,000,000, the ten-year average.

SUGAR BEETS.—Acre yield, 10.8 bushels, against 10.8 last year and 10.8, the ten-year average. Total yield, 28,862,000 bushels, against 14,541,000 last year and 14,541,000, the ten-year average.

Yield Per Acre Production, (000's omitted).

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Mo.	38.0	35.0	33.0
Ohio	40.0	37.0	35.0
Wis.	42.0	39.0	37.0
Mich.	44.0	41.0	39.0
Iowa	46.0	43.0	41.0
Nebr.	48.0	45.0	43.0
S. Dak.	50.0	47.0	45.0
Nebraska	52.0	49.0	47.0
Ky.	54.0	51.0	49.0
Ark.	56.0	53.0	51.0
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Iowa	46.0	43.0	41.0
Nebr.	48.0	45.0	43.0
S. Dak.	50.0	47.0	45.0
Nebraska	52.0	49.0	47.0
Ky.	54.0	51.0	49.0
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POTATOES.—Acre yield, 94.5 bushels, against 90.4 last year and 90.4, the ten-year average. Total yield, 258,862,000 bushels, against 145,410,000 last year and 145,410,000, the ten-year average.

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MRS. STODDARD IN COURT.

Must Leave Biltmore for Poorhouse, She Says, Unless Husband Aids.

From the Biltmore Hotel to the poor- house is the disaster threatening Mrs. Mabel Cole Stoddard unless her husband comes to her rescue, according to Mrs. Stoddard's testimony in the Do- mestic Relations Court yesterday.

On the Estimated Yield This Would Make the Crop's Value \$1,885,867,324.

Albany, Nov. 9.—Mrs. Mabel Cole Stoddard, wife of the late Mr. Stoddard, who was killed in the Biltmore Hotel, is in court to answer a summons obtained by his wife last Saturday, when she first complained that he had refused to support her. His counsel said that although he had recently met with business reverses he had not denied his wife's reasonable support. But he was maintained by Mrs. Stoddard in a suit of rooms at the Biltmore. Upon request of Mrs. Stoddard's counsel an adjournment of the case was taken for a week.

A little more than a year ago Mrs. Stoddard was conspicuously written up in the Albany Times as the wife of the Biltmore Hotel, and her real estate operations were said to be extensive. She was the founder and President of the M. H. Cole Company, which had offices at 500 Fifth Avenue, and it was through her business activities that she came to the Biltmore Hotel, where she was married in Jersey City last February. Six weeks after her marriage she separated from her husband, and returned to Albany, where she was maintained by her husband. The company were closed, chiefly, it was said, because of Mrs. Stoddard's ill health.

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HELLENSTEIN DEFIES CITY INVESTIGATOR

Coroner Refuses to Answer at Sweeping Inquiry Ordered by the Mayor.

COURT MANDATE SOUGHT

Commissioner of Accounts Aims to Show Abuses and Charges May Follow Investigation.

Blocked in his effort to obtain from Coroner Herman Hellenstein any information which would aid him in the inquiry he is making into the Board of Coroner's at the direction of Mayor Michael, Commissioner of Accounts Leonard M. Wallstein served notice yesterday afternoon on the Coroner and his counsel, ex-Assistant District Attorney Frank Moss, that he would carry the matter to the Supreme Court. The climax was reached after Dr. Hellenstein had occupied the witness chair for more than four hours at the first of a series of public hearings in the Commissioner's office in the Municipal Building. Upon the advice of Mr. Moss the Coroner refused to answer more than half of the questions he was asked. Suddenly the Commissioner put aside his notes.

"I suspend this hearing temporarily," he said, "pending an appeal to the Supreme Court to compel the Coroner to answer these questions or stand in contempt of court."

Mr. Moss offered no objection as the Commissioner went on to explain that he believed it was the legal duty of the Coroner, or any other public officer paid out of the funds of the city, to answer simple questions concerning the administration of his office. The Coroner, who had taken the grilling good-naturedly, glanced at Mr. Moss and then smiled. He nodded cordially to Commissioner Wallstein and hurried out of the room.

Mr. Moss, whose legal advice has halted temporarily the Mayor's inquiry, is also counsel for Mayor Michael's Municipal Civil Service Commission, now being subjected to an investigation by the State Civil Service Commission.

Scope of Inquiry Broad

It became apparent yesterday before the hearing had been under way very long that Commissioner Wallstein had mapped out his public inquiry on a broad scale and that his aim apparently was not only to show that the Board of Coroner's should be abolished, but also to bring out facts which would provide the basis for charges against individuals if it developed that there had been abuse of power.

In objecting to many of the questions put to the Coroner, Mr. Moss did not seek to conceal the fact that he was endeavoring to protect his client in the latter emergency. He based his refusal to permit answers to many of the questions on the ground that the Commissioner did not have jurisdiction to review the judicial acts of a Coroner, but he admitted as facts that he foresaw that the question of preferring charges might come up.

Mr. Moss' broad proposition is, said Mr. Moss, that the Coroner is presumed to know the law. He is under that burden. If he violates the law he must take the consequences; whether he is learned or not in what the law says of his duties that makes no difference. One line of attack which aroused much interest was Mr. Wallstein's effort to elicit from Coroner Hellenstein information concerning his connection with various insurance companies. He asked the Coroner if he knew the result of inquiries into which accident, death, and liability insurance companies paid premiums to the Coroner's office. Mr. Moss permitted his client to answer, but he asked the Coroner if he had not sought a ruling from the Corporation Counsel in the case of Isaac Weingart, but Dr. Hellenstein refused to say yes or no. He said he was not sure.

Mr. Wallstein said after the hearing that many of the questions he asked of the Coroner were concerning the manner of filing death certificates and the content of the Coroner's Office had a bearing on the question of the Coroner's duties. The Weingart case, he said, was said, would be sought if the Supreme Court directed Coroner Hellenstein to answer his questions.

Coroner Hellenstein's testimony.

Coroner Hellenstein answered some questions regarding his connection with the life insurance companies.

"In connection with your employment at the Aetna Life Insurance Company, did you not testify at a private hearing before me that you had no letter of introduction from Dr. Archer of the Aetna Company?" he was asked.

The Coroner conferred with Mr. Moss for several minutes and then admitted that, despite his former testimony, he had had such a letter and that it was from Dr. C. F. Everett, the medical director of the Fidelity and Casualty Company.

"I thought I had only an introduction by telephone," he said. "After you had it published in the newspapers I asked Dr. Everett, and he told me there was a letter."

Dr. Hellenstein next admitted that he also had had a letter of introduction from Dr. J. Moorehead of the Interior-Rapid Transit Company and that he had called upon him. He made no effort to conceal the fact that he had business relations with the insurance companies mentioned while he was Coroner, and had solicited medical business from them.

Commissioner Wallstein made it known that he intended to call the other Coroner to the stand and asked Mr. Moss if they were going to make the same objections to the questions. Mr. Moss said he could speak only for Coroner Hellenstein.

Mr. Wallstein said that his principal reason for asking the Coroner the questions was to give them a chance to state their side. He did not want to go ahead, he said, with a one-sided inquiry, which might be criticized, as the hearings might end in a recommendation that charges be brought. Mr. Moss offered no suggestion to avoid carrying the dispute to the Supreme Court.

Mr. Wallstein said he would take up immediately with the Corporation Counsel and make the application to day.

"We will continue the hearings at the earliest possible moment," he said to the reporters.

Dr. Hellenstein was vague in response to questions about the reported steps of the Greater New York Coroner's Association to defend legislation at Albany intended to abolish the Coroner. He did not recall a suggestion which Mr. Wallstein said had been made at a meeting of the association on March 27, 1914, that each clerk be assessed \$2 on the basis of \$1000 he raised a fund to fight the proposed law.

OREN DAY POMEROY DIES.

Was Under Knife in Flushing Hospital When Nurses Struck.

Oren Day Pomerooy, on whom Dr. Charles B. Story was operating when the Flushing Hospital nurses quit the operating room to go on strike on Oct. 31 last, died in the hospital on Sunday. Mr. Pomerooy's death was said to be due to appendicitis complicated by malignant endocarditis. Dr. Story was operating for appendicitis when the nurses left, and he said yesterday that there were four physicians in the room and the operation was uninterrupted despite the desertion of the nurses. It really was not affected by their action.

Mr. Pomerooy was 32 years old and lived at 759 Seventh Avenue, College Point. He was a son of the late Dr. C. D. Pomerooy, one of the founders of the Manhattan Eye and Ear Infirmary. Mr. Pomerooy leaves a wife and two sons.

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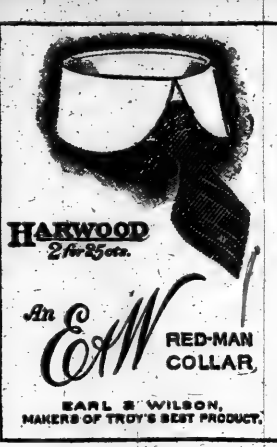
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HARTMAN SEIZED IN \$700,000 FRAUD

Ex-President of Tyson & Co. Is Accused by Mrs. Charlotte L. Mackenzie.

ARREST AT THE VANDERBILT

Widow, Now Bankrupt, Charges Fortune Was Stolen Through Power of Attorney.

HIS TRIP ABROAD BLOCKED

Promoter Had Arranged to Sail Today—Indictments Specify Larceny of \$133,000.

Richard J. Hartman, the former President of Tyson & Co., ticket brokers, who got into legal entanglements last year through transactions in Metropolitan Opera tickets, was arrested yesterday afternoon on a charge by Mrs. Charlotte L. Mackenzie that he had stolen her entire fortune, approximately \$700,000, and two diamond rings valued at \$1,000 each.

The arrest was made by Detective Sergeant Barney Flood of the District Attorney's office, on three indictments, specifying the larceny of \$133,000 from Mrs. Mackenzie. Shortly before the arrest the District Attorney's office received information that Hartman had made preparations to sail for Europe today. He was caught as he was entering the café of the Vanderbilt Hotel, and was locked up in the Tombs last night, in default of \$25,000 bail.

Her Entire Fortune Gone.

Mrs. Mackenzie, who is about 53 years old, is the widow of James A. Mackenzie, a brother of Alexander R. Mackenzie, who was formerly the head of the Slinger Manufacturing Company. Most of the money said to have been stolen by Hartman was in shares of stock in the Slinger Company, left the widow by her husband when he died in 1907. Two days later an involuntary petition in bankruptcy was filed against her.

The complainant has four children, three daughters and a son, of whom the eldest is a daughter now about 28 years old. That the children had been in their mother's confidence in Hartman is indicated by the fact that in March, 1910, when he was Mrs. Mackenzie's confidential business agent, Miss Addy Mackenzie, the eldest daughter, obtained the appointment of a commission to examine into her mother's competency, and until the commission had made a favorable report, Mrs. Mackenzie was restrained by Justice Newburger from transferring or disposing of any of her property.

Met Him in a London Hotel.

When she realized that she had lost everything, Mrs. Mackenzie immediately made her first complaint against Hartman to Assistant District Attorney James A. Delehanty. In 1908, a year after her husband's death, Mrs. Mackenzie met Hartman at a hotel in London, she said. He was agreeable, and she was attracted to him. He was a man, and soon won his way into the favor of the widow, who then began her own affairs. After her return to America he continued his friendly relations with her until he had gained her entire confidence.

Mrs. Mackenzie said that, as she had no business agent, she consulted Hartman in many matters, and in 1911 he learned that she owed money on loans to two corporations in Jersey City. These debts were \$41,500 to the Hudson County National Bank and \$50,000 to the New Jersey Trust Guaranty and Trust Company. The former was secured by 336 shares of stock in the Slinger Manufacturing Company and the latter by 1,104 shares in the same corporation.

One day shortly after Hartman had received this information, Mrs. Mackenzie received a letter from him, reporting to come from the bank and trust company by which she was notified that the loans would have to be paid immediately. Hartman promptly offered to pay the loans for Mrs. Mackenzie, and allow her to owe him the amount of the loans. She agreed to the arrangement. She trusted the man to such an extent that he presented certain papers to her, which she affixed her name without inquiring into their nature. He told her that they were simply for the transfer of the two loans, Mrs. Mackenzie alleged, but, in fact, her signatures to them gave him the power of attorney over her affairs.

Power of Attorney Used.

With the papers in his possession, Hartman was able to buy and sell, receive and give in Mrs. Mackenzie's name without question. Then it was that he started in to get everything the widow had. Mrs. Mackenzie, he took up on the Jersey City loans, according to her story, and pledged 800 of the shares he obtained from the Jersey corporations to the Seaboard National Bank of New York for \$100,000. Needing more money later, he pledged the remaining shares to other banks, until he had borrowed up to their full value, Mrs. Mackenzie said. He never repaid the loans, and ultimately the shares were sold by the creditors.

Mrs. Mackenzie alleged that Hartman gradually obtained possession of every share of stock and every bond she possessed, pledged them all for loans, and permitted all to be sold, until today neither he nor she owns a single stock or bond. The complete list of securities which Mrs. Mackenzie took up on the Jersey City loans, according to her story, was 100 shares of United States Steel, 300 shares of United States Steel, 30 shares of Brooklyn Union Gas Company, 40 shares of Dominion Copper Corporation, 2,000 shares of Slinger Manufacturing Company, \$16,000 in bonds of the Hudson Gas Company, and \$18,000 in bonds of the New York and Hoboken Company. The shares in the Slinger Manufacturing Company had a market value of \$285 each.

All of the time Hartman was pledged.

THE NORTH CAROLINA REPORTED BLOWN UP

Washington Worried Over Rumors About Cruiser at Beirut—Telegrams Unanswered.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 10.—Government officials found cause for worry today over a report that the armored cruiser North Carolina had been blown up at Beirut, Syria.

Outside of the fact that the report itself was disquieting, the naval authorities had no reason to concern themselves, because it was the first of a series of inquiries made of the department came from Boston. They would have been disinclined to pay much attention to this rumor if it had not been that a telegram of inquiry, addressed to the Commander of the North Carolina at Beirut three days ago, had remained unanswered.

She reported her arrival at Beirut on Nov. 2. Last Saturday a dispatch in American newspapers said that United States marines had been landed at Beirut to protect American interests. That day the Navy Department sent a cable message to the North Carolina, asking her to report if the news report were true. No answer to this message came to the department, and another message of inquiry was sent yesterday. This also remains unanswered.

The North Carolina and the Tennessee were the only ships sent from the United States to Europe with money to relieve distressed Americans.

After the two vessels had completed their relief work in Northern Europe and along the Mediterranean they were ordered to Turkish waters for the purpose of protecting American interests should occasion arise. The Tennessee was reported from Mitylene, (Lesbos), in the Aegean Sea.

The North Carolina is commanded by Capt. Joseph W. Oman.

PSYCHIC WAR NEWS.

It Favours the Allies—Says Also We'll Take a Hand in Turkey.

Special Cable to The New York Times.

LONDON, Nov. 10.—War news derived from purely psychic sources is contained in The Occult Messenger as follows:

"The United States, the most unlikely people of all, will put a finger in the Turkish pie. Greece, Bulgaria and Russia will be in Constantinople by Christmas. In the third and fourth weeks in November Russia will assuredly be victorious and tread German soil on the way to Berlin. The Allies will make unexpected progress during the latter part of November. New guns are making their appearance to smash German forts. At the same time, French aviation seems to increase. Allied tactical superiority and throw dismay in retreat. Trenches are being lost. German losses are appalling, over 1,800,000 being already put out of action on both frontiers."

SCHWAB HAS A MYSTERY.

And an Opinion on Kitchener—Keating Story of 7 Weeks in England.

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LONDON, Nov. 10.—Charles M. Schwab will sail for New York tomorrow on the Adriatic. He refused to say anything about his trip to England, except to remark: "I hope before a great many years to write an autobiography and I trust that when I do so I can tell the full story of the last three weeks."

Mrs. Schwab has occupied a suite of rooms at the Savoy Hotel for ten days and has consistently declined to be interviewed. It is known, however, that in private conversation a few days ago he made the remark that "Lord Kitchener is the best President the United States Steel Corporation ever mislaid."

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Karl Hans Lody, Former German Naval Officer, Posed as an American.

NO SUCH CASE IN 214 YEARS

Lody, Shot Near the Scene of Many Famous Executions, Dies Bravely.

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To the very end, says The Daily Mail, Lody maintained the calm imperturbability which characterized him throughout the three days' trial, and when facing the firing party he refused to be intimidated.

The execution took place in the miniature rifle range at the Tower just as dawn was breaking. Over night Lody had been removed from Wellington Barracks, where he had been confined since his trial, to the Tower, and was taken to one of the guard rooms. Just before daybreak eight soldiers were roused and marched to the rifle range, followed immediately by Lody, who walked firmly and calmly.

He seated himself on a chair. Folding his arms and crossing his legs, he leaned back.

A Sergeant cried, "Present! Fire!" The eight rifles rang out with one report, and Lody was dead. Subsequently his body was buried within the precincts of the Tower.

The last act of execution at the Tower was that of Lord Lovat, who was beheaded on Tower Hill for taking part in the Jacobite rebellion which was crushed out at Culloden.

First Said He Was American.

LONDON, Nov. 10.—Lody when arrested claimed to be an American, but later confessed that he was a German. He had lived in New York and Omaha. In the latter city he married the daughter of Gottlieb Storge, a brewer, who later divorced him.

Lody met his death in the Tower of London after having been found guilty by the court-martial on charges of having communicated with the enemy. The statement concerning the execution is believed to be true. "The sentence was duly confirmed."

It is understood that Lody refused to the last to reveal the name of the superior officer from whom he received his instructions to spy on the British Navy. This was the first execution for espionage in the Tower of London since 1700.

The scene of the execution was not far from the spot where Anne Boland, and other persons famous in English history were put to death.

Lody was about 28 years old.

ENGLISH COAST TOWNS TELL OF AIRSHIP VISIT

Searchlights Busy All Night and Firing Is Heard from the Cliffs.

LONDON, Nov. 10.—A dispatch to The Evening News from Dover says: "As a result of a report that an airship had been sighted over Sheerness the searchlight corps was busy all night. Later the airship was reported over Harwich."

"Firing was heard on the eastern cliffs between 2 and 2:30 o'clock this morning."

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Horses and Men Rushed From Flanders—Von Kluck's Strategy Under Censure.

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ON THE NORTH BELGIAN FRONTIER, Nov. 8. (Dispatch to The London Morning Post.)—A trustworthy friend, who has just left Brussels, assures me that Emperor William was there last Monday on the way back from western headquarters. The fact of his presence was not generally known and he remained a few hours only.

A man who has just come from Berlin informs me that in three days eighty trainloads of horses and men, drawn from the western theatre of war, have left Berlin for Posen. This weakening of the German cavalry force in Flanders he believes to be due in part to the fact that the fighting on the western side is largely confined to artillery and infantry, but the main reason is the urgent need of cavalry reinforcements to cope with the advance of the Russians in the east.

My informant, who has special sources of information, tells me that the German strategy in Flanders is the subject of severe criticism in military circles, and that a commander, said to be Gen. von Kluck, has personally been taken to task by the Emperor. This is especially hard on Gen. von Kluck, who is believed to have acted throughout as the executor of Imperial orders.

It is stated in Berlin that the German Government has paid Turkey as the price of her intervention in the war the sum of 500,000,000 marks (\$47,000,000).

GERMAN CASUALTIES OVER HALF A MILLION

Latest List Contains Thousands of August and September Victims; Few of October.

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BERLIN, Nov. 10. (Dispatch to The London Morning Post.)—The official list of German casualties to killed, wounded, and missing officers and men give a total of 508,000.

One list alone contains 20,251 names. Most of the names in the latest list are from September, some thousands are from August, and only a few from October.

Only last Sunday a dispatch from Berlin said that the total number of names of Berlin victims given out there in one week, was 57,800.

LORD HUGH GROSVENOR MISSING AFTER FIGHT

Lord Alastair Innes-Ker, Who Married Miss Breeze of This City, Among the Wounded.

LONDON, Nov. 10.—A casualty list dated Nov. 2 and issued tonight gives the names of several officers killed, including Lieut. Hon. R. E. Lambton of the Royal Horse Guards, and forty-three wounded.

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Others wounded are Lieut. Hon. C. H. G. Mollathall of the Eleventh Hussars, Major the Hon. R. E. F. Robt. Edinburg and various other places in the same month Lord had been in the service of the British Empire, and especially referred to letters sent to his family from the front.

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The best industry, which was enormous in many parts of Belgium, has been ruined. The farmers have millions of beasts rotting in the stables, and through inability to transport them to slaughterhouses they are dying. The workmen, Belgians maintain, are willing to work for one-fourth of their ordinary wages, but the factory owners, unable to provide the necessary material, have been obliged to dismiss the men.

There has been a great scarcity of gasoline, since a British fleet attacked unsuccessfully the German main gasoline depot at Heren, north of Brussels, and the Germans are keeping their gasoline nearer home.

The situation in the last week has turned for the worse. A strict order not to allow anybody to leave the country, numerous arrests of Belgians between the ages of 18 and 30, and the continual movement of trains bearing wounded and fresh troops are causing great unrest, and the population, which is doomed to idleness and which is watching the daily rations grow smaller and smaller, is beginning to murmur.

Open revolt and speedy destruction, some residents say, are preferable to this slow method of starvation, while the latest list inflicted by the Germans of \$1,250,000, which popularity is felt to be unjust, has suddenly disappeared. It is almost impossible to exaggerate the bitterness of the Belgians and their conquerors.

When informed of the reported threat by Germans in Brussels to stop the distribution of food by the American Relief Committee, Jerome D. Greene, Secretary of the Rockefeller Foundation, said today the shipment of food and supplies from New York to the distressed Belgians "would be continued until announced Page at London advice to the contrary." Mr. Greene added: "We shall be guided entirely by the Government of Belgium."

GERMANS SHIFTING FRONT.

Prepare Final Attack Near Ypres—35,000 Leave Thirt.

THELT, Belgium, (via The Hague and London, Nov. 10.)—The inundations in Flanders, which prevented the Germans from making their way along the coast in their efforts to reach Calais, are now proving equally unfavorable to the Allies, who today are finding it impossible to proceed through these marshy regions.

The Germans have been obliged to evacuate Middelkerke, on the coast, half way between Nieuport and Ostend, and this point has not yet been occupied by the Allies.

The Germans, according to information available here, are now concentrating all their forces for a final attack in the vicinity of Ypres. On Saturday afternoon they almost succeeded in surrounding the city as a result of attacks from the southwest and northwest. To day, however, their position is said to be much less favorable because of the excellent work of the French artillerymen and the scouting of the French and British aviators, who now seem to be flying better than the German airplanes.

The fighting has swung over the coast with rapidity, some villages, like Diksmuide and Ransleben, changing hands several times a day. At the present time the Germans hold only two unimportant villages on the left bank of the Yser. These engagements, which

GERMANY LOSES TWO SEA RAIDERS; THREAT TO CUT OFF BELGIAN RELIEF; ALLIES HOLD IN VIOLENT BATTLE

Summary of War News.

The German cruiser Emden, which has preyed on British commerce in the Indian Ocean since the outbreak of the war, has been sunk by the Australian cruiser Sydney, near Cocos Island. The British Admiralty reports that the loss of officers and crew was heavy, but a dispatch from Tokyo says that most of the men were saved.

The German cruiser Königsberg, which disabled the British cruiser Pegasus in Zanzibar Harbor several weeks ago, is bottled up at Mafia Island, on the coast of German East Africa, according to an announcement from the British Admiralty.

Karl Hans Lody, alias Charles A. Inglis, who once lived in this country, has been executed in the Tower of London as a spy. This was the first execution in the Tower of London since 1700.

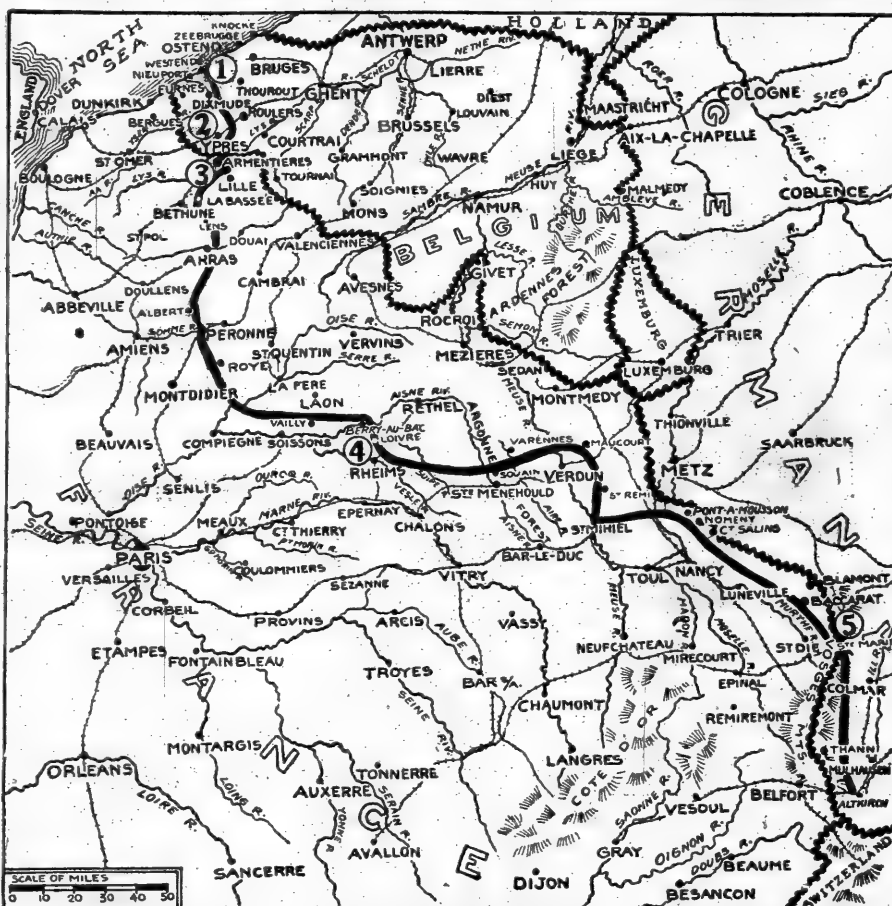
The French War Office announces that a desperate attack by the Germans to the south of Ypres yesterday was checked, and the Allies have advanced between Ypres and Arras. Progress was also made between Rheims and Berry-au-Bac.

The London Press Bureau reports that little change has taken place in the general position of the forces in France, and reiterates that the German offensive is gradually spending its strength.

The German Army Headquarters reports that the attacks near Ypres, where 500 French and British prisoners were taken and several machine guns captured, is slowly progressing. Advances have also been made south of this region. It is stated, the strong counter attacks of the British forces being repulsed.

The Russian General Staff announces that the right wing of the German Army in East Prussia, which has been stubbornly resisting the Russian advance near Lyck, has been driven back toward Masurian Lakes. Advances

Points of Present Interest on the Western Battle Front



1. Unofficial advice says that the Germans are withdrawing troops from near the coast to concentrate them to the southward.

2. The main attack is being delivered by the Kaiser's troops between Dixmude and Armentières, according to the French official report. Here the conflict has been very severe, but the Allies have repulsed all assaults, according to Paris. Berlin states that the German troops are advancing.

3. Lille, which has been the centre of violent encounters for three weeks, is said to have suffered terrible damage. The city has been taken and lost several times by each side.

4. The French official bulletin states that progress is being made by the French troops around Louvain, between Rheims and Berry-au-Bac. Rheims, according to Paris, is under bombardment every day.

5. The Germans have again attacked the heights near Mount St. Marie and to the southeast of Thann, all being repulsed, according to Paris.

Between the passenger and goods stations and the City Hall, the oldest and most populous part of the town, being entirely destroyed, and many houses have been destroyed by cannonade or fire.

MINES KILL A THOUSAND.
Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. PARIS, Nov. 10.—The *Leclair* prints a letter from a French soldier recently engaged in the Argonne fighting, which, as the writer says, forms an interesting pendant for the bold words of the official communiqués telling of German attacks being repulsed. He describes the French retreat before a superior force from a village commanding an affluent of the Meuse, intersecting that of the Argonne where a wide road followed that valley.

"We soldiers," he says, "couldn't understand why the Colonel abandoned the village, which was evidently of strategic importance, without a struggle, but we obeyed orders and retired silently. After traversing a quarter of a mile, there was a sudden terrific explosion that staggered the ranks. Simultaneously the officer, smiling, gave the order to retreat our steps."

"We re-entered the village, which was a scene of frightful desolation. The houses were utterly destroyed, and everywhere there were huge gaping wounds, and the air was filled with a thousand corpses. A dense pall of powder smoke hung over everything, and the peasants who hid in the cellars of the houses, the screaming noise of a shell which exploded near a church. An explosion like an earthquake followed, and the building fell. Only a few stunned survivors were left on the outskirts."

"The German assault on the village before retiring. The German assault was definitely repulsed at this point."

HUNGARIAN NOBLEMAN SLAIN.
Over 800 Hussars of Aristocratic Families Killed Around Lille.

PARIS, Nov. 10.—According to the latest list of killed, published in Vienna, the Hungarian aristocracy had a considerable loss in the battles around Lille, in which district they had been sent to aid the Germans in the Argonne.

The lists show that 867 Hussars belonging to noble families were killed.

MINES HIT ITALIAN COAST.
Damages Railroad Flag Station—Protest to Austria.

ANCONA, Italy, Nov. 10.—A floating mine exploded today so near in shore in the vicinity of Fossacaccia that it seriously damaged the flag station of the railway line running along the sea front. There were no casualties.

It is understood that the Italian Government has addressed representations to Austria concerning mines in the Adriatic.

DANGER OF A PESTILENCE.
Inability to Bury War Victims Adds a New Peril.

SPECIAL CABLE TO THE NEW YORK TIMES. LONDON, Nov. 10.—A dispatch to Reuters' Telegram Company says: "A telegram from Flushing states that the Dutch steamer *Amstelrode* of Bata, which left Antwerp with forty-five passengers, was stopped by German officials off Port Marie, near the Dutch frontier. The ship was thoroughly searched and all men between the ages of 15 and 30 years were arrested. It is said they had taken possession of the ship."

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KING PRAISES TROOPS IN MESSAGE TO FRENCH

British Commander Replies That the Army Has an "Unalterable Determination" to Win.

LONDON, Nov. 10.—King George has sent the following communication to Sir John French, commander of the British expeditionary force on the Continent: "The splendid pluck, spirit, and endurance shown by my troops in the desperate fighting, which has continued so many days against a vastly superior force, fills me with admiration. I am confident of the final result of their noble efforts under your able command."

Gen. French replied thanking His Majesty for the message, which he said had been received with gratitude and pride by the army.

He assured the King "of our unalterable determination to uphold the highest traditions of your Majesty's army and carry the campaign through to a victorious conclusion."

PARIS THEATRES MAY REOPEN.
Meeting Held by Amusement Associations to Consider Matter.

PARIS, Nov. 10.—A large meeting, attended by the representatives of all the theatrical associations and amusement organizations of Paris and also of the provinces, held today with the view of procuring the reopening of the theatres and other places of amusement, also discussed measures to relieve the distress among actors and employees of the theatres.

The meeting drafted the principle of a manifesto which will be further considered on Friday before its submission to the authorities.

Nothing in the nature of a theatre or music hall in Paris is now open with the exception of one. That is a concert hall devoted to a patriotic programme. Many moving picture shows still remain open.

GERMAN CRUISER EMDEN DESTROYED

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No news has yet been received of the fate of the *Emden*. Capt. Karl von Müller, her commander, who handled his ship with the skill of an accomplished sea officer and the courtesy of a gentleman, has been an ornament to the sea profession and an honor to the brotherhood of the sea, and it is greatly to be hoped that he survives to tell the tale.

The *Daily Telegraph* says: "It is almost in our heart to regret that the *Emden* has been captured and destroyed. We certainly hope that Commander Karl von Müller, her commander, has not been killed, for, as the phrase goes, he has shown himself an officer and a gentleman. He has been enterprising, cool, and daring in making war on our shipping, and has revealed a nice sense of humor. He has, moreover, shown every possible consideration to the crew of his ship. So far, he has not destroyed over 74,000 tons of shipping without the loss of a single life. There is not a survivor who does not speak well of this young German, the officers under him, and the crew obedient to his orders. The war on the sea will lose something of its pliancy, its humor, and its interest now that the *Emden* has gone, but she was so good because she was so expensive."

Among the seventeen officers who served under Capt. Karl von Müller aboard the *Emden* was Lieut. Prince Francis Joseph of Hohenzollern, a member of the elder but non-regnant branch of the second line of the reigning Princes of Hohenzollern, and is 23 years old. It is not known whether he was still on board the vessel at the time of her destruction.

The Times says: "We rejoice that the cruiser *Emden* has been destroyed at last, but we salute Capt. von Müller as a brave and a clever commander. We trust his life has been saved, for if he came to London he would receive a generous welcome."

"Our maritime race knows how to admire a brave and resourceful seaman, and there are few episodes of modern naval history more remarkable than the capture of the *Emden*."

The *Morning Post* says: "The conduct of Capt. von Müller, who seems to have been brave without brutality, is something to set against the inhuman practices of the German army."

HOW SYDNEY CAUGHT EMDEN.
German Surprised at Cocos Islands and Driven Ashore Abaze.

LONDON, Nov. 10.—In announcing the destruction of the *Emden* the Admiralty said: "A large combined operation by fast cruisers against the German cruiser *Emden* has been going on for some time. In this search, which has covered an immense area, the British cruisers have been aided by French, Russian, and Japanese vessels, working in harmony. The Australian warships Melbourne and Sydney also were included in these movements."

It was reported that the *Emden* had been completely lost to sight after her capture by the Russian cruiser *Jemchug*, had arrived at Keelung, or Cocos, Islands and landed an armed party to destroy the wireless station. Here she was caught and forced to fight by the Australian cruiser Sydney, Capt. John Glossop.

A sharp action took place, in which the *Emden* was driven ashore and burned, and lost in the flames. The *Emden* was a very heavy. All possible assistance is now being given to the survivors by the British.

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Union Forces Kill or Wound 120 and Capture 25 North of Pretoria.

LONDON, Nov. 10.—A dispatch to Reuters' Telegram Company from Pretoria says it is officially announced there that on Nov. 8 Lieut. Col. Vandewater met the rebels at Zandfontein, sixty-four miles north of Pretoria.

The Union of South Africa forces killed or wounded 120 men and captured 25.

The Union losses were 12 men killed and 11 wounded.

various ships which have been dispatched to the scene.

With the exception of the German squadron now off the coast of Chile, the whole of the Pacific and Indian Oceans is now clear of the enemy's ships.

The First Lord of the Admiralty, Winston Spencer Churchill, has sent the following message to the Admiralty: "The capture of the *Emden* is a great success for the Navy. It is a great blow to the German fleet and a great triumph for the British Navy."

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machine guns. She also had two submerged 17.7-inch torpedoes, tubes and when clean could make 25.5 knots an hour. Her displacement was 3,600 tons, her length 381 feet, and her beam 43.1 feet. She was laid down at Dantzig in 1906 and completed in May, 1908.

The Australian cruiser Sydney is the first product of the Naval Agreement of 1903, which gave birth to the Australian Navy. The Sydney carries a main battery of eight 6-inch guns against the Emden's ten 4.1-inch guns. She has a heavy advantage over the German ship. While the speed of the Sydney was theoretically equal to the bottom of the Emden, the Sydney was evidently faster through her three months of constant cruising in tropical waters.

The Sydney was launched in 1912 and was completed the next year. Her displacement is 3,600 tons, her length 400 feet and her beam 43.4 feet. Her secondary battery consists of four three-pounders and she has four machine guns. She is supposed to carry 700 men. The principal vessels captured or destroyed by the Emden are officially reported as follows:

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WIN KAISER'S PRAISE LEAVING TSING-TAU

Germans Formally Hand Over the Stronghold to the Japanese and British Forces.

RECKLESS DARING SHOWN

Japanese Embassy Here Reaffirms Intention to Give Land to China, but Cites Technical Reservation.

BERLIN, Nov. 10. (via Wireless to Saville, L. I.)—The German Emperor, President of the Reichstag, has received the following dispatch from Emperor William:

"The defense of Tsing-tau, that model settlement of German culture built with the labor of many years, brings new laurels to the spirit of faithfulness unto death which the German people have so often shown since their army and their fleet have been in defensive warfare against a world of hatred, envy, and covetousness, a war which, if God wills, will not be vain."

LONDON, Nov. 10. (The German stronghold of Tsing-tau, according to a dispatch received by the Central News from Shanghai, was unconditionally handed over to Japan at 10 o'clock this morning.)

Reckless Valor of Japanese.

TOKIO, Nov. 10.—A detailed official account of the operations before Tsing-tau has been made public. It is couched in modest terms, but shows that the Japanese had been fighting with a reckless and daring of life that the Japanese soldiers evidenced in the war with Russia.

Led by a detachment of engineers, who exploded a powder magazine of the enemy at heavy cost in lives, the Japanese mounted the German parapets in a deadly rain of bullets from the Chinese guns. They were blinded by the illuminating shells exploded by the Germans to reveal their position. The account says emphasis on the stubbornness of the German defense, and dwells on the fact that the Japanese fought on the light of the moon. After Fort Moltke had been captured the order was given to "march on Tsing-tau," and the Japanese entered the city.

Reservation in the Contract.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 10.—Official information received from the Japanese Embassy today that the fortifications at Tsing-tau and the surrounding territory of Kiaochow were formally handed over to the allied force of occupation.

At the embassy it was said that Japan had not altered her intentions announced with the declaration of war against Germany. In regard to Kiaochow, Germany had agreed to return it to China, and as Germany did not object to the Japanese occupying the territory, it was pointed out that Japan was not absolutely bound to restore Kiaochow.

It was said, however, that a definite or positive announcement would be made at this time in regard to Japan's intention to return the territory to China. The Japanese had been working toward the maintenance of friendly relations with China, and it is believed that Kiaochow will be returned at the end of the war.

It would assume the offensive and send troops to Europe unless requested by Great Britain to do so.

Germany's success against the Allies could endanger the vital interests or threaten the life and existence of Japan.

KAISER REJOICES OVER NAVY.

True German Sailor Spirit Shown in Fight Off Chile, He Says.

BERLIN, Nov. 10. (via Wireless to Saville, L. I.)—Emperor William has answered in the following terms a telegram from the German Navy congratulating him on the victory of German warships over an English squadron in Chilean waters:

"I rejoice with the entire German people over this splendid proof of the true German sailor spirit. I pray God still to grant our weapons victories on land to the confusion of all the plans of our enemies, and the destruction of German being and influence."

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Fourth Floor

SEEKS DIVIDENDS FROM THIRD AVE. CO.

A. E. Cottler Assests Money Due Stockholders Has Been Used to Extend the System.

HE WILL QUIZ WHITRIDGE

Man Who Forced Lehigh Valley Changes Asks Third Ave. Stockholders to Attend Meeting Today.

Alonso E. Cottler, a stockholder of the Third Avenue Railway Company, who is recorded as owning 1,300 shares, intends at the annual meeting of the company today to ask why the company is paying no dividends, although it has spent a great deal of money to purchase additional street railway companies, and is paying its President, Frederick W. Whitridge, \$60,000 a year. He does not want to make charges, he said last night at the Plaza, but he does want information, and he is advertising in order to obtain the support of other stockholders.

In the statement, which he publishes as an advertisement, Mr. Cottler points out that the stockholders of the old Third Avenue Railway Company were compelled at the reorganization to pay the heavy assessment of \$45 on each \$100 of stock they held, and then he continues:

"After being deprived of any income during the long years of the receivership, and waiting patiently three years longer from the reorganization, although I have been now informed with cynical frankness that the company is now in a position to look for any dividends for years to come, I am not prepared to believe that the company is not in a position to pay dividends. I am not prepared to believe that the company is not in a position to pay dividends. I am not prepared to believe that the company is not in a position to pay dividends."

"Another shareholder with twice as much stock as I own, Mr. Cottler said last night, 'has pointed out the most insupportable effects of this policy will be. It is impossible for the small stockholders with only a few shares to hang on much longer. Some of them borrowed from the banks the assessment necessary to protect their equities in the old company. If things go on much longer in this way, they will be literally frozen out just as the company may begin to pay.'"

In this connection, Mr. Cottler referred to a statement contained in the last annual report of the Third Avenue Railway Company, which said:

"It would not, therefore, be honest to pay a dividend until the time when the proposed plan is such that it will not be a source of depreciation will thereafter cause its value over and above the ordinary maintenance, and further until the effect of the new subway on our earnings has been ascertained."

As the new subways were never intended to be opened before Jan. 1, 1917, and as it is admitted now that there is no hope of their being in operation for a year or more after that date, Mr. Cottler considers that this statement by the company is misleading. He pointed out for his stockholders, it postpones almost indefinitely the date of putting the Third Avenue line on a paying basis, and is calculated, Mr. Cottler says, to encourage those who are hanging on to their holdings only with the greatest difficulty.

The deals to which Mr. Cottler intends to call attention, and on which he wants the fullest information, are the purchase of the old Twenty-eighth Street line, now the Mid-Cross-town Company, now the Belt Line Corporation, and the New York City Interborough Company.

"The Twenty-eighth Street line was one of the subsidiaries of the old Metropolitan Railway, which was sold out by the receivers as worthless. It was then a horse-car line, and Mr. Whitridge acquired it as part of his system. He went before the Public Service Commission and asked for \$500,000 a year for the line."

Rejected Whitridge Purchase Plan. The commission went into the question of the cost of reproducing the line and found it amounted only to \$170,000, and into its earnings, and ascertained that in the four years it had lost \$100,000, or about \$40,000 a year. Consequently they declared that to authorize and stamp with the approval of the State of New York such a deal as Mr. Whitridge had proposed would be to sanction "the very same kind of mismanagement which have brought a great railroad system in New England to the verge of financial disaster."

So they ruled that the Third Avenue might give \$150,000 for the line, and as bonds were selling at 80, they might issue \$187,000 of them, providing proper means for their complete amortization were provided. But while Mr. Whitridge only issued such bonds as the commission permitted, Mr. Cottler complains that he caused the Third Avenue Railway Company to issue its notes for the difference between the price he had proposed and the price the commission approved. Over the note issues of the Third Avenue Company the commission had no control, and so the Directors of the Third Avenue could do as they liked about them.

Mr. Cottler does not seem to me, as I told Mr. Whitridge, "Mr. Cottler said last night, 'that he had made a necessary purchase at a necessary price. Of course, there was talk of the value of getting a connection for the Third Avenue to the Pennsylvania Station, but paralleling Twenty-eighth Street is the Sixty-fourth Street line, which goes directly to the station, and I cannot believe that we shall develop much traffic in this way. Other companies had abandoned the line as useless, and it cannot see where the profit comes in.'"

Bought Lines Over Shouts of Head. In the Belt Line case the Third Avenue paid Edward Cornell for the Fifty-ninth Street line and the Belt Line, running down the east side west side of the city, about \$2,470,000, whereby Mr. Cornell, according to what Commissioner of Railroads told Mr. Cottler, made a profit of at least \$300,000.

When the old Central Park Company was put up for auction at foreclosure sale it was expected that The New York City Interborough Company, which had bought the line, would buy it in the open market. He was on the scene, and he saw the checks and a proceeding was in progress at the Public Service Commission to clear up certain formalities to make the purchase legal. Then, at the last moment, Mr. Cornell, a traction circles, intervened and bought the line over Mr. Shonts's head.

A few weeks of negotiation, it was announced that the Third Avenue Railway Company would take the Belt Line Corporation over. Mr. Cornell's company was not so certain about the value of the Belt Line, and Mr. Cottler said last night, "but it is clear that the Third Avenue has been obliged to pay more for it in this way than it would have if it had bought it at the auction instead of from Mr. Cornell. When I asked Mr. Whitridge about it he admitted that he had made a mistake, but why should a man getting a salary of \$60,000 a year make such mistakes? He has no business to be asleep."

His other company in question is the New York City Interborough Company, which is a street railway concern running across the Bronx to connect the Harlem and the city lines. But Mr. Whitridge himself sold the line to the Third Avenue. He possessed the property as a stockholder, partly through the purchase of the stock as an intermediary, and partly as a trustee. Mr. Whitridge testified that he had nothing out of it, and that he had

was merely acting as an agent for others. "I only want to say in connection with this," said Mr. Cottler, "that I think Mr. Whitridge owes it to us to give the fullest possible information about it. He ought to show us his authorization for every one of the transactions involved and to point out how he received instructions from his Board of Directors. The day is gone by when people looked with indulgence on men who were at once buyers and sellers, but I am only asking for information."

Wants Whitridge to Cut His Pay. Mr. Cottler has suggested that pending the payment of dividends Mr. Whitridge should consent to cut his salary from \$60,000 to \$25,000 a year. When these matters were referred to Mr. Whitridge last night he said:

"The trouble with these men is that they want to get dividends and the company can't afford to pay them. But what about the \$2,000,000 surplus?" he was asked.

"We have a certain amount of money put by to pay taxes and to meet depreciation and contingencies, and so on, but we have no real surplus. My view is that we should not pay any dividend until we have money in the bank which there are no other liens, and that we should not issue any bonds unless we purchase with them property which will bring in further income."

But the stockholders are worried by your statement concerning the subway. "Well, I didn't know then that the subway would not be open in January, 1917," he replied. "I just believed what I was told, and that's why I mentioned them."

Then the different purchases complained of by Mr. Cottler were brought up by Mr. Whitridge's attention, and he said:

"Well, I bought one line and Mr. Cottler says I made a mistake and I didn't buy another, and he says that was a mistake. What am I to do? The sort of mistake that the commission of the New York City Interborough was such that he could not help acting as intermediary, and that for the completion of the line, the Clason Point Road, he had been obliged to provide the money out of his own pocket, and that was how it came the intermediary."

In fact, what these men want," Mr. Whitridge said in answer to the payment of dividends before we earn them, and then the issue of bonds to get us out of the hole. That is the sort of finance which ruined the Metropolitan, and we have outgrown it in this town."

HARTMAN SEIZED IN \$700,000 FRAUD

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But she did not know this, she continued, until much later, and accepted at the time his explanation that his lawyer, who had the securities, was ill and unable to collect the dividends for him. As the weeks passed Mrs. Mackenzie began to worry, and last April she went to Morris & Plante, lawyers at 27 Pine Street. When the attorneys found that Hartman had no money, they turned their evidence over to the District Attorney's office.

Assistant District Attorney Walter R. Deuel was assigned to the inquiry, and he had just about completed it day before yesterday, when he received information of Hartman's intended sailing. The case was rushed before the Grand Jury, and late Monday afternoon Judge Mulqueen of the Court of General Sessions signed a warrant for Hartman's arrest.

When arrested Hartman refused to talk about the charge. He engaged Hartford T. Marshall of 34 West Street as his counsel, and Mr. Marshall likewise refused to discuss the case, saying that he had not had time to familiarize himself with it. At Police Headquarters Hartman said he was 47 years old, lived in Tenafly, N. J., and had no place of business.

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RICH BROTHERS BAR CHAUFFEUR'S BRIDE

Say Elizabeth Coppell Forfeited Her Right to Family Mansion by Marrying.

POLICEMEN GUARD HOUSE

Elopers Leave Atlantic City to Escape Notoriety—Return to Tenafly, N. J., in Doubt.

If Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Connors return to Tenafly, N. J., the bride, who was Miss Elizabeth C. Coppell until she married her chauffeur last April, will find the Towers, the Coppell family mansion, closed to her. Her brothers, Arthur and Herbert Coppell, have paid off the servants and practically closed the house, putting two policemen on guard there with instructions to bar the former mistress of the place and her husband.

The brothers said that by the will of their father the mansion was to be their sister's home only so long as she remained single, and now that she has married it reverts to the estate.

Mrs. Connors may enter the house if she insists, the brothers say, but presumably only to get her personal property, for Connors is barred absolutely. The bride also may remove her automobile from the garage, the brothers having notified the policemen that this was her personal property.

Until yesterday none of Mrs. Connors's family knew of her marriage, though for weeks it had been the gossip of Tenafly.

The Treasury Leslie M. Shaw and the Russian Government.

In Tyson Ticket Scandal.

After sinking large sums of money in various enterprises Hartman became the President of Tyson & Co. in the Spring of 1913. On Nov. 14 of the same year the New York Times printed the news that Tyson & Co., which is not the same corporation as the Tyson Company, had paid \$150,000 worth of season tickets to the Metropolitan Opera, for which subscribers had paid, and that he had authorized him to collect from the Metropolitan Ticket Company. The money borrowed from the trust company was used by the ticket brokerage firm to buy more tickets.

A sensation was caused by the Times's exposure, and at once the District Attorney's office took steps against Hartman and Tyson & Co. The company was charged with larceny, and Hartman was threatened with indictment. Then suddenly the pledged tickets were redeemed, and the case against Tyson & Co. was not pressed. Shortly afterward the company was reorganized, and Hartman's connection with it was severed.

About the same time that he became involved in the ticket scandal, Hartman paid several other large obligations and attempted to promote the manufacture of a cleaning compound called "Dust-roy." The promotion failed. Hartman was arrested last June on a charge of perjury perjured by Harold G. Aron, senior member of the firm of Aron & Vanderveer, 30 Pine Street. He made accusations of unprofessional conduct against Mr. Aron, which he had not been able to substantiate. He was

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WARM ROOM LED HER TO VISIT CLERGYMAN

Mrs. Brashears, Suing for Slander, Tells Why She Went to His Apartment.

DEFENDANT A WOMAN OF 70

Admits She Told Protege of Report That Minister Asked Compliment to "Get Out."

The only reason in the world why Mrs. Marion W. Brashears visited the Rev. Mr. Baker's private apartment in a Portland (Ore.) boarding house was that his room was the warmest and comeliest in the place, while her own was insufficiently heated, she explained yesterday at the trial of her \$50,000 suit for slander before Judge Hand in the United States District Court. Mrs. Brashears is suing her one-time friend, Mrs. Susan W. Smith of Shelbyville, Ky., who, though more than 70 years old, she says, circulated scandalous stories of her conduct with the handsome young minister, all of which hurt her specially in Portland.

Mrs. Brashears, a handsome woman, was effective in a suit of green velvet trimmed with red fox and a toque to match. She was self-possessed, and testified with well-controlled expression. She is treasurer of the Fanny Tiro and Cushion Company of 111 Broadway, and in Portland in 1900 was engaged with Mrs. Smith in marketing the stock of her company. Incidentally, she declared, Mrs. Smith had sold only 137½ shares to her 1,500. Both lodged with Mrs. O. W. Denny, widow of a former Consul General at Shanghai and counsel to the Korean Government. There also lodged Mr. Baker.

Mrs. Smith testified regarding a statement to a protege of hers, Miss Mary A. Case, a contralto, who admitted on the stand that Mrs. Smith had practically adopted her and had educated her in this city, Boston, and Paris. The defendant admitted having said: "Mrs. Denny told me that Mrs. Taylor told her that she overheard Mr. Baker tell Mrs. Brashears: 'For Heaven's sake, get out of my room and stay out.'"

Mrs. Taylor was a friend of Mrs. Denny. In a deposition which was read, Mrs. Denny corroborated this testimony of Mrs. Smith. She also said: "On two occasions Mrs. Brashears was in the parlor with the Rev. Mr. Baker, and on each of these occasions Mrs. Brashears asked me if I would mind if she looked the door. I objected, but nevertheless, the door was locked. Then I decided to raise her rent, thinking Mrs. Brashears would not pay more, and the scheme worked. She left."

Mrs. Smith was sure that with the exception of her statement to the young woman she regarded practically as her daughter and who called her "Mommy," she had concealed no tales whatever about Mrs. Brashears.

BERKMAN OUT ON BAIL

Anarchist to Celebrate Anniversary of Attempt to Murder Frick.

Maztate Rimms in the Essex Market Court released Alexander Berkman, the anarchist, yesterday under \$10,000 bail to await action of the Grand Jury, after he had waived examination on a charge of felonious assault.

The charge, which grew out of the arrest of Berkman and four of his anarchist comrades, at Ninth Street and Second Avenue, on Monday, was made by Policeman Warner, who alleged that Berkman seized his nightstick while he was trying to arrest others of the party.

As he left the court Berkman said that tomorrow would be the twenty-first anniversary of his attempt to kill Henry C. Frick. He proposed to celebrate the anniversary, he said, by lecturing to anarchists in Pittsburgh, where he served fourteen years in prison. To keep this engagement, Berkman left for Pittsburgh last night. He said he would be back whenever the Grand Jury wanted him.

POLICE FINALLY GET 'PHANTOM' POOLROOM

Gamblers Moved Location from Day to Day, Hoping to Evade Detectives.

PHONETRAVELEDWITH THEM

Raid Made at Last Address, 599 Broadway, Results in Arrest of Seventy-five Men.

For more than a week detectives of Inspector Wakefield's staff had been hounds of a mysterious poolroom. Now it was reported here and now there until the police came to know it as the Phantom Poolroom. Every man who took up the chase could discover where the room had been the day before and could hear tales of his play, but not one of them could catch up with the elusive gamblers until Detective Costuma and Burnett, tracing the room from a loft in Eleventh Street, which it occupied on Saturday, to a place in Sixth Street, where the crowd met Monday, made friends with a man yesterday, who invited them to join the Old Van Rip Club.

It was the Phantom Poolroom, the detectives were satisfied, and playing the parts of out-of-town sports, they quickly accepted the invitation to join the club. Each received a membership card from his new acquaintance and each was told that the betting yesterday would be done in a rear left on the second floor of 599 Broadway, just south of Houston Street.

Costuma and Burnett were on hand and their cards obtained them ready admission to a half left, separated only by a six-foot partition from an embryo factory, where five girls worked

with needles while seventy-five men ragged, less than a dozen feet away, on the results at roulette. There was only one telephone in the room, and the detectives learned that a new loft was selected each day, arrangements made for the installation of a single telephone, and word of the new address and the necessary admission cards passed out to the faithful daily. They learned, too, that the lofts were hired for at least a week in advance so that there might be no interruption of the betting.

After they had made their bets one of the detectives slipped out and notified Inspector Wakefield. The latter summoned men from Church, Beach, Elizabeth, Macdougall, Mulberry, Charles, and Mercer Street stations, and with Capt. Donohue of the Macdougall Street Station and nine patrol wagons, he led them to the left building. They guarded the stairs, the elevator, the roof, fire escapes and rear yard, and then a dozen or so broke into the room. There were seventy-five men inside, and all were captured.

John Brown, who said he was a clerk of 614 Kelly Street, the Bronx, was charged with keeping and maintaining the place, and the others, charged with disorderly conduct, were packed into the patrol wagons and lugged off to the various precinct houses. According to the police, the Phantom poolroom has given them more trouble than any other single place ever operated in this city.

INQUIRY INTO WOODEN CARS.

Utilities Board Will Pass on Proposal to Bar Them in the Subway.

In the Subway the Interborough is operating 477 cars which are not constructed entirely of steel. Commissioner Cram brought this up yesterday at the meeting of the Public Service Commission and said that as in the last seven years only two of these had been replaced by steel cars it would at the same time be the next century before all these cars were retired from service. He suggested that a hearing be held to determine why the company should not at once substitute steel for composite cars.

Commissioner Williams pointed out that the old cars, of which Commissioner Cram complained, had steel frames and were sheathed with copper, so they could not be called wooden cars fairly. The commission set Monday, Nov. 30, as the date for a hearing on the subject, and suggested that the old cars turned out of the Subway might be used up on the elevated railroad extensions.

BROOKLYN CHEMIST KILLED BY A DRUG

Hermann Dann Found Dying in Locked Room in Camden, N. J., Hotel.

WAS ON BUSINESS TRIP

Had Been with Charles Pfizer & Co. for Fourteen Years Until a Few Weeks Ago.

Special to The New York Times.

CAMDEN, N. J., Nov. 10.—A man believed to be Hermann Dann of Brooklyn was found dying from an overdose of a drug in a room in the Vendis Hotel late this afternoon. He was rushed to the Hahnemann Hospital, where physicians vainly used a pump for fifteen minutes. Dann did not revive.

He registered at the hotel early this morning and was not seen after he went to his room. A maid tried to get into the room several times, and at 4 o'clock notified Manager Walsh, who had the door forced open.

In the man's pockets were found cards bearing the name of Hermann Dann, 923 Lincoln Place, Brooklyn, N. Y. He was about 40 years old, of medium height, and wore a blue coat, gray trousers, and black derby hat. The index finger of his left hand had been amputated.

Hermann Dann lived with his wife and son, William S. Dann, at 923 Lincoln Place, Brooklyn, and had been employed till a few weeks ago as an expert chemist in the factory of Charles Pfizer & Co., at 11 Bartlett Street, Brooklyn. Mrs. Dann said last night that he had left home on Monday for a business trip to Philadelphia, and that they had heard nothing from him until

the news of his death reached them yesterday afternoon. He was in good health and spirits when he left, she asserted. His son informed, however, that he had been in poor health for some time past. The son left for Camden immediately on hearing of his father's death.

GOVERNORS IN CONFERENCE

Laws for Incorporation of Land Banks Urged by Committee.

MADISON, Wis., Nov. 10.—Incorporation of land mortgage banks under both State and Federal laws was favored today by the Committee on Rural Credits of the Governors' Conference. The committee's report, presented by Gov. Emmet O'Neal of Alabama, recommended uniform legislation regarding registration of land titles, foreclosure and taxation of mortgages, around which much confusion now centres. The Torrens land title system was endorsed.

Uniformity along these lines, Gov. O'Neal said, would give the farmer access to funds of savings banks, trust funds under the control of courts, and a reserve of large insurance companies. In this outcome he saw the one great opportunity for the farmers of America to obtain adequate funds for agricultural development. He recommended that the conference appoint a subcommittee to prepare a new Federal bill to meet the conditions and defects as he outlined them.

The State should extend adequate credit to settlers, Gov. A. O. Eberhart of Minnesota said, just as in a Commonwealth public funds are loaned to municipalities and schools. He saw "great difficulties" in the way of a uniform system of rural credits owing to the varying rates of interest in different sections. Mayor John Purroy Mitchell of New York telegraphed to urge the Governors to consider adopting a "relation of State to municipality" as the general subject for discussion at the 1915 conference. He suggested that the conference be held at San Francisco, and that it join with a national conference of Mayors to consider this subject. Gov. Walsh of Massachusetts was among the arrivals tonight.

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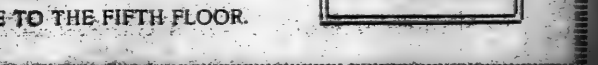
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WHITMAN ASKS MEN TO ACCEPT BIG JOBS

Hasn't Yet Decided Upon Any
Appointments, but Has
Offered Places.

TANNER AS HARMONIZER

State Chairman. Expects to See
Hatchets Buried at December
Meeting of Committee.

One outcome of the Republican victory in this State will be a determined effort to harmonize the factions in the Republican State organization, if possible, on a "progressive" basis, under the leadership of Gov.-elect Charles B. Whitman, Frederick C. Tanner, Chairman of the Republican State Committee, and himself a Republican of the "progressive" type, said yesterday that the work was already under way with prospects of success and that he hoped to see the factional hatchets buried for good at a meeting of the Republican State Committee and the Republican County Chairmen which he expects to call for the first week in December.

The fact that ex-Chairman William Barnes, when he declared his intention not to seek re-election to the Republican State Committee, virtually eliminated himself as a cause for contention, has made the work of peacemaking a great deal easier than it would have been otherwise.

Mr. Barnes, it was learned yesterday, intends to take up his residence in this city and devote himself in the nearest future to building up the national organization of the Republican Party along lines similar to those he followed in rebuilding the Republican organization in this State. Mr. Whitman, also, who admittedly received the support of Republicans regardless of faction, it is expected, will be a strong factor in the movement to bring the warring factions together behind a "progressive" Republican program.

Gov.-elect Whitman has received assurances from nearly all the "Old Guard" leaders in the Republican organization that they will lift no finger to hinder any reform programme he may care to initiate at Albany. It was on the opposition of leaders like William Barnes, Francis Hendricks, George M. Hughes, and others of the "Old Guard" that many of the reforms Charles B. Hughes, when he was Governor, sought to inaugurate in this State failed.

Mr. Whitman said last night that he was prepared to announce any appointments as yet, but admitted that he had approached a number of high-class men whom he desired to appoint to administrative positions in his administration. While Mr. Whitman admitted having offered places to several men, he declared that not a single appointment had been decided upon as yet.

"I do not think," said Mr. Tanner last night, "that there will be any wholesale throwing out of Democratic office holders as they have been in the past. I think I know Mr. Whitman well enough to state that he will do nothing of the kind. He is a man who might suggest patronage grabbing. There will be plenty of time for Mr. Whitman to carry out his scheme of house cleaning in an orderly and deliberate manner. I am assured that Mr. Whitman just now is giving more thought to his legislative programme than he is to providing jobs for office seekers."

SWORN IN FOR CANVASS.

Aldermen Begin Work on Vote To-day—Budget Received.

The Aldermen were sworn in by County Clerk Schneider at noon yesterday as a Board of County Canvassers to canvass the vote cast at the recent election. Alderman Charles Delaney was made Chairman, a position he has held for twelve years. The canvass will begin this morning at 10:30 o'clock in the Aldermanic Chamber.

At 1 o'clock the Aldermen met in special session at the call of the Mayor to receive the tax budget as passed by the Board of Estimate. They have twenty days to consider the budget, which was referred to the Finance Committee. It was announced the committee would hold public hearings regarding it beginning tomorrow at 10:30 A.

That the Aldermen intend to investigate thoroughly the increases in the salaries of George F. Tuttle and Tilden Adamson, heads of the Board of Estimate bureau that standardized salaries, was evidenced by a unanimous vote in favor of a motion by Alderman Dowling to have printed in The City Record the details as to individual salaries.

RUSH ASKS INVESTIGATION.

Surveyor Denies He Furnished List for Campaign Bagmen.

Thomas E. Rush, Surveyor of the Port, has demanded investigations by both the Federal Civil Service Commission and the Federal Grand Jury of the charges that he was instrumental in furnishing to Tammany's Campaign Committee complete lists of the employees in his department to facilitate the collection from them of campaign contributions. Mr. Rush denied knowledge of the means by which such lists reached Tammany, and United States District Attorney M. Snowden Marshall, to whom Mr. Rush made his demands for an investigation in writing, said that he would conduct an inquiry to determine if the employees of the State or Federal civil service employees is punishable by the imprisonment of both Congressmen George W. Loft, Chairman of the Tammany Campaign Committee, whose name was placed in circular letters, asking for contributions from Surveyor Rush's staff, said yesterday.

The letters were sent out by mailing agencies hired by the committee.

BARNES'S PAPER LOSES SUIT

Albany Evening Journal Must Refund \$6,749.86 to State.

ALBANY, Nov. 10.—The Albany Evening Journal, published by a company of which William Barnes, Jr., ex-Chairman of the Republican State Committee, is President, must refund to the State \$6,749.86, the Court of Appeals decided today. The Journal sought both the State and the county for the same insertion of public notices and the State sued to recover all costs and costs of the suit received by the paper for such publication during the last two years.

The action was started after the investigation of Albany city and county by a committee of the Senate several years ago.

HOW CONGRESS WILL LINE UP

Clerk of House Compiles List Showing 228 Democrats, a Majority of 21.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 10.—An unofficial list of Representatives-elect to the next Congress was completed today by South Trimble, Clerk of the House of Representatives, and sent to the public. The compilation, not verified, is given for information of Congress, given: Democrats, 228; Republicans, 103; Progressives, 1; Independent, 1; Socialist, 1. Total, 333.

The names of C. C. Van Dyke of St. Paul, (Democratic), as the successor of Representative Fred C. Steiwer of Minnesota, a Republican, and W. E. Williams, (Democratic), who succeeds himself as Representative at large from Illinois, among the eleventh-hour additions to the list.

MAY REOPEN MARCONI CASE.

Segar and His Lawyer Want to Answer Blackmail Charge.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. LONDON, Nov. 10.—The Marconi shares action produced an unexpected development in the High Court of Justice today. When the case was adjourned last week there were many references to blackmail, which arose out of alleged pressure on the part of Samuel Segar, who claims \$42,000 from Godfrey Isaac, Managing Director of the Marconi Wireless Telegraph Company, which in the purchase of shares in the English and American Marconi Companies. Mr. Segar says Mr. Isaac asked verbally to recoup him for his loss.

The action stood adjourned until today for the final stages of counsel's speeches and the court's judgment. "When the case was called, however, Judge Scott posted the court by asking that the trial be reopened in order that he might produce evidence on suggestions of blackmail against Mr. Segar and Sir Thomas H. D. Berridge, his lawyer. He referred to the Judge's remarks last week and the suggestion on Godfrey Isaac's side that the case was a blackmailing action. The submission then was that a contract for an illegal consideration was made by the defendant to take the plaintiff's shares in consideration of Mr. Segar's promise not to give evidence.

Counsel submitted that there was no evidence to support a charge of blackmail, but, in view of the gravity of the charges, he asked that the court order the reopening of the trial so that Mr. Segar might produce evidence as to misrepresentation of the charges. The Judge was told that he held the reputation of the two men concerned in his hands. Against them the gravest charges that could be submitted were laid.

The court decided to take time to consider this unusual request, adjourning the case until tomorrow.

CITY BANK IN ARGENTINA.

Buenos Aires Welcomes American Invasion with Liberal Deports.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. BUENOS AIRES, Nov. 10.—The opening of the branch of the National City Bank was most satisfactory. Many deposits were received. Conditions seem to be most auspicious, indicating a new era in American commerce.

STALLION HAS PRIVATE CAR.

Quarantine Bar Against Landing Beast Here Is Overcome.

Borough Cornishman left New York yesterday by water in a private car, bound for Sadorus, Ill., and he is making the journey that way because he is the kind of immigrant that cannot land either in New York or in New Jersey just now because of the foot and mouth disease quarantine. Borough Cornishman is a stallion, and his journey to Sadorus, from the Atlantic Transport Line pier will cost his owner, Clifton Chambers of Sadorus, \$275.

The stallion cost \$3,000 in England, and he was brought over through Wells, Fargo & Co. W. O. Heffernan, special agent of the express company, received a telegram about ten days ago from Mr. Chambers telling that the animal was coming over on the Minnabha, and requesting him to see that he was transhipped promptly. A later telegram reported that Borough Cornishman was coming on the Menominee, and he was on that ship when she reached her pier Monday afternoon.

Mr. Heffernan wired the owner that the stallion could not be landed either in New York or on the Hoboken side of the North River and that the only way to clear the animal would be to charter a horse car, put the horse in it, seal it up, take it over to Jersey City, and send it by through freight. Yesterday morning early came a reply to ship Borough Cornishman in that way. So the accommodation for nineteen other horses in the car was knocked down, and with a messenger from the company to act as his valet on the way the stallion was ferried over the river, and his private car attached to a train.

FRACTIOUS GOAT IMPOUNDED

Updates Policeman and Drives Crowd Out of Harlem Market.

A large goat, of the type euphemistically known as William, was taken into custody yesterday by Policeman Fallon of the East 104th Street Station, who preferred charges of disorderly conduct, disturbing the peace, and resisting arrest.

Fallon was standing in the middle of First Avenue, near Ninety-eighth Street, when the goat slipped up from the rear and made an unprovoked attack on him, upsetting him completely. The goat then charged on into the Harlem Market, overturning peddlers' carts and driving people out of that flourishing mart in a "headlong" dash for cover.

Fallon pursued undauntedly, cornered the goat at Second Avenue and 100th Street, and got a rope around his horns; but the goat contemptuously refused to accompany him, and Policeman Gowan had to be summoned to assist in the removal of the prisoner to the station. Lieut. Shevlin ordered the goat taken to the pound at Twenty-fourth Street and Avenue A.

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Imported Sweaters and Wool Reefers, \$3.50, 4.50, 5.00 upwards.

Full Dress Shirts, \$1.50, 2.00, 2.50 to 6.50.

Negligee Shirts for street and outing wear, \$1.50, 2.00, 2.50 to 6.00.

Pajamas and Night Shirts, \$1.00, 1.50, 2.00, 2.50 to 10.50.

Underwear and Hosiery, .50, .75, \$1.00, 1.50.

McCutcheon's Special Collars at \$2.75 doz.

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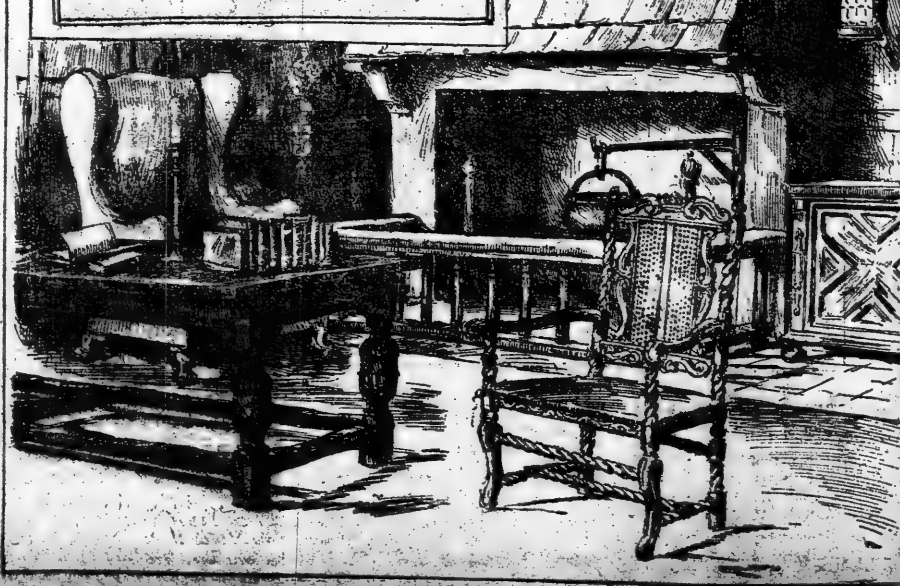
The Quaintnesses of By-gone Days

THE fragrant memories of some dusky panelled room in such an Old English House as that which enriched our literature with Irving's Bracebridge Hall may aptly recur to us in our search for the fit furnishings of the modern Living Room.

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HERBERT YOST EXCELS
Some Charming and Expert Playing
Done in a Hazy Written Com-
edy by Harold Chapin.

The Punch & Judy Theatre, the newest and one of the tiniest playhouses in New York, was thrown wide to the public last evening when the director of the enterprise, Charles Hopkins, presented as his inaugural offering a play of quaint and appropriate character called "The Marriage of Columbine." The author is Harold Chapin and his play, a four-act comedy touched with the spirit of fantasy.

Everything in the new theatre, from the smallest, blue-frocked Elizabethan distributing playbills at the inviting entrance to the smallest detail of the carefully made production, reflects the quiet presence of a most discriminating taste that gives promise of good things to come under the roof of the Punch & Judy. In fact, everything is right at the new playhouse except the play. For all its considerable charm and possession of much that is sure to please, "The Marriage of Columbine" is a trifling thing.

A cushion of pause seems to have afflicted Mr. Chapin in the writing of the play, which is a comedy of the most unassuming quality of an unfinished sketch, as though its manuscript had been waiting for a more determined hand to sharpen its outlines and to distribute its values. At its clearest, the play is a comedy of the most unassuming quality of an unfinished sketch, as though its manuscript had been waiting for a more determined hand to sharpen its outlines and to distribute its values.

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The wedding of Lyman Northrop Hine, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis L. Hine, and Miss Sibyl E. Young, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward E. Young, formerly of Jersey City, but now of New York, took place yesterday at St. Thomas's Church at 4 o'clock.

The bride wore a white satin gown with a skirt bordered with seed pearls and over this came an almost straight metal dress of white satin, also bordered with seed pearls. The short sleeves were pointed at the ends and edged with black lace. The long tulle veil, which completely covered the face, was held in place by a crown of pearls.

The groom wore a white tuxedo with a white shirt and a white bow tie. The wedding was officiated by Rev. Dr. Stires, assisted by Rev. Dr. Stoddard. The bridesmaids were Misses Mary and Elizabeth Hine, and the flower girls were Misses Mary and Elizabeth Hine.

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Is Sure Suffrage Has Won, for
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SEEK DEMOCRATIC AID
Great Conference at Chattanooga
Wants the Party to Declare
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Special to The New York Times.
CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Nov. 10.—Mrs. O. H. Belmont of New York and Miss Charlotte Frankfort of London were the principal figures at the Southern States Suffrage Conference, which opened here today.

In her address tonight Mrs. Belmont called attention to the fact that she was a native of the South and asserted that the women of the South had given an impetus to the suffrage movement. Mrs. Belmont dwelt at some length upon the work of the women of the South.

"There are sections in Europe where women have actually been called upon to do the work of men," she said. "It is possible that when the struggle is over and the destinies of the world are being decided, the women of the South will be called upon to do the work of men."

"We have progressed so far that we are now in a position to demand the right of suffrage for women," she said. "We are now in a position to demand the right of suffrage for women."

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Deaths.
WHITNEY.—At his residence, 10 Poplar St., Brooklyn, on Tuesday, Nov. 9, 1914, Daniel D. Whitney, a funeral service at Sands Street, Brooklyn, at 2 P. M. on Wednesday, Nov. 12, at 2 o'clock.

Deaths.
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VESSELS CHANGE TO AMERICAN FLAG

285,268 Gross Tons Added to Merchant Marine Under the Law of Last August.

SIXTY-EIGHT WERE BRITISH

And Nineteen are Passenger Vessels—The List with Tonnage and Former Nationality.

Special to The New York Times. WASHINGTON, Nov. 10.—Eighty-one vessels, built vessels, of 285,268 gross tons, have been admitted to American registry under the act of Aug. 18, according to a detailed statement prepared today for THE NEW YORK TIMES by Eugene T. Chamberlain, Commissioner of Navigation. Nineteen of the vessels are passenger steamships, while sixty-one are freight vessels. One freighter, the Suriname, was burned at Watling Island, Bahamas, on Sept. 23 last.

In the following list of the vessels (A) indicates passenger vessels, (B) freight vessels, (C) coastwise registry, (D) American Consul, (E) burned at Watling Island, Bahamas, Sept. 23, 1914; (F) schooner registered, and (G) name changed to E. R. Sterling:

Vessel.	Former Nationality.	Gross Tonnage.
Oceanic, (A), (B), (C), (D), (E), (F), (G), (H), (I), (J), (K), (L), (M), (N), (O), (P), (Q), (R), (S), (T), (U), (V), (W), (X), (Y), (Z), (AA), (AB), (AC), (AD), (AE), (AF), (AG), (AH), (AI), (AJ), (AK), (AL), (AM), (AN), (AO), (AP), (AQ), (AR), (AS), (AT), (AU), (AV), (AW), (AX), (AY), (AZ), (BA), (BB), (BC), (BD), (BE), (BF), (BG), (BH), (BI), (BJ), (BK), (BL), (BM), (BN), (BO), (BP), (BQ), (BR), (BS), (BT), (BU), (BV), (BW), (BX), (BY), (BZ), (CA), (CB), (CC), (CD), (CE), (CF), (CG), (CH), (CI), (CJ), (CK), (CL), (CM), (CN), (CO), (CP), (CQ), (CR), (CS), (CT), (CU), (CV), (CW), (CX), (CY), (CZ), (DA), (DB), (DC), (DD), (DE), (DF), (DG), (DH), (DI), (DJ), (DK), (DL), (DM), (DN), (DO), (DP), (DQ), (DR), (DS), (DT), (DU), (DV), (DW), (DX), (DY), (DZ), (EA), (EB), (EC), (ED), (EE), (EF), (EG), (EH), (EI), (EJ), (EK), (EL), (EM), (EN), (EO), (EP), (EQ), (ER), (ES), (ET), (EU), (EV), (EW), (EX), (EY), (EZ), (FA), (FB), (FC), (FD), (FE), (FF), (FG), (FH), (FI), (FJ), (FK), (FL), (FM), (FN), (FO), (FP), (FQ), (FR), (FS), (FT), (FU), (FV), (FW), (FX), (FY), (FZ), (GA), (GB), (GC), (GD), (GE), (GF), (GG), (GH), (GI), (GJ), (GK), (GL), (GM), (GN), (GO), (GP), (GQ), (GR), (GS), (GT), (GU), (GV), (GW), (GX), (GY), (GZ), (HA), (HB), (HC), (HD), (HE), (HF), (HG), (HH), (HI), (HJ), (HK), (HL), (HM), (HN), (HO), (HP), (HQ), (HR), (HS), (HT), (HU), (HV), (HW), (HX), (HY), (HZ), (IA), (IB), (IC), (ID), (IE), (IF), (IG), (IH), (II), (IJ), (IK), (IL), (IM), (IN), (IO), (IP), (IQ), (IR), (IS), (IT), (IU), (IV), (IW), (IX), (IY), (IZ), (JA), (JB), (JC), (JD), (JE), (JF), (JG), (JH), (JI), (JJ), (JK), (JL), (JM), (JN), (JO), (JP), (JQ), (JR), (JS), (JT), (JU), (JV), (JW), (JX), (JY), (JZ), (KA), (KB), (KC), (KD), (KE), (KF), (KG), (KH), (KI), (KJ), (KK), (KL), (KM), (KN), (KO), (KP), (KQ), (KR), (KS), (KT), (KU), (KV), (KW), (KX), (KY), (KZ), (LA), (LB), (LC), (LD), (LE), (LF), (LG), (LH), (LI), (LJ), (LK), (LL), (LM), (LN), (LO), (LP), (LQ), (LR), (LS), (LT), (LU), (LV), (LW), (LX), (LY), (LZ), (MA), (MB), (MC), (MD), (ME), (MF), (MG), (MH), (MI), (MJ), (MK), (ML), (MN), (MO), (MP), (MQ), (MR), (MS), (MT), (MU), (MV), (MW), (MX), (MY), (MZ), (NA), (NB), (NC), (ND), (NE), (NF), (NG), (NH), (NI), (NJ), (NK), (NL), (NM), (NO), (NP), (NQ), (NR), (NS), (NT), (NU), (NV), (NW), (NX), (NY), (NZ), (OA), (OB), (OC), (OD), (OE), (OF), (OG), (OH), (OI), (OJ), (OK), (OL), (OM), (ON), (OO), (OP), (OQ), (OR), (OS), (OT), (OU), (OV), (OW), (OX), (OY), (OZ), (PA), (PB), (PC), (PD), (PE), (PF), (PG), (PH), (PI), (PJ), (PK), (PL), (PM), (PN), (PO), (PP), (PQ), (PR), (PS), (PT), (PU), (PV), (PW), (PX), (PY), (PZ), (QA), (QB), (QC), (QD), (QE), (QF), (QG), (QH), (QI), (QJ), (QK), (QL), (QM), (QN), (QO), (QP), (QQ), (QR), (QS), (QT), (QU), (QV), (QW), (QX), (QY), (QZ), (RA), (RB), (RC), (RD), (RE), (RF), (RG), (RH), (RI), (RJ), (RK), (RL), (RM), (RN), (RO), (RP), (RQ), (RR), (RS), (RT), (RU), (RV), (RW), (RX), (RY), (RZ), (SA), (SB), (SC), (SD), (SE), (SF), (SG), (SH), (SI), (SJ), (SK), (SL), (SM), (SN), (SO), (SP), (SQ), (SR), (SS), (ST), (SU), (SV), (SW), (SX), (SY), (SZ), (TA), (TB), (TC), (TD), (TE), (TF), (TG), (TH), (TI), (TJ), (TK), (TL), (TM), (TN), (TO), (TP), (TQ), (TR), (TS), (TT), (TU), (TV), (TW), (TX), (TY), (TZ), (UA), (UB), (UC), (UD), (UE), (UF), (UG), (UH), (UI), (UJ), (UK), (UL), (UM), (UN), (UO), (UP), (UQ), (UR), (US), (UT), (UU), (UV), (UW), (UX), (UY), (UZ), (VA), (VB), (VC), (VD), (VE), (VF), (VG), (VH), (VI), (VJ), (VK), (VL), (VM), (VN), (VO), (VP), (VQ), (VR), (VS), (VT), (VU), (VV), (VW), (VX), (VY), (VZ), (WA), (WB), (WC), (WD), (WE), (WF), (WG), (WH), (WI), (WJ), (WK), (WL), (WM), (WN), (WO), (WP), (WQ), (WR), (WS), (WT), (WU), (WV), (WW), (WX), (WY), (WZ), (XA), (XB), (XC), (XD), (XE), (XF), (XG), (XH), (XI), (XJ), (XK), (XL), (XM), (XN), (XO), (XP), (XQ), (XR), (XS), (XT), (XU), (XV), (XW), (XX), (XY), (XZ), (YA), (YB), (YC), (YD), (YE), (YF), (YG), (YH), (YI), (YJ), (YK), (YL), (YM), (YN), (YO), (YP), (YQ), (YR), (YS), (YT), (YU), (YV), (YW), (YX), (YY), (YZ), (ZA), (ZB), (ZC), (ZD), (ZE), (ZF), (ZG), (ZH), (ZI), (ZJ), (ZK), (ZL), (ZM), (ZN), (ZO), (ZP), (ZQ), (ZR), (ZS), (ZT), (ZU), (ZV), (ZW), (ZX), (ZY), (ZZ).	British British	

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Jersey City Takes Heroic Measures to Prevent an Epidemic.

SENSE AWARING TO MRS. SULLIVAN

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The investigation being made by the Kings County Grand Jury into the factors enjoyed by David A. Sullivan, the Union Bank wrecker, since he has been an inmate of Sing Sing, centered yesterday in efforts made by District Attorney Cropsey to learn the whereabouts of Mrs. Sullivan, the convict's wife.

Mr. Cropsey learned that on Oct. 24, the day that Assistant District Attorney Louis Goldstein visited Sing Sing to interrogate Sullivan and failed in his mission because of the attitude of certain prison officials there, some one telephoned from Ossining to Mrs. Sullivan in Brooklyn and to Miss Burkhardt, Sullivan's former secretary, at her home in Yonkers. Now the District Attorney is trying to find out who the person was who warned the two women that he had begun his investigation, and thereby enabled them to elude his search.

Records of these telephone messages are now in the possession of the Kings County prosecutor. He attaches considerable significance to them, because they show that both women received the telephone communications about 7 o'clock on the evening of Oct. 24, in other words, at the same time as the prison. The telephone messages were sent from the telephone exchange in Main Street, near the Albany Post Road, which is about seven minutes' walk from the prison.

SOCIAL WORK FOR POLICE.

Commissioner Will Have Them Look Up the Unemployed.

Police Commissioner Arthur Woods, in address before the Harlem Board of Commerce, at Lenox Avenue and 125th Street, told last night how he intended to make a social worker of the policeman this winter in dealing with the unemployed.

"Because of the war," he said, "the number of unemployed will probably be greater than ever and the situation is likely to become acute this winter. One way by which I hope to better conditions is by having policemen inquire into the case of every unemployed man that comes to their attention, and what the man can do, make notes of the facts regarding the case, and bring the man into touch with some charitable organization that will endeavor to find employment for him."

NEW GRADES FOR CONVICTS.

Classification Hereafter Will Be Gauged by Prisoner's Conduct.

Today a new system of classification of convicts in the various penal institutions of the State goes into effect. The old system of grading the prisoners in three classes is retained, but instead of making the classification depend on a man's criminal record, with first offenders in the first class, second offenders in the second, and confirmed criminals in the third, the subdivision into which a man is now put depends on his behavior after he comes to the prison.

COTTON RELIEF CHARTERED

Corporation Will Take Over and Dispose of Long Contracts.

The Cotton Trading Corporation, an organization formed in the Cotton Exchange to assist in the liquidation of outstanding contracts, has been incorporated and will be ready for business when the Exchange reopens.

LONDON PLANS FOR STOCKS.

Committee Makes No Decision as to Reopening of Exchange.

LONDON, Wednesday, Nov. 11.—A special committee of the Stock Exchange held a meeting yesterday, but no decision was reached concerning the reopening of the Exchange. The committee decided to keep the matter open for another meeting on Nov. 12.

CITY BREVITIES.

A petition signed by hundreds of citizens of the city, asking for the creation of a new ward in the city, was presented to the Board of Aldermen yesterday.

LAMAR GETS ONE BALL BOND.

Puts Up \$10,000, but is Still in Tomb, Lacking \$20,000.

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FINANCIAL MARKETS

Trade Movements and the
Money Market—Exchange
Rates Recede.

Cumulative evidence of the improvement in the banking situation was presented today by side-by-side comparison of the banking situation with additional information bearing on the extent to which industrial and commercial transactions have been affected by the handicaps imposed by the war accentuating other factors. The monthly statement of unfilled orders of the United States Steel Corporation showed a decrease of 238,000 tons, bringing the orders on the corporation's books to the lowest figure recorded since June, 1911. There was also made public the fortnightly statement of the American Railway Association, showing an increase of 18,000 in the number of idle freight cars.

This is the season at which there is usually large demand for freight equipment, owing to the crop movement, and a sharp contrast with this usual condition is presented by the fact that the railroads now report a total of 170,000 idle cars. There has, of course, been a large grain export movement, but the cotton movement has been greatly retarded, and such figures as the Steel Corporation's unfilled order statement, the weekly bank clearings, and other signs of the volume of business, suggest a falling off in the amount of general business offering to the railroads. This is accepted as an inevitable result of the dislocation caused by the European war, but in such a situation much comfort is to be found in the fact that the money situation, which bears such an important relation to trade, is rapidly righting itself. Indeed, for some time interest rates have been close to rates which would be considered normal in ordinary times of active demand for money, and the tendency is still downward. People are saving, and that entails momentary trade disadvantage while promising well for the future.

Events which bear on the freedom of trade movements are important and a good deal of interest was aroused, therefore, in the latest news of the defeat of the German cruiser which had been so active in interfering with British commerce in the Indian Ocean. That has had direct reflection in certain business lines here. Foreign exchange rates were easier yesterday. Sterling exchange was lower, and marks sold below any figure previously quoted. It would appear that a considerable volume of goods is finding its way into Germany, through which the credits are created against which drafts are now being drawn in sufficient volume to keep the German exchange rate far below normal.

There was a good deal of discussion in the financial district yesterday of reported loans by London to New York borrowers, but the fact is that a good many borrowers here have had no difficulty in renewing loans in London since the outbreak of the war. The fact that money is plentiful in the London market is sufficiently attested by the low rates for discount and for day-to-day loans. The fact has been made doubly clear through the disincorporation of some London bankers to whom advances payment of debts owed them by some of our bankers.

MONEY AND EXCHANGE.

Call money: new loans, 5/8 per cent. according to terms; standing loans, 6/8 per cent.

Time money, 5/16 per cent. for sixty days, to five months, and 5/8 per cent. for six months. Mercantile paper was quoted at 5/16 per cent. for the best names.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE RATES.

Cable and Sight Rates.

Demand sterling, \$4.90 1/2; 1/2%.

Cable sterling, \$4.91 1/2; 1/2%.

CLOSING RATES.

London, \$4.90 1/2; 1/2%.

Berlin, \$1.10 1/2; 1/2%.

Switzerland, \$1.10 1/2; 1/2%.

Holland, \$1.10 1/2; 1/2%.

New York Clearing House exchange, \$2.49 1/2; 1/2%.

The local banks lost \$11,177,000 on their Sub-Treasury operations since Friday.

Exchange on New York at domestic centers: London, 100 shillings, 24 1/2; 1/2%.

San Francisco, 100 shillings, 24 1/2; 1/2%.

Cincinnati, 100 shillings, 24 1/2; 1/2%.

St. Louis, 100 shillings, 24 1/2; 1/2%.

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COMMODITY PRICES RISE.

Dun's Nov. 1 Index Number Says Advances More Than Offset Declines.

Although many articles of consumption continued to show a downward tendency last month, these declines were more than offset by advances elsewhere, and Dun's Index Number of commodity prices rose to 123.340 on Nov. 1, against 123.331 on Oct. 1, and 123.308 on Nov. 1, 1913. On the corresponding date of 1912 the total stood at 123.523.

In comparison with a month ago, increases appear only in two groups, namely, breadstuffs and dairy and garden products; but, as previously mentioned, these more than counterbalanced the declines in the greater majority of commodities.

The instant foreign demand again brought a further sharp rise in the leading cereals, notably in wheat, which was almost a cent a bushel dearer than on Oct. 1. Higher prices for the dairy and garden section were due almost entirely to the advance in eggs, butter, and milk.

FUTURE STEEL ORDERS LOW.

Corporation Reports Only 3,461,097 Tons on Oct. 31.

The United States Steel Corporation reported yesterday that unfilled orders on Oct. 31 aggregated 3,461,097 tons, a decrease for the month of 538,570 tons. This was the smallest total of forward business announced since June 30, 1911, and compared with 4,233,331 tons at the end of last August, 4,158,580 tons on July 31, and 4,513,767 tons on Oct. 31 last year.

The shrinkage was not as large as occurred in September, with its falling off of 425,000 tons, but comparison of the advance tonnage of two months could not be made fairly without taking into account the sharp decline of mill operations in October than in September.

It was figured in the trade after the report was issued that incoming business had been on a basis of not more than 150 tons a day, against regular periods of active buying of about 45,000 tons a day.

RESERVE BANK ASKS HELP.

Needs Expert Men to Receive and Put Away \$100,000,000 Gold.

Gov. Strong of the Reserve Bank wrote to Albert H. Wiggin, Chairman, yesterday, asking that the facilities of the Clearing House be extended to the Reserve Bank, and this doubtless will be done.

Arrangements were made yesterday with the principal downtown banks to furnish expert men to assist in receiving, counting and putting away the money to be paid in by the 40 member banks on Monday. The payments will amount to at least \$100,000,000, all the indications yesterday were that the member banks would make the payments out of their own vaults and not by drawing on their correspondent banks in this city.

Heavy Surplus of Freight Cars.

The American Railway Association reported yesterday that the number of idle freight cars the country over was greater on Nov. 1 than at that date in any previous year since records were first kept. The total surplus was 172,225, an increase of nearly 18,000 cars in the fortnight that closed with the month. Compared with Nov. 1, 1913, the surplus cars showed a gain of 134,040.

RAILROAD EARNINGS.

The railroads reporting so far for the fourth week of October show these aggregated changes in gross earnings, those reporting gains and those reporting losses being given separately.

4 roads: \$2,797,012 + \$113,235

21 roads: \$14,087,113 + \$79,213

Total (25 roads): \$16,884,125 + \$192,448

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DESCRIBES RESERVE PAPER.

Board Drafts Final Form and Will Make It Public Today.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 10.—The Federal Reserve Board today approved in its final form the definition of commercial paper which is to govern the rescheduling operations of the Federal Reserve banks. All of the members of the board had a hand in framing the provisions of the definition, but Paul M. Warburg reduced it to writing. The definition, which contains about 3,000 words, went to the printer this evening and will be made public tomorrow.

CHINO COPPER PROFITS CUT.

Nearly 6,000,000 Pounds Reduction from June Quarter's Output.

The Chino Copper Company had net profits of \$560,495 in the quarter ended Sept. 30, a total of \$428,395 less than in the same period last year. A surplus of \$335,005 was the actual total of forward dividends, against \$351,015 last year. The company produced 1,491,170 pounds of copper in the quarter, against 2,071,710 in the June quarter, a net cut of 7,71 cents a pound. The total amount of metal on hand or in transit on Sept. 30 was 23,273,710 pounds.

Kean Succeeds Kean as Bank Head.

Special to The New York Times.

ELIZABETH, N. J., Nov. 10.—The Directors of the National State Bank elected Vice President Julian H. Kean President today to succeed his brother, the late United States Senator John Kean. Hamilton P. Kean was made a Director to succeed John W. Whelan, who becomes Vice President.

\$1,000,000 Trust Co. Restrained.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Nov. 10.—The Commonwealth Trust Company, a local concern, capitalized at \$1,000,000, today was restrained by Judge Heiskell in Chancery Court from doing business pending a hearing Friday on a petition for a receiver. The action was filed by H. Gotthelf, a minority stockholder.

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CARRANZA YIELDS ON VERA CRUZ

Tells Brazilian Minister to Inform Washington He Will Give Guarantees.

ASKS EARLY EVACUATION

Summons Gen. Gutierrez to a Conference, Expressing Hope of a Peaceful Arrangement.

MAKES EASIER CONDITIONS

Willing to Surrender Power, He Says Now, to Man Who Can Govern the North.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. MEXICO CITY, Nov. 10.—The Brazilian Minister went by appointment to the Foreign Office this morning and had a two-hour telegraphic conversation with Foreign Minister Favela, who is at Cordoba. Señor Favela asked Minister Cardoso to inform Washington that Gen. Carranza had issued an amnesty decree for Mexicans who have served the United States of America in a civil capacity at Vera Cruz, and a decree that forbids collection of duties on Vera Cruz imports.

All guarantees requested by the American Government have been granted, and Minister Cardoso was asked to wire Washington, conveying the First Chief's hope of an early date for the evacuation of Vera Cruz. Minister Cardoso called Washington this evening. Long personal telegrams have been exchanged between Gen. Carranza and Gen. Eulalio Gutierrez. In a message sent today the former reiterated his reasons for not resigning, and in turn asks Gen. Gutierrez to resign. Gen. Carranza also invites Gen. Gutierrez to a personal conference at point to be agreed on, and the First Chief expresses the belief that if they can talk alone together all questions between them can quickly be arranged.

CARRANZA CONCEDES MORE.

Says Convention's Choice Must Be Able to Control Villa.

Special to THE NEW YORK TIMES. WASHINGTON, Nov. 10.—Tension in the State and War Departments over the Mexican outlook was measurably relaxed this afternoon when the local Constitutionalists Junta gave out an authoritative dispatch from Cordoba, Mexico, which said that Gen. Carranza was ready to resign in favor of any man named by the convention at Aguascalientes for a definite time who would raise over actively the command of Gen. Villa's Division of the North and govern the northern section of the country like other sections. The dispatch added that Gen. Carranza's announcement had caused a feeling of optimism in Mexico. Carranza is at Cordoba. Interest in the Mexican situation increased today as the hour of 6 P. M. set by the military gathering at Aguascalientes for Gen. Carranza's retirement, approached. The convention had served formal notice on the First Chief that he must express his willingness to resign by 6 o'clock this afternoon or be regarded as an enemy of the State. Unofficial cables received here have said that the First Chief's answer to this proposal was that unless the Chiefs at Aguascal-

ientes returned to their normal duties by 6 o'clock this afternoon, he would quit them from office and replace them by their second in command. The weight of American influence has been thrown in the direction of inducing Gen. Carranza to yield. While little is known here of Eulalio Gutierrez, the Provisional President elected by the convention, it is assumed by officials here that he will be sufficiently willing to take advice from Gen. Villa to make his policies conform to American plans as much as Gen. Carranza have done in the past. Apparently Gen. Carranza's final conference with his hand-picked successor General Gutierrez convinced him that resistance to the candidate approved by Villa was hopeless. The message received by the Junta tonight follows:

The First Chief conferred today with Gen. Carranza, Villalaz, and Benavides. Carranza informed them that while he was not bound in any way to recognize the validity of the convention's actions, or desired to give them formal recognition, he was prompted by the feelings of patriotism to turn over the Executive power of the nation to the chief command of the Constitutional forces to any man named by the convention. Carranza said that the pre-convention period would actually be a period of real control over the Division of the North, assuming command of the troops, and having the central Government in a final conference with his troops of that portion of the republic in a like manner as the others. This message being delivered to the convention and great optimism prevails. Difficulties will yet be discovered. Secretary of War Garrison today received a dispatch from Gen. Benavides, EL PASO, announcing the complete investment of the Carranza forces under Gen. Benavides Hill by the troops under Gov. Maytorena. Gen. Benavides' dispatch consisted of the following: "I have received from Gen. Benavides a command of American troops at Naco, just across the American line from the scene of the fighting. Some firing has been reported. Maytorena's force has completely invested Hill's position at Naco, but has not commenced to take a position for attack. His headquarters are established on the Carranza Railroad, five kilometers south of Naco. Some firing this afternoon at long range by Hill's men, but no reply. Maytorena evidently awaiting orders to make an attack."

MAYTORENA SHELLS NACO.

Villa Commander Renews Attack with Artillery.

NACO, Ariz., Nov. 10.—Gov. Maytorena's Villa troops opened the renewed siege on the Carranza garrison in Naco, Sonora, early tonight with well-directed artillery fire. For thirty minutes the attackers threw shells into the town, doing little damage, but indicating a remarkable reversal of form in gunnery. Gen. Hill, commanding the garrison, ordered a counter attack. Some firing after midnight, which was sent scurrying back to cover by Maytorena's Yaqui Indians.

Five hundred fresh troops are reported to have arrived at Nogales on their way here to reinforce Maytorena. Hill also is credited with the intention of bringing his force of 800 men in garrison at Agua Prieta for a rear attack on Maytorena. Although Maytorena is proceeding leisurely with his preparations, the fact that the artillery opened tonight apparently to get the range is believed by Hill to presage a night attack. This was frequently practiced by the attacking force during the previous siege.

CARRANZA REMOVES GENERALS

Clash of Forces at Queretaro Is Predicted—Fighting Near Capital.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. MEXICO CITY, Nov. 10.—The capital is waiting for something to happen, but nothing so far has happened. It is thought improbable that Villa will really comply with the new conditions of the First Chief which eliminate Zapata from consideration, and thus matters will remain as they were. All seem at cross purposes. Gen. Obregon, Hays, Aguirre, Benavides, and others, are waiting for the military gathering at Aguascalientes before dawn today, say they are going to ask the convention to allow an extension of time within which the First Chief is expected to turn over the power to Gutierrez. But Gen. Carranza has declared that the convention as a political entity no longer exists, and that none of its acts is legal.

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 10.—Generals commanding 30,000 men in this neigh-

borhood were relieved of their commands today by Gen. Carranza because they refused to nullify their actions when they signed an agreement to abide by the decisions of the Aguascalientes Convention. Among these are Gen. Benavides, commanding 10,000 men; Gen. Antonio Villalaz, Gen. Juvenal Robles, and many others. It is reported here that Gen. Villa's advance guard, consisting of 15,000 men of all arms, is marching south of Gen. Carranza de Diaz on the way toward the capital, which, it is said, they have been ordered to take in the name of Eulalio Gutierrez. Between them and their goal Gen. Pablo Gonzales, who is loyal to Carranza, has 40,000 troops disposed about Queretaro City. It is expected that a clash of arms will occur there.

REVOLT IN CANANEA.

Garrison Under Villa Leaders Declares for Carranza.

Special to THE NEW YORK TIMES. EL PASO, Nov. 10.—Villa's troops in Cananea, Sonora, the big copper camp seventy miles below the border from Naco, have revolted and have declared for Carranza. They had been in command of the town since Hill was driven to the border by Maytorena and his Yaqui Indians at the start of the Carranza-Villa war in that State. No fighting occurred, although a little street fighting occurred when the Carranza leaders led the discontented Villa forces out of the town. The Villa forces, representing Carranza on the border, received a message from Col. Sebastian Carranza, commander of the town, saying that he was leaving Mediasa, near Naco, and was coming to Cananea, where reports had been received that the Villa forces were attacking the town. Carranza's force, which was at the head of a force. Saltillo has already been a Carranza stronghold. Reports received by Villalaz say that Gen. Lucio Blanco has joined Villa.

POLICE CONVICTIONS UPHOLD

Court of Appeals Affirms Conspiracy Charge Against Inspectors.

ALBANY, Nov. 10.—The convictions of ex-inspector Dennis Sweeney, Jean J. Murtha, and James F. Thompson of the New York City police force, who were found guilty of conspiracy and served a year on Blackwell's Island, were upheld today by the Court of Appeals. The conviction of ex-inspector John Husey, who stood trial with the other policemen, and who also served a year on Blackwell's Island, was set aside by the Appellate Division several months ago. Husey is now suing for reinstatement to the force.

Last Four Days

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RACING FIRE HORSE CRASHES INTO POST

Engine Driver Swerved Team to Avoid a Careless Truck Driver.

OLD FIREFLY WAS KILLED

Crew Thrown from Engine Unhurt, but Truckman Is Fined \$10 at Their Insistence.

Driver Alfred Waganowitz of Fire Engine 23 had urged his horses to full speed as he went up Ninth Avenue at 6 o'clock last evening to a fire. At Fifty-eighth Street he saw Policeman Haslaah waving him to come on. Crowds lined the sidewalks watching the racing engine, and Waganowitz's two horses were straining every muscle. The engine swayed and skidded over the pavement as an automobile skids on wet asphalt.

Waganowitz was almost on the Fifty-eighth Street crossing when he saw a two-horse truck lumbering out of the street into his path. Policeman Haslaah had turned aside to wave back a woman and some children and the truckman, evidently thinking he had time to make the crossing in safety, had started ahead.

The engine driver realized that his tremendous speed and the weight of the heavy engine would crush the truck and probably kill the driver. There was a chance that he could turn back, but he decided to try to stop the sudden turn. Firefly, the big off horse, staggered as he tried to swing around, missed his footing and fell head-on into a pillar. He collapsed, stunned, and with out for a moment he lay on the pavement. But the truck was uninjured.

The firemen were on their feet almost instantly and all three turned at once to Firefly. The quickest examination showed that the animal was injured beyond recovery, and Haslaah, at the request of the firemen, shot him. Then Waganowitz, almost in tears, turned on the truck driver.

"I was willing to take a chance to save you," he declared. "But you can't kill poor old Firefly and get away with it. I want him arrested, and get away with it. I want him arrested, and get away with it. I want him arrested, and get away with it."

SLATE WILL GO THROUGH.

Only Slight Opposition at Federation of Women's Clubs Session.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., Nov. 10.—Seven hundred delegates to the New York State Federation of Women's Clubs in session here offered little opposition to the official slate of officers reported by Mrs. J. M. Edsall, Chairman of the Nominating Committee, at the close of this afternoon's session. There will be contests for only two offices. The official slate, which will probably be elected in entirety, is as follows: President, Mrs. A. H. Hildreth, Syracuse; First Vice President, Mrs. Florence Gurnsey, New York; Second Vice President, Mrs. Hamilton Ormabee, Brooklyn; Third Vice President, Mrs. John W. Ford, Watford; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Charles Stecker, Mount Vernon; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Merwin Lay, Syracuse; General Federation Secretary, Mrs. J. T. D. Blackburn, Albany; Treasurer, Mrs. George N. Hall, Binghamton; Directors for the first four districts, respectively, Mrs. J. F. Yawger, Mrs. Frank P. Whiting, Mrs. Howard Gillespie, and Mrs. F. H. Bullard. Mrs. Henry Altman of Brooklyn will run for Second Vice President in opposition to Mrs. Ormabee, and Mrs. Robert D. Ford of Canton will oppose Mrs. Lay for Recording Secretary.

Arrested as Poorbox Robbers.

Two Italians who, it is alleged, robbed the poorboxes in two Catholic churches were arrested yesterday in All Saints' Church, Madison Avenue and 129th Street, by detectives who first saw them on a car while looking for pickpockets. They followed the Italians to St. Paul's Church, at Park Avenue and 117th Street. The Italians hurried away, and a few minutes later the detectives found that the poorbox had been robbed of \$1 in pennies. The men were cornered in All Saints' Church after the poorbox there had been emptied. They said they were Pietro Casella, 115 West Fourth Street, and Albert Folornini, 159 West Fourth Street.

Gifts to Women's Prison Association

The Women's Prison Association reported at its meeting yesterday two bequests, one from Emma R. Frost of \$1,000, and one from Addison Brown of \$200. Also it was announced that the State Farm for Women Madonnans at Volonte was opened in October with six women inmates.

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FIRST NEW SHIP SINCE WAR.

Orduna, Leased by Cunard Line, Arrives from Liverpool.

The first new steamship to arrive in New York since the war began was the Pacific Steam Navigation Company's liner Orduna, chartered by the Cunard Line for three months to replace the Campania, which has been sold for junk. She is commanded by Capt. Thomas M. Taylor, who has not been in New York since 1878, when he was an apprentice in the famous tea clipper Lochair, which made the run from Yokohama around Good Hope in 82 days, and then sailed from Sandy Hook to Dover in 11 days, which he said was a record.

The 831 passengers who arrived on the Orduna yesterday from Liverpool joined in saying that she was a ready vessel. She had rough weather from Queensboro to Sandy Hook and made the 788 miles in 7 days 23 hours and 11 minutes. The Orduna was built to open the new service from the west coast of South America to New York via the Panama Canal, which was postponed on account of the war.

The Orduna has accommodation for 300 first, 350 second, and 450 third class passengers. She has spacious decks and cabins fitted with beds, glass inclosed promenade decks, gymnasium, veranda, cafe, and large square windows. Her gross tonnage is 15,500. She has three screws and an average speed of 17 knots. She sails for Liverpool on Saturday. The officers and engineers are all Pacific Company men.

Daughter to Christie Macdonald.

Christie Macdonald, the light-opera star, who in private life is Mrs. Henry Lloyd Gillespie, became the mother of a daughter yesterday afternoon at her home, 800 Riverside Drive. Mrs. Gillespie was last seen at the Liberty Theatre, when she appeared as Liberty Bozema in "The Spring Maid." Mr. Gillespie is a manufacturer, and they were married in 1912.

HOTELS

RESTAURANTS

DANCING ACADEMIES

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ELsie FERGUSON in

"OUTCAST" BY HUBERT

KNICKEBOCKER Broadway & 28th St. Eves. 8:15.

SANDERSON BRIAN CATHOON

THE GIRL FROM UTAH

GAITY Theatre Broadway & 46 St. Eves. 8:15.

RUTH CHATTERTON

DADDY LONG LEGS

BELASCO 4th St. E. of B'way. Eves. 8:15.

LEO DITRICHSTEIN

PHANTOM RIVAL

REPUBLIC West 42d Street. Eves. 8:30.

LEW FIELDS in

THE HIGH COST OF LOVING

ELTING 42d St. W. of B'way. Eves. 8:20.

INNOCENT FREDERICK

GLOBE Broadway at 46th St. Eves. at 8:15.

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CARRANZA OPENS WAR ON VILLA

Preliminary Battle Reported
and Strong Forces Move
Toward Each Other.

GENERALS STRIVE FOR PEACE

Ask Carranza to Resign and
Urge Gutierrez to Send
Villa Abroad.

UNCERTAIN AS TO VERA CRUZ

Carranza Guarantees Received in
Washington, but New Develop-
ments Are Awaited.

EL PASO, Nov. 11.—War has been de-
clared between the Carranza and Villa
elements of the Constitutional Army,
according to advices received at Juarez
tonight from officials of the convention
at Aguascalientes.

A preliminary battle has already oc-
curred at Leon, between Aguascalientes
and Queretaro. It was reported. Gen.
Pablo Gonzalez, the Carranza com-
mander, has moved his forces from the
retreat north to Silao to meet the Villa
advance. Gen. Manuel Chao, a Villa
chieftain, departed today from Aguas-
calientes with a strong column.

A message from official sources in
Mexico City, given out today by Rafael
Muniz, the Carranza Consul General
to the United States, follows:
"The First Chief is at Cordoba. A
majority of the principal chiefs have de-
clared in favor of Carranza. Villa has
called on the people to take arms. All
the South and East is loyal to the First
Chief."

An earlier telegram from Aguascalientes
said that at a meeting of the
convention last night Gen. Carranza was
branded a rebel by Gen. Panfilo Natera,
a Vice President. He asserted that he
deposed First Chief, should be considered
a rebel because he allowed the move-
ment of the assembly of chieftains.

His remark was greeted with applause,
said the report. Natera had been re-
garded as one of Carranza's strongest
supporters since his appointment as
chief of a newly created central zone
which had precipitated the Carranza-Villa
struggle some months ago.

Sharp fighting near Saltillo...
Sharp fighting between a Carranza
force, thought to be a part of that which
left Piedras Negras for Saltillo several
days ago, and a larger force from the
Villa garrison, at Torreon took place
today at Saltillo, and the Carranza
force was driven away.
In disorder, according to reports
received here both by the Carranza
and Villa representatives. Only meager
details were received at the border of
the battle, which was said to have
started at daybreak this morning. Col.
Esquivel, commanding the Carranza force,
and seventeen of his men, including two
civilians, were reported to have been
killed.

Little, if any, support is expected by
the Carranza men from the Saltillo
garrison, where Luis Gutierrez, a brother
of Eulalio Gutierrez, is in command.
If the garrison has not already gone
over to Villa by this time it is expected
to do so in a few days, local Consul
representatives of the Carranza Govern-
ment admit.

Delayed reports from Aguascalientes
report the resignation of Villa to Gutier-
res, who is now vested with supreme
executive power in the conference
there. As soon as Villa had presented
his resignation to Gutierrez through his
Acting Minister of War he was imme-
diately appointed Commander in Chief
of the entire Army of the North, com-
prising all of the forces not directly
under command of Carranza, his brother,
Jesus Carranza, or Pablo Gonzalez.

Generals Strive for Peace

Urge Carranza to Retire and That
Villa Be Sent Abroad.
Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
MEXICO CITY, Nov. 11.—Gen. Pablo
Gonzalez, Lucio Blanco, Antonio Vique-
ral, Eduardo Hay, Francisco Monera,
Andres Saucedo, Pablo de la Garza, and
A. Menchaca have wired Gen. Carranza,
saying they consider it "a patriotic ne-
cessity" that he resign.

At the same time the above-named Gen-
erals wired Eulalio Gutierrez, telling him
they were convinced Villa had not re-
turned from command of the northern di-
vision, and they ask Gen. Gutierrez to
use his authority and that of the con-
vention, which Villa promised to re-
spect, by sending Villa abroad on an
official commission. The generals say
if this is done they will induce Gen.
Carranza also to leave the country.

Fernando Iglesias Calderon, referring
to the published report of his appoint-
ment as Foreign Minister in the Cab-
inet of Eulalio Gutierrez, said he would
refuse the offer, as he was determined
not to enter any Cabinet until constitu-
tional order was re-established.

A Cordoba telegram says that Gen.
Carranza has received a message from
the Convention at Aguascalientes.

NOTHING NOBLE IN WAR ITSELF, SAYS WILSON

But Sometimes It Develops
Noble Characters—Speaks at
Kearny Statue Unveiling.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—President
Wilson, speaking today at the unvel-
ling of a statue to Gen. Philip Kearny
in Arlington National Cemetery, said
that there was nothing noble or admi-
rable in war itself, but that there was
something very noble and admirable in
some of the characters which war de-
veloped.

"If a man's character can go through
the fire and come out resplendent,"
said the President, "then you know
that it is of the true quality, of the
best human stuff."

Mr. Wilson said that Gen. Kearny
typified the best kind of leader pro-
duced by the United States, adding that
"there has been many another man
who stood alongside of him with the
same qualities and the same distinction
of service."

"The Government of a great people,"
he added, "can always count upon
great services, and the beauty of our
Government, the pride that we all feel
in it, is that it is a Government of
great people, prodigal in their gift of
service, and ready to provide those
things which constitute the stuff of
heroism and elevate a nation in the
annals of mankind."

Speaking of the habit of Gen. Kearny's
soldiers of affectionately calling him
"Phil," the President said he had
always been sorry he did not have a
"front name which admitted of short-
ening."

Because of the lateness of a special
train bringing 300 civil war veterans
from New Jersey for the unveiling
ceremonies, President Wilson waited in
the cold at the cemetery for more than
an hour. He spent the time examining
the graves of noted soldiers and sail-
ors.

Gov. Fielder of New Jersey, Col. J.
Hopkins, President of the Kearny Com-
mission, and Corp. James Tanner, Re-
corder of Wills in the District of Col-
umbia, who served under Gen. Kearny,
were among the speakers. Gov. Fielder
said:

"We pray God the United States will
remain at peace as long as time lasts."
The statue was unveiled by descend-
ants of Gen. Kearny, while a field bat-
tery from Fort Myer fired a Major
General's salute of seventeen guns.

FEARS WE MAY BE INVOLVED

Senator Burton Says Indecisive Re-
sult Might Bring Us Into War.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Nov. 11.—Again
sounding a warning of the possibility
of the United States becoming involved
in war unless the present European
conflict ends decisively, United States
Senator Theodore E. Burton today ad-
dressed the City Club on "The Effects
of the War on the Peace Movement."
German supremacy and the consequent
growth of the German military ma-
chine to the disabbling of the other
powers in the event of a victory for
the Kaiser, or a long step toward arbi-
tration of differences if the Allies are
victorious, were the Senator's predom-
inant themes.

MORE MILLS STARTING UP

Big Revival of Steel and Wire Or-
ders in Pittsburgh District.

PITTSBURGH, Nov. 11.—Two plants
of the Carnegie Steel Company at Home-
stead resumed operations today. These
mills had been shut down for some
time owing to lack of orders. With
many orders booked in the last few
days plants now will be able to
operate full turn.
At other steel mills in the Pittsburgh
district activity is noted in every de-
partment. The plants at Monessen
owned by the Pittsburgh Steel Company
will go into operation next Monday after
an absence of some months. Four of
the open-hearth furnaces at that point
will be put into operation, which means
that employment will be given to 3,500
men.
The plants of the Pittsburgh Products
Company, also at Monessen, have been
ordered to operate at full speed. The
company has orders on its books to
warrant such a move. Several other
plants in the Allegheny Valley district
have likewise resumed work today.
Wallace H. Rowe, President of the
Pittsburgh Steel Company, said today
that the mills of that concern were
working on big barbed-wire orders, and
that the plants would be kept busy all
along the line. He declared that the in-
dustrial scene in the Pittsburgh district
was very encouraging.

EXPECT MOVE BY POPE

German Report That He Will Urge
Peace Negotiations.

LONDON, Nov. 11.—Telegraphing from
Copenhagen a correspondent of the
Central News says:
"A dispatch received here from Copen-
hagen asserts that the Pope shortly will
endeavor to initiate negotiations for
peace through the medium of a pastoral
letter. The German view of the Pope is
that any such action by his Holiness
would raise the question of the Pope's
temporal power and force Italy into
taking an attitude against the proposal."

GREEN STRIKE SCOTCH
ANDREW URSER & CO., Edinburgh.
The Scotch strike has been called off.

SLAVERS' BOMBS ROCK BRONX COURT

Judge L. D. Gibbs and Marshal
Hoefling the Objects of
Assassins' Plot.

CONVICTED SEVEN OF GANG

First Blast as Jurist Leaves
Chambers Followed by
One Across Street.

REPORTS HEARD FOUR MILES

Front of Court House Wrecked,
Windows Smashed for Blocks,
Some in Elevated Train.

Two bombs, each more powerful than
ever before had been used in Black Hand
plots in the Bronx, were exploded with-
in a few seconds just before 11 o'clock
last night, one wrecking the whole lower
front of the Bronx's new \$1,000,000
Court House which took twelve years
to construct, the other blowing in the
front of City Marshal John C. Hoefling's
office, across the Brook Avenue Plaza
from the Court House. County Judge
Louis D. Gibbs was in the Court House
when the explosion occurred and Mar-
shal Hoefling had just left his office.

Judge Gibbs had sentenced seven of a
band of white slavers to long terms in
State Prison and it was Marshal Hoefling
who uncovered evidence against the
gang when he discovered Mrs. Della
Hanson, the now celebrated "Bridge-
port widow," held prisoner in a house
in East 157th Street. In anonymous let-
ters the Judge had been threatened with
assassination.

Both men think, and the police agree
with them, that the explosions were
meant to kill or injure Judge Gibbs
and Mr. Hoefling, and that the bombs
were planted by members of the White
Slave gang who had not been discovered
shattered by the concussion, and panes
in houses for blocks around were
broken.

It was the Court House bomb which
exploded first. The new building is in
a triangle facing the Brook Avenue
Plaza. Third Avenue is on one side of
it and East Street on another. The en-
trance was a pretentious one, between
two big bronze columns resting upon
granite bases. Bronze doors stood ten
feet in a vestibule, and over the main
archway leading into this vestibule was
a granite figure of Justice. The bomb
apparently was placed at the base of
one of the bronze columns.

The explosion blew one of the granite
bases into pebbles and so wrecked the
other that both bronze columns hung
suspended from the main arch. The
figure of Justice was cracked and its
torso wrecked, so that it threatened to
topple over. The bronze doors were
shattered by the blast and hinges and
twisted. The glass in two inner
doors fifteen feet back was shattered
and the marble staircase cracked. Al-
most every window in the Court House
flying outward, sending fragments of glass
flying over all three streets bounding
the building.

Many in Court Knocked Down.
Judge Gibbs, who had presided at the
trial of Harry Goldberger, a Foreign
College medical student convicted of
forgery, had just left his chambers with
County Detective Harry Harris and his
court attendant, Samuel Phillips. The
corridors and courtroom were filled with
jurors, witnesses, and idle spectators,
who had waited while the jury in the
Goldberger case deliberated eight hours.
There were nearly half a hundred men
in the place besides the ninety-eight
prisoners, twelve of them women, and
their keepers, in the county jail in the
basement on the 151st Street side. The
concussion tossed most of them from
their feet and caused a panic among
the prisoners, who thought there had
been an earthquake.

The judge was flung down on the
marble corridor, but was unhurt, and
jumping to his feet, with Phillips and
Harris raced for the Brook Avenue en-
trance, shouting to others to join him.
He ran into the street only a second or
two after the explosion, but already
hundreds of men, women and children
from neighboring apartment houses were
pouring into the thoroughfares, terrified
at the roar and concussion of the ex-
plosion, and there was no chance of
catching the man who put the bomb in
place.

Crowds Rush Into Street.
Then came the second explosion, as
violent as the first. Those who had
reached the street were flung down by
the force of it and every one who had
not run at the first crash, made a dash
to get out of his home. A crowd of
several thousand quickly filled the
plaza and were running aimlessly about,
when the reserves of the Morrisania
Police Station, who had been flung
from their beds in the precinct house
only two blocks away, raced around
into the Plaza.

They saw there a scene of ruin. The
front of the Court House looked as
though it had withstood the fire of
German field guns. Across the plaza
the long row of buildings showed dark
holes where windows had been but a
moment before, and the front of Hoefling's
office was a wreck of broken
glass and splintered wood.

From 871 to 877 Brook Avenue, a row
of five-story tenements, every window
was gone. Next was a row of three-
story frame houses running to 887. All
the windows were shattered.

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VANCOUVER PREPARES FOR GERMAN ATTACK

Brought Strait Closed to Ship-
ping—Mines Laid Near
Victoria.

OTTAWA, Ont., Nov. 11.—It was of-
ficially announced today that the west-
ern part of Broughton Strait, near Van-
couver Island, had been closed to
navigation and for purposes of defense.
Shipping has been notified that vessels
between Johnston Strait and Queen Char-
lotte Sound must take the Weynott
passage and Elsie Fish Sound.

While no reason has been assigned
officially for this action, it is popularly
believed to be due to apprehension as to
possible attack from the German
fleet that defeated British warships re-
cently off the coast of Chile.

SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 11.—Although
no German warship has yet entered
the North Pacific and the British cru-
isers Newcastle, Swiftsure, and Rainbow
and the Japanese cruiser Idzumo are
patrolling the coast, the people of Vic-
toria, Vancouver, and Prince Rupert
have been extremely nervous over re-
ports that the way was open for a
German naval attack on their cities.
The Strait of Juan de Fuca, near Vic-
toria, has been mined, guns have been
placed commanding the Narrows near
Vancouver, and other defensive steps
have been taken.

German Ships Bound North.
LIMA, Peru, Nov. 11.—A telegram
from Talca, Chile, says that a steamer
arriving there reports that when off
Coquimbo, Chile, she sighted four Ger-
man warships steaming northward. Co-
quimbo is about 450 miles north of Cor-
onel, off which the naval engagement of
Nov. 1 was fought.

TRANSPORTS ALL READY FOR GERMAN INVASION

Wait at Bremen and Hamburg—
Fifty Zeppelins Building for
Raid With Fleet in Spring.

LONDON, Thursday, Nov. 12.—The
Daily Mail prints an American's account
of his visit to Bremen and Hamburg. He
says:
"In Bremen the hotels are deserted,
but the theatres and cafes are full. The
docks at Bremerhaven are crowded with
shipping, but there is no life. I was told
that transports are there waiting to con-
vey troops to England."

"At Hamburg I found the same dense
lines of shipping and deserted wharves.
In the harbor, among three huge liners,
transformed by a coat of gray paint and
yellow funnels. Soldiers swarming over
them proclaimed them to be transports,
destined for the invasion of England."

"There is great activity in Ham-
burg. I saw every steamship, each said to
contain a Zeppelin. There are a great
number of aeroplanes at the air camp.
It was reported there that fifty Zepp-
elins are being built. A Lieutenant
told me it was absurd to suppose that
the Germans would waste their Zeppelins
by single raids on London. The
condition for their use, he declared, was
when the fleet, accompanied by the
dirigibles, would attack the British
coast simultaneously. This was not the
plan for the present, but for the coming
spring."

By contrast to Hamburg, seethed
with activity, the streets swarming with
sailors and marines, while in the harbor
battleships dashed hither and
thither."

RUSHED BOAT AT MINE TO SAVE A CRUISER

Little Russian Craft When It Was
Too Late to Signal Went
Head on to Destruction.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
PETROGRAD, Nov. 11.—(Dispatch to
The London Times.)—Correspondents of
Russian newspapers report the heroic
sacrifice of the crew of a picket boat in
order to save a Russian cruiser, which
was unwarily approaching a mine in
the Gulf of Finland.

Realizing that it was too late to signal
the danger, the boat deliberately rushed
at the mine at full speed. A terrific ex-
plosion followed. Six of the crew of
seven perished. To the survivor, who was
severely wounded, was awarded the de-
coration of St. George.

RUSSIAN ORGAN SEES THE END IN SIGHT

Monthpiece of the War Ministry
Thinks the Conflict Won't
Last a Year.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
LONDON, Thursday, Nov. 12.—The
Russian Invalid, the organ of the Rus-
sian Ministry of War, says very optimis-
tically concerning the progress of the cam-
paign. It thinks the operations against
Austria will be crowned with final suc-
cess before the winter sets in.

The campaign against Germany is a
more serious matter, and operations
will last all through the winter.
It is, however, very optimistic
that the German army will be finally
defeated before next summer.

The Russian Invalid, the Russian In-
valid, "if no unforeseen complications ar-
rive, it is probable that the war will end
before the anniversary of its beginning."

TIME LIMIT FOR BOERS.

Pretoria Government Allows Rebels
Until Nov. 21 for Surrender.

LONDON, Thursday, Nov. 12.—It is
officially announced at Pretoria that the
rebels will have until Nov. 21 to sur-
render, according to a Reuter dispatch
from that city. All those who do not
will not be criminally prosecuted, but
allowed to return to their homes on con-
dition that they take no further part in
the rebellion.

The leaders of the rebellion and those
who have acted contrary to the rules of
civilized warfare are excluded from the
amnesty. Those refusing to surrender
will be dealt with according to law.

SUBMARINE RAIDS A BRITISH PORT; SINKS GUNBOAT, BUT CREW ESCAPES; GERMAN TROOPS CAPTURE DIXMUDE

CROWDS SEE NIGER SINK

Residents of Deal Startled
by Explosion as Torpedo
Hits the Warship.

SHORE BOATS TO RESCUE

Vessel Begins to Settle at Once
and Sailors Are Seen
Leaping Into Water.

CAPTAIN LAST TO LEAVE HER

Stays on Deck Until Ship Is
Sinking Under His Feet—All
Saved, Says Admiralty.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
DEAL, England, Nov. 11. (Dispatch to
The London Daily Chronicle.)—By the
destruction of the British torpedo gun-
boat Niger, which was torpedoed and
sunk by a submarine in the Downs this
afternoon, the realities of war were
brought home to the inhabitants of Deal
and Walmer.

A loud explosion was heard from the
gunboat as she lay off the Deal pier
and great volumes of smoke enveloped
the vessel. When the smoke cleared, the
Niger was observed to be settling down
forward. Men, women, and children
rushed to the sea front, exclaiming that
the vessel had been torpedoed or mined.
They soon realized that the Niger was
doomed. The Deal and Kingsdown life-
boats, as well as boats from other parts
of the beach, were launched in an effort
to save the sailors.

Consternation and almost panic pre-
vailed among the hundreds who stood
watching the ghastly sight from the
beach. Fortunately the North Deal gal-
ley Hope, commanded by Capt. John
Budd, lay at anchor near the spot wait-
ing to land the pilot from a London
steamer which was going down the chan-
nel. When the boatmen realized that
the Niger had been hit by a submarine
or mine, to use their own expression,
they rowed like the very devil.

Gallant Rescues by Boatmen.
"We saw the sailors," said Capt.
Budd, "jumping from the vessel's side
in dozens. As we neared the fast dis-
appearing vessel we came upon swarms
of men struggling in the sea and hero-
ically helping to support each other. Some
were fully dressed, others only partly
so. They were clinging to pieces of
wreckage and deck furniture, and some
were in lifeboats."

"It was a heartrending spectacle. The
men were so thick in the water that they
grasped at our oars as we dipped them
in the sea. We rescued so many that
our own boat got so choked that we
could not move. With our own gunwale
only just out of the water, we were in
danger of sinking ourselves."

"We called to the men that we could
take no more in or we should sink our-
selves, but they continued to pour over
the sides, and some hung to the stern
of our boat. We had about fifty on
board. Never had there been so many
in the boat before. One burly sailor,
whom we told to wait until the next
boat came along, laughingly remarked
while he was in the water, 'All right,
Cocky, I will hold on by my eyebrows.'
There were nearly a dozen of them. An-
other Deal boat then came along and
relieved us of some of our men."

Captain Last to Leave Her.
"Suddenly we heard a shout, and, look-
ing around, saw the commander of the
Niger waving and beckoning to us from
the stern of the sinking ship. We could
not go to him because our craft was
so heavily laden. Another galley then
came along, and after taking out some
of our men, together with those who
were hanging on to our side, we went
closer to the sinking gunboat and took
off some more men, and at the Cap-
tain's special request we waited until
he took a final look round to see if
there were any more men left on board
the vessel."

By the time the ship was very
nearly under water, and we shouted to
him to hurry up as the Niger had turned
over on her side and was likely to go
down at any moment. That brave Cap-
tain only just managed to jump in time
when the gunboat gave a lurch and
sank on her side. Eight fatigues of
men were proud to rescue the Cap-
tain, for he was a true sailor."

The other boats which picked up men
were the Maple Leaf, the motor boat
Naru, the Annie, the May, and the Deal
lifeboat.

HEARD CANOPUS WAS SUNK.

But Chilean Admiralty Denies Ru-
mor of British Cruiser's Fate.

VALPARAISO, Chile, Nov. 11.—A
rumor has been circulated here to the
effect that the British cruiser Canopus
has been sunk off Coronel. This
report is officially denied by the
Chilean Admiralty.

Smokers may now obtain PALL MALL
Cigarettes, with PLAIN ENDS, in
the distinctive single-row package.—Adv.

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Summary of War News.

An official German bulletin reports the taking of Dixmude, Bel-
gium, with more than 500 prisoners. It also reports the crossing of the
Yser Canal and capture of the first line of the Allies' position west of
Langemarck, with about 2,000 men. The Allies are also said to have been
driven out of St. Eloi, south of Ypres.

The French War Office admits the loss of Dixmude to the Germans,
but states that the force attempt to debouch from that place along the
left bank of the Yser failed. "The British troops are said to have stopped
attacks of the enemy everywhere along the line."

The British torpedo gunboat Niger was torpedoed by a German subma-
rine in the Harbor of Deal, England, and foundered, but all the officers
and crew were saved. Two men were severely injured and two slightly
hurt.

Premier Aquino, in a statement at the opening of the House of Com-
mons, predicted that the war would not last as long as was originally ex-
pected.

The Russian General Staff contradicts German assertions of an im-
portant victory on the northern border, asserting that the Russian Army
met with brilliant success there and has begun an invasion of East Prussia.
To the south the Cossacks are said to be approaching Craacow, while the
investment of Przemyel, from which the Russians were driven several
weeks ago, is said to have been completed.

The Crown Prince is reported to have been put in supreme command
of the German forces in the east. A dispatch from Amsterdam states that
Austrians, with big siege guns, passed through Liege Tuesday on their way
to Craacow to reinforce the Teutonic armies.

The Japanese torpedo boat 33 was sunk by a mine at the mouth of the
Kiao-Chau Bay while hunting for mines. Six men were killed or wounded
and three are missing.

200 OF EMDEN CREW DEAD; 30 WOUNDED

Capt. Von Muller and Officers
Will be Allowed to Keep
Their Swords.

LONDON, Nov. 11.—Capt. Von Muller
of the German cruiser Emden, which was
attacked by the Australian cruiser Syd-
ney and driven ashore at Cocos Island,
where she burned, and Prince Franz
Joseph of Hohenzollern, one of his offi-
cers, are prisoners of war and neither
is wounded, according to an announce-
ment by the Admiralty this afternoon.
The Admiralty adds that the losses on
the Emden are unofficially reported as
200 killed and thirty wounded. No
further details have been received.

The Admiralty has decided that all
honors of war be accorded to the sur-
vivors of the Emden, and that the Cap-
tain and his officers are not to be de-
prived of their swords.

The Central News has received a dis-
patch from Melbourne saying that the
sunnery of the Emden was good in the
beginning of the fight off Cocos Island
but deteriorated later. The German ves-
sel had two funnels shot away and
caught on fire stern within an hour of
the beginning of the engagement. She
is now ashore and continues to burn.

Before the fight a landing party from
the Emden had commandeered two
months' supplies from the Cocos Is-
lands, but the people were well treated.

18,000,000 RESERVES FOR TEUTONIC ALLIES

Resources of Fighting Men They
Can Draw Upon, According
to a German Newspaper.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
LONDON, Nov. 11.—According to the
Cologne Gazette, the combined strength
of German and Austrian reserves is 18,
000,000 men.

There are 2,000,000 volunteers in Ger-
many and 240,000 in Austria, and re-
cruits of the 1814 conscription of both
countries 1,000,000 each. This makes a
total of 4,240,000, but, according to the
Rheinisch paper, this estimate is alto-
gether incomplete.

In Germany, as in Austria, that por-
tion of the Landsturm which has not
yet seen any service is almost as good
as untouched, and, according to the
best authorities, this untouched Lan-
dsturm amounts for Germany to 7,000,000
men. They are between the ages of 20
and 45. Already the vast majority of
these men have been registered by the
military authorities as suitable. Only a
very small percentage may be regarded
as hardly fit for the front, but they are
capable of other military duties.

In Austria, this untouched Landsturm
is placed at 5,000,000, making 12,000,000
for both countries. If we deduct 2,000,
000 from this total for volunteers who
have already been counted we get a
total of 14,240,000 as still available for
active military service, and if the age
limit is raised from 45 to 50 years and
the limit at the other end be reduced
from 20 to 18 years, we obtain an addi-
tional 3,760,000, which, added to 14,240,
000, makes the grand total 18,000,000.

FIND SPYING IN BASLE.

Military Shuts Rhine Valley and
Frontier Is Guarded.

LONDON, Nov. 11.—The Cologne Ga-
zette learns from Zurich, according to
an Amsterdam dispatch to Reuter's Tele-
gram Company, that communication on

RUSSIANS ATTACK CRACOW DEFENSES

Austrian General Dankl Said to Have Refused Further Co-operation with Germans.

ENTIRE LINE IN RETREAT

Russians, Advancing in East Prussia, Again Invade the Lake Region.

WIN THREE ENGAGEMENTS

Crown Prince's Army Reported to be Concentrating for a Stand Around Czenstochowo.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. PETROGRAD, Nov. 11. (Dispatch to The London Daily News.)—A communication issued from Prague admits that the Austro-German army is retreating on Cracow, and that the Russians are approaching that fortress. The fact is the Russians are already attacking the outer forts of Cracow.

Gen. Dankl, with the remainder of the Austrian army, is now moving due south across Galicia. He has refused further co-operation with Gen. von Hindenburg or the German staff.

The bitterness between the Germans and Austrians is such that officers who are prisoners have to be separated because they are constantly fighting.

Austro-German Split Serious. Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. PETROGRAD, Nov. 11. (Dispatch to The London Daily News.)—A situation which is increasing in importance and promising developments which may have an enormous influence on events, is caused by growing hostility and lack of mutual confidence between the Austrian and German armies.

This sentiment is now becoming more conspicuous and assuming proportions which should be watched, as, if these tendencies continue to increase with the rapidity of development which the last month has shown, it is quite conceivable that Austria may break with her ally and seek an independent peace.

While I was in Galicia a month ago, there were rumors of constant friction between the armies of the two allies. A story was told to me that when a carriageful of Austrian prisoners and three Germans captured by the Russians arrived at Zow (Lemberg), the Germans were found strangled.

Since then the Austro-German policy in the campaign seems to have been to relegate the Austrian rear guards to all the worst positions and to promise the taking of the case of Kielce, for instance, which the Russians entered last Tuesday week. The Germans left the town on the previous afternoon, withdrawing in leisurely fashion with their transport.

The Austrians were ordered to hold the rear while the Russian regiments were, as usual, moving rapidly on the flanks and making resistance impossible.

Nearly all the dead, wounded, and prisoners seen on the battlefield during the last few weeks were Austrians. The Germans are treating their allies with contempt and arrogance. It is becoming rapidly obvious to many Austrians that their cause is hopelessly impaired and that they are now being used by the Germans as buffers between themselves and the advancing Russians.

For three months the Austrians have been fighting fiercely, with terrible losses and heavy casualties, and there has been no appreciation of their services. They are now being arrogantly and contemptuously used, generally as mere tools in the German campaign against Russia.

It has been noticeable in cases of the few German prisoners who have been mingled with the Austrians, that hostility between the troops of the two allies is much greater than that between either of them and their Russian captors.

My own impressions during the past weeks are increasingly confirmed by reports in Russian quarters here of bitter quarrels between the German and Austrian co-operating officers. These quarrels are assuming such importance that there is more than a possibility of fatal friction arising between the two which ultimately may crystallize the growing discontent among the Austrians at their treatment into an open rupture.

Enormous numbers of Austrians have been captured, and many conversations which I have had personally with prisoners have convinced me that they are sick of the war and have no heart in its further prosecution.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. PETROGRAD, Nov. 11. (Dispatch to The London Daily Chronicle.)—All along the fringe of Poland, from Thorn to Cracow, the Austro-German armies

continue to fall back under the increasing Russian pressure.

The northern army, commanded by Gen. von Hindenburg, retired on Silesia, north of Kalisz, the southern army, commanded by the Crown Prince, apparently is concentrating around Czenstochowo, while the Austrians are being pushed back to the gates of Cracow and now are probably well within the line of their forts, which began about two miles beyond the Russian frontier.

It is now clear what a gigantic blunder the German General Staff made in ordering the advance on Warsaw. The advance was certainly based on an underestimation of the Russian strength. The defeat near Warsaw has been a heavy blow to the Germans, while for the unfortunate Austrians who have been dragged into this ill-fated expedition it has been disastrous. The Germans could have devised no better means of finally ruining their allies.

Instead of helping the Austrians to prove their resistance in Galicia and so protecting their own approaches to Silesia, the Germans risked the remnants of their ally's forces on the foolhardy enterprise and so destroyed what they had hoped the Austrians might have had of recovering lost ground or even of effectively defending the still unconquered area in Galicia.

At the same time the Germans greatly weakened their defensive force, for the total German and Austrian losses during the brief Polish campaign probably amount to 100,000 and have cleared the road for the Russian advance.

RUSSIAN ADVANCE GOES ON.

Germans Working Night and Day on Defenses of Thorn.

PETROGRAD, Nov. 11.—General Headquarters issued the following official announcement tonight:

In East Prussia our troops are approaching the eastern outlet of the region around Lake Masurie.

In the vicinity of Goldapp, Malawa and Soldau engagements have occurred which have been in our favor.

In Galicia we are continuing a vigorous offensive.

PARIS, Thursday, Nov. 12.—A dispatch from Petrograd to the Havas Agency.

The Messenger de l'Armée prints a story to the effect that the Germans are constructing various kinds of barriers to impede the Russian advance, especially in the region of the Russian border.

Russian Poland, and are working night and day on the fortifications at Thorn.

Gen. Martini has been detached to Cracow, and the civil population has evacuated the city.

KAISER'S SON IS CHIEF OF EASTERN ARMIES

Appointed to Direct Entire Operations Against Russia—Another German General Captured

PARIS, Nov. 11.—The Petrograd correspondent of The Matin telegraphs the following:

"It is reported that after a council of war, presided over by the Kaiser, the Crown Prince, the appointed Commander in Chief of all the German and Austrian armies operating against Russia, with Gen. von Hindenburg commanding the left wing, and Gen. Dankl the right."

LONDON, Nov. 11.—Contrary to the German report that the Russians had been checked on the frontier of East Prussia, Petrograd declares that a brilliant success in that region has been succeeded by an actual invasion of German territory.

An equal triumph is reported from the other end of the long Russian battle line, with Cossacks raiding within twenty miles of Cracow, the command of the Russian army in that region being placed in the hands of the Crown Prince.

Przemysl is again said to be fully invested, and the Russian forces are likely to precede any further advance by the Russian left wing.

From Moscow comes a report that in addition to Gen. von Liebert, who was in command at Lodz when the Russians recaptured that city, Gen. von Mackensen, commander of the Seventeenth Army Corps, together with members of his staff, has been captured.

Petrograd is not wholly satisfied with the scope of the victories reported and is generally anxious for the belief prevailing in military circles that if the Russian strategy of the Napoleonic era had been more fully followed, even to the extent of the surrender of Warsaw, the invaders never would have returned to their own country with intact fighting organizations. Others feel that political motives quite justified the Government in its determination to defend Warsaw.

BERLIN GETS NO NEWS.

Not a Line in Papers About Russian Invasion of Germany.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. COLOGNE, Nov. 11. (Dispatch to The London Daily News.)—Berlin is being kept absolutely in the dark as to the growing critical situation on the eastern front.

Not a line appears in the German papers about the Russian Army setting foot on German soil.

BERLIN, Nov. 11. (By Wireless to Sayville, L. I.)—Included in the information given out to the press today from official quarters is the following:

"The rout of a Russian battalion near

THE WAR SITUATION.

BY THE MILITARY EXPERT OF THE NEW YORK TIMES.

(An Associate Editor of The Army and Navy Journal.)

The fighting in Belgium shows two well-defined movements. Along the coast the British and Belgians are pushing forward under the protection of their gunboats in an effort to work their way around the German flank. The advance of Lombardtsyde shows a lack of German strength at this point and a tendency on the part of the Allies to assume a more aggressive role. Just south of Dismude the German success near Laingemarck shows an earlier reverse, since they were last reported at Bixchoote, two miles to the west. The line of the Allies in Belgium seems to have held firm from Armentières to the coast, in spite of the energy with which the German attacks have been pressed.

The close fighting of the last nine weeks in France has been very trying to the morale of the troops. In spite of the relatively small changes in the positions, the aggregate losses have been large. The constant bombardment and the tours of duty in the trenches are especially wearing on the nerves.

The opposing lines have now been pushed forward until they are within 200 or 300 yards of each other at important points. Here the combatants burrow in deep trenches and bomb-proofs for protection against the shrapnel and grenades that are used by the enemy in the effort to reach the troops behind the parapets. Whenever the opportunity offers, a surprise attack is made by night in an effort to seize the enemy's position. Every preparation is made before dark; at a signal the pioneers leap out and rush forward with wire cutters and dynamite to destroy the wire entanglements and other obstacles in front of the enemy's parapets. Close behind follow the infantry columns. If sufficient progress can be made before discovery, the charging troops get close enough to make a rush for the enemy's trenches and to drive out with the bayonet the garrison that remains for their defense. If the attack is discovered in time the enemy brings a concentrated fire to bear that causes immense loss for the assailants.

Even when the enemy's trench is captured, the advance can seldom be carried further. The enemy maintains in the rear reserves for just such emergencies. These troops are rushed to the front, and strengthen the defense along the second or third line of trenches, and thus check the assailants' progress. Both sides then are strenuously in the effort to hold their new positions, and to convert them into strong first line intrenchments.

This kind of fighting has been occurring over and over again all along the line. The various successes reported in the dispatches are merely all of this character. While these small or conflicts have little influence on the final outcome, they are an essential part of the fighting. By this means each side keeps the other busy and prevents it from concentrating its troops on one portion of the line. The dispatches are merely all of this character. While these small or conflicts have little influence on the final outcome, they are an essential part of the fighting. By this means each side keeps the other busy and prevents it from concentrating its troops on one portion of the line.

On the south flank of the fighting in France the developments are especially encouraging to the French, although they have as yet little influence on the campaign as a whole. In their effort to protect their right flank and to prosecute a vigorous campaign against the Allies in Belgium the Germans have very much weakened their forces on their left flank. As a consequence the French have been able to push forward to the Lorraine border north of Nancy and to seize the passes through the Vosges east of St. Die.

Konin (thirty-three miles northeast of Kalisz, in Russian Poland) by a detachment of German cavalry appears to have been thorough, and while this engagement is without great importance, it shows the offensive spirit of the German troops. No other news has been received from the eastern arena.

Special dispatches received from Czernowitz, in Bukovina, report that important movements of Russian troops are being planned in Bessarabia and East Galicia, apparently inspired by the campaign against Turkey.

The Vienna Fremdenblatt has published a dispatch from Czernowitz, saying that the Russians on Nov. 9 threw shells into their city and apparently speedily were silenced. An advance guard skirmish before Czernowitz ended in a Russian retreat.

Sends Prisoners to Vladivostok. PEKING, Nov. 11.—Reports reaching here from Harbin, Manchuria, set forth that Russia is transporting her European prisoners of war as far east as Vladivostok.

ANTI-GERMAN PLOT IN CONSTANTINOPLE

Leaders of the Conspiracy Against the Young Turks and Their Advisers Shot.

ARMY SUCCESSES REPORTED

Ottoman Troops Said to Have Occupied a Fort at El-Arish, on the Palestine-Egypt Border.

LONDON, Nov. 11.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company from Athens says:

"It is learned that a conspiracy has broken out at Constantinople against the Germans and Young Turks. The chief conspirators were arrested and shot."

The population of the Ottoman capital, becoming very excited as a result of the Turkish defeats, on Sunday visited a demonstration on a number of German non-commissioned officers, whom they attacked.

BERLIN, Nov. 11. (By Wireless Telegraphy to Sayville, L. I.)—The Turks are meeting with considerable success in their operations in the Caucasus and on the Egyptian frontier, according to an official announcement made by the Turkish Government and given out here.

The Turks, it is stated, have occupied the Sheikar Fort at El-Arish, Egypt, on the boundary between Egypt and Palestine, and have taken four field guns from the enemy.

The Russians in the Caucasus have been forced to retire to their second lines of defense.

Another official announcement given to the press here today is as follows:

"Constantinople reports the continuation of Turkish offensive movements on the Caucasian border in spite of the snow. Other reports received here from Athens declare that the Turkish operations against Egypt are progressing, and that there is much military activity in Syria."

The Turkish Government declares with emphasis that the report in the Paris Temps of an invading Turkish Armenian is a flat lie.

It is reported here from Athens that Bulgaria has refused to adopt the anti-Turkish attitude suggested by the Triple Entente powers in return for the promise of an addition of Adrianople to Bulgarian territory.

The Bulgarian Minister at Rome has said in an interview that Bulgaria would keep neutral in the present war, the Minister declared, and under no circumstances would she fight Turkey.

The President of the Turkish Chamber of Deputies, Halli Bey, has arrived at Bucharest, Rumania, on a special mission.

BERLIN, (via London.) Nov. 11.—The following was contained in a German official statement received by the Marconi Wireless Telegraph Company today:

"There are movements of strong Russian forces in East Galicia and in Bessarabia, (a Government of Southwestern Russia,) this apparently being in connection with the Turkish war."

General headquarters at Constantinople report that, although snow is falling and in spite of a heavy atmosphere, our offensive on the Caucasian frontier is maintained."

PARIS, Thursday, Nov. 12.—The following dispatch has been received by the Havas Agency from Athens:

"It is announced that a British destroyer has captured two Turkish sailing ships near the Island of Tenedos."

CIVIL WAR IN ALBANIA.

Troops Sent to Avlona Disarm Citizens and Restore Turkish Flag.

PARIS, Thursday, Nov. 12.—A telegram from Athens to the Havas Agency says:

"The town of Berat, Albania, has been pillaged and completely destroyed. Anarchy reigns at Avlona, Albania, and that region is a prey to civil war."

REPORT CHRISTIANS IN PERIL IN TURKEY

Views of Refugees Now in Petrograd—All Men Forced Into the Army.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. PETROGRAD, Nov. 11. (Dispatch to The London Morning Post.)—Refugees who have arrived here from Constantinople report that the state of things

there and in Turkey generally is appalling. Brigandage, murder, and atrocities are committed. Armenians being the chief victims, but all Christians and foreigners are in great danger.

One refugee, a Greek, tells me he ran away to escape forced military service, leaving his wife and his mother behind. According to his account the Turkish authorities are forcing every man possible into the ranks of the army.

The fighting on Saturday and Sunday at Koprake was not renewed on Monday, but the day was spent in a vigorous artillery duel, apparently without result. In the meantime Russian columns are marching up in two directions to reinforce each other for an attack on Erzerum.

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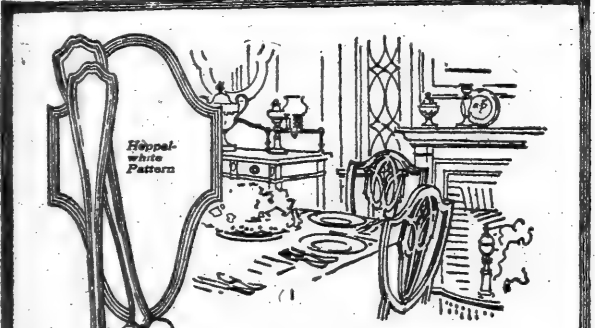
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Injustice"—Matter Sent Back
to County Court.

Justice Russell Benedict, in the Supreme Court in Brooklyn, yesterday ordered the two indictments against Edward M. Grout, who was President of the Union Bank at the time of its failure, stricken from the calendar of the Supreme Court and sent back to the County Court for disposition. After giving his decision Justice Benedict read a memorandum in which he rebuked District Attorney James C. Cropley for a criticism of the Supreme Court and its Justices. At the annual dinner of the Fulton Street Board of Trade on Oct. 22, the District Attorney said that Mr. Grout's trial was "trying to get a Judge who is not handicapped and one who is not a bosom or rather lap friend of the man who is to be tried, and a Judge who would at least give the people a fair trial."

Mr. Cropley, who was in court, appeared to be very uncomfortable while Justice Benedict admonished him. The courtroom was crowded, and at the end of the Justice's remarks there was a ripple of applause that was silenced by the Justice.

Stephen C. Baldwin made an application on Tuesday to have one indictment against Mr. Grout dismissed, and a second indictment dismissed or placed on the calendar for trial immediately. Justice Benedict announced he would give a decision yesterday. The first indictment charged Mr. Grout with having made a false report to the State Banking Department in regard to the assets of the Union Bank. American charged him with having committed perjury in swearing to the statement.

Cites Cropley's Speech.
Justice Benedict denied both these motions, and then read a memorandum to "Mr. District Attorney," in which he said:

"I hold in my hand copies of two tracts of some remarks purporting to have been made by you on Oct. 22, 1914, at a public function in this borough at which you were a guest. Ordinarily the Justices of the court suffer to pass in silence popular criticism of the official acts, relying on the American spirit of fairness to recognize and resent unjustifiable attacks upon their courts, and to appreciate the fact that the Justices are honestly striving to the utmost of their ability to serve the people who have elevated them to the high office which they occupy.

But the Justices of this court are at least entitled to the same measure of protection against false and malicious aspersions upon their integrity as the law affords to any other citizen. It is too much to expect that the members of the bar will refrain from slandering the court. Can the court retain either the respect of the people or its own self-respect if it willfully tolerate statements as to the integrity of its members to pass unnoticed?

Mr. Grout, the defendant in the most responsible office outside of the court itself, connected with the administration of criminal law in this country and a prominent member of the bar of this court, have seen fit to make a public attack upon the judicial integrity of every member of this court in this district. The attack was not made under the statement of a trial, for which condition allowance is always to be made. It manifests no motive more worthy than that

which would arise from demagogic intolerance. As a member of this court, I feel reluctant to compel to take notice of your attack upon the court and to rebuke you openly for your speech, for which I regret to say, no apology of retraction has been made.

"I venture to say that you know as well as I do that there is not one member of this court who would favor the State as against this defendant upon this trial.

"Essence of Injustice."
"If the defendant be in fact guilty, you are greatly to be blamed for not having brought him to the bar of justice within the three years which have almost elapsed since you entered upon your office. If he be innocent, you are using the powers of your great office oppressively in keeping him under indictment, which you might have long since brought, but which you have not seen fit to bring to trial. In either case it is of the essence of injustice to delay his trial. The Appellate Division has appointed many terms for the trial of this case of criminal causes during the past three years since the finding of the first indictment and during the year which has almost elapsed since the finding of the second, at any one of which you were at liberty to try the trial of this defendant. Instead, however, you have moved the trial of many bail cases of minor importance which should have been disposed of in the County Court of this county.

"While we know that a trial fair and impartial to both the people and to this defendant can be had in our Supreme Court, yet, as you have asserted to the contrary, it will be more proper to try these indictments in another court, and if the defendant be there acquitted, you will not be able to assert that such acquittal was due to any influence such as you have falsely charged may be exerted in the Supreme Court."

When Justice Benedict had finished, Mr. Cropley arose and said:
"Your Honor probably does not know that this case is now on the calendar of the County Court over the motion of the District Attorney."

"I do not care to hear you further," said Justice Benedict. "You had a very lengthy hearing yesterday."

Mr. Cropley would make no statement in reply to Justice Benedict.

CONVICT IN SULLIVAN INQUIRY.

New Witness to Tell About ex-Banker's Treatment.

District Attorney Cropley, who is conducting the investigation before the Kings County Grand Jury of the conditions at Sing Sing Prison relating to the life there of David A. Sullivan, has decided to accept the offer of John Conway, a convict in Auburn Prison, transferred from Sing Sing, to testify. He is to be sent back to Sing Sing for convenience.

George Dealey, Head Keeper of Sing Sing, was a witness before the Grand Jury yesterday. He is said to be the man whom Sullivan sent to find out what was going on in the room where Assistant District Attorney Goldstein was trying to interview Sullivan and Warden McCormick.

The District Attorney wanted also to question Dealey about the source of the telephone calls sent to Mrs. Sullivan at her home in Brooklyn and to Miss Louise D. Burkhardt, former confidential secretary to Sullivan, at her residence in Yonkers, an hour after Assistant District Attorney Goldstein arrived at the jail. Mr. Cropley is working on the theory that these calls served as a warning so that the two women could elude process servers. Miss Burkhardt testified again, and also is to appear again today.

Thomas J. Sharkey Arrested.

Thomas J. Sharkey, the ex-pugilist, was arrested yesterday on the complaint of Isaac and Max Roth, contractors, who accused him of inducing them to fit up a saloon at 723 Seventh Avenue at a cost of \$800 by saying he had already spent \$10,000 on the place. In supplementary proceedings Sharkey testified that he did not buy the property. He furnished \$500 bail.

HARTMAN TO ACCUSE ANOTHER OF FRAUDS

Counsel Says He Will Name
Man Who Stole Fortune
of Mrs. Mackenzie.

PRISONER FAILS TO GET BAIL

Record of His Stock and Bond
Transactions to be Produced
by the Prosecution.

Failing in his efforts to obtain a \$25,000 bail bond, Richard J. Hartman, former President of Tyson & Co., who was charged by Mrs. Charlotte L. Mackenzie with having stolen her fortune of nearly \$700,000, remained in a cell in the Tombs yesterday and last night. Hartford T. Marshall of 34 Nassau Street, Hartman's attorney, sought to obtain bail for his client from several surety companies, but was unsuccessful, as were several of Hartman's friends also.

Mr. Marshall said that he saw no hope at present for the prisoner's release on bail. The lawyer seemed certain, however, that Hartman would be released by the first jury that heard his case. He said he would seek to have his client tried at the earliest possible time.

Hartman is not guilty of the large copy charged by Mrs. Mackenzie, Mr. Marshall said. "He never had the power of attorney for her and he never hypothecated a single share of stock. He had some of her stock years ago, but returned it to her intact. As long as he had it was with her full consent. If the lady has suffered any loss since one other than Hartman is responsible and should be made to take the consequences."

It is perfectly true that Mrs. Mackenzie invested some of her money in the DuSoy Company, with which Hartman was connected, but she did so with full knowledge of what she was doing and of her own free will. She simply believed in the success of the company, as Hartman did, and saw fit to buy stock in it. Hartman was not to blame for the prospects for the company were not realized.

Denies Hartman Misrepresentation.

"Regarding the two diamond rings that Mrs. Mackenzie intimated Hartman took, I can say that Hartman never heard of them until yesterday. He never had a key to Mrs. Mackenzie's safety deposit box and never had any of her jewelry. Also I have heard it said that Hartman was introduced to Mrs. Mackenzie in London as 'Judge Hartman' and represented himself as an English Justice of the Peace. This is untrue. Hartman never was introduced to Mrs. Mackenzie as a Judge and he did not try to conceal his identity from her. He was Mrs. Mackenzie's friend and nothing more."

Last January Hartman heard that Mrs. Mackenzie contemplated bringing charges against him and he came to me to ask that I have the charges, whatever they were, investigated at once. I went to the District Attorney's office and requested that a full and immediate investigation be made, and when nothing was done I concluded that there was no basis of action. Especially was I reassured when at about that time I learned that Mrs. Mackenzie had taken her case to a law firm in the city and had been told that she had no valid complaint. Later her case

was accepted by the firm that turned it over to the District Attorney's office. The defense of Hartman, as indicated in what his counsel says, will be that Mrs. Mackenzie was robbed by some one other than Hartman. An effort will be made to show that another man, whose name has not been made public in the case, really held the power of attorney for Mrs. Mackenzie and that his not Hartman, used her stock for his own ventures. Mr. Marshall said that he could name the man whose name was given to the District Attorney Walter S. Deuel, who has had charge of the Hartman case, appeared to feel a certain amount of relief at the acquittal of Mr. Marshall did of his acquittal.

"I believe," said Mr. Deuel, "that we could convict Hartman, even if Mrs. Mackenzie did not testify against him. We have strong evidence in the indisputable record of his stock and bond transactions."

It became known that the witnesses who testified before the Grand Jury that indicted Hartman were Mrs. Mackenzie, Guthrie B. Plante of the law firm of Morris & Plante, to whom Mrs. Mackenzie was before Hartman some time ago to the District Attorney, and William S. McGuire. It was said that Mr. McGuire was counsel for Hartman before he was given to the District Attorney, and that this was denied by Mr. Marshall, who said that Mr. McGuire had been Mrs. Mackenzie's counsel, but never Hartman's.

Data on Stock Deals.
Mr. McGuire told Assistant District Attorney Deuel, it was understood, that he had sold some stock for Hartman which he believed to be the time to be Hartman's by every legal right. He was brought into the case, it was said, when Morris & Plante began investigating Hartman's transactions. His purpose before the Grand Jury, according to report, was merely to furnish data on stock deals Hartman had conducted through him.

Mrs. Mackenzie kept herself hidden all day, efforts to find her being fruitless. It was said by those who know her that she wished to avoid publicity as much as possible. The extent of her financial ruin was more appreciated when it became known that she had been forced to sell her country home at Glen Spey, Sullivan County, N. Y., in the days of prosperity. It was said, she spent much of her time in the city, and her annual expenditures were about \$100,000. A large part of this was spent in traveling.

Hartman's case will come up for pleading in the Court of General Sessions on Tuesday. At that time Mr. Marshall will ask for an inspection of the Grand Jury records upon which Hartman was indicted.

HARTMAN'S SUITS IN JERSEY.

Foreclosure on Home and Other Judgments Against Him.

Special to The New York Times.

HACKENSACK, N. J., Nov. 11.—Richard J. Hartman, whose residence is at Tenafly, five miles from here, has had troubles in this vicinity as well as in New York. He has been a defendant in civil courts of this county, and judgments and dispossessions orders have been served on him by Sheriff Robert N. Heath. Two years ago he purchased the Van Antwerp residence in Maple Avenue, Tenafly, for about \$25,000, of which he paid \$10,000 in cash, giving a mortgage of \$15,000. The New York Life Insurance Company foreclosed the mortgage and sold the property on Sept. 9 last. An order directing Hartman to vacate this premises was issued at the time by the Court of Chancery, but to date he has not obeyed the order.

In the April term of the Circuit Court, Edward F. Craig, a New York stockbroker, obtained a judgment against Hartman for \$3,000 on a loan. An execution against Hartman's furniture was obtained. His wife blocked the execution claim to the property, the ownership of which will be decided in the courts this week. Several suits have been filed against Hartman by grocers, butchers and other tradesmen.

Hartman's housewife and two touring cars have disappeared, and his residence is now without a telephone.

CALLS ITALY UNFAIR TO AMERICAN SHIPS

P. A. S. Franklin Protests to
Secretary Bryan Against
Immigration Rules.

HEAVY PENALTIES IMPOSED

Bond of \$4,000 and of \$20 Each
for Steerage Passengers Required
for License.

P. A. S. Franklin, Vice President and General Manager of the International Mercantile Marine Company, sent a telegram last night to the State Department calling the attention of Secretary Bryan to the discrimination being made by the Italian Government against American vessels in the immigrant traffic between New York and Italian ports.

According to the Italian laws every foreign vessel carrying steerage passengers to or from Italy must have an Italian license, which is obtained from the Consul in New York after the severe requirements have been met. Any foreign vessel landing more than fifty steerage passengers at an Italian port without this license is liable to a fine of \$20 for each one in excess of the number.

When R. H. Farley, General Manager of the third-class passenger department of the International Mercantile Marine Company, applied to the Italian Consul for a license for the Finland to leave New York for Naples on Nov. 21, the Consul replied that in future a bond of \$4,000 for the ship and \$20 for each passenger in excess of the number permitted to be deposited here with the Banca di Napoli before the vessel could be licensed.

"This meant," Mr. Farley said, "that

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Of a Famous Make in This Underprice Distribution

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In this sale we offer you the annual surplus lines from a world-famous shirt maker. Also hundreds of boxes of fine shirts ordered by Western stores months ago, which are not being accepted because of business depression in those districts.

Madras Negligee Shirts with French or Laundered Cuffs
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Silk-Bosom Negligee Shirts in Beautiful Patterns
Silk-Striped Madras Negligee Shirts with French Cuffs
Silk-Striped and Pure Silk Plaited Bosom Shirts

All in all this is the greatest shirt sale in years. Newest and smartest patterns for Fall and Winter. Every one spotless. Many have an extra pair of cuffs which can be sewn on when the first pair wears out. Every size from 13½ to 17½. Extra salespeople in attendance to wait on you promptly.

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"Kingly" Trousers—popular styles in cassimeres, striped worsteds, blue all-wool serge and black thibets. All sizes to 58 waist-measure; \$3 usually to \$5; at..

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Special Sale (Today) Thursday
Infants' and Small Children's Apparel

Angora Sweater Suits Four-piece suits, sweater, leggings, toque and mittens in white, gray, tan or red. 1 to 6 years. Value \$5.00	3.95	Washable Corduroy Coats Box or cape models of imported white corduroy, unlined. Sizes 6 months to 3 years. Value \$5.00	3.45
Angora Sweater Suits Four-piece suits, of superior quality Angora wool in white, Copen, gray, green, rose, tan or red. Sizes 1 to 6 years. Value \$8.50	5.75	Washable Corduroy Coats Box model of imported white corduroy, with hand embroidered scalloped collar and cuffs, unlined. Sizes 1 to 3 years. Value \$7.50	4.95
Silk Quilted Robes Hand-quilted Japanese Robes, in pink, blue, Copen, rose or red. Sizes 1 to 6 years. Value \$5.75	3.95	Children's Bath Robes Blanket or side-sleeved robes in pink, blue, rose, Copen or red. Sizes 1 to 6 years. Value \$2.75	1.85
Canton Flannel Night Drawers Of fine quality Canton flannel, with or without feet. Sizes 1 to 6 years. Value 85c	.65	White Corduroy Leggings Drawer leggings of white washable English corduroy. Sizes 1 to 6 years. Value \$3.75	2.45
Hand Smocked Dresses Hand-made, hand-smocked, yoke, Empire or long waist models, of fine nainsook, smocked white, pink or blue. Sizes 6 mos. to 6 years. Value \$5.75	3.50	French Pique Dresses Imported hand made, hand embroidered Dresses of fine white pique, embroidered in white, pink or blue. Sizes 2 to 6 years. Value \$8.50	5.95

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Small Children's Coats and Hats

Sizes 2 to 6 Years.

Velveteen or Corduroy Coats Of imported velveteen or corduroy, low belted or box models, in navy, green, Copenhagen, brown or black; silk lined; warmly interlined. 6.75 Heretofore \$9.75	Fur Trimmed Coats Of fine quality broad cloth, in navy, brown, Russian green, mahogany or tan; trimmed with skunk opossum, sable squirrel or Fitch fur; silk lined. 9.75 Heretofore \$12.75 to \$15.75
Children's Dressy Hats Of velvet, corduroy, velour or felt; smartly trimmed with fur, flowers or ribbon. 2.50 and 4.50 Heretofore \$3.95 to \$5.95	

BOGUS PROFIT GOT LOANS FOR SIEGEL

Bank Official Swears He Was
Deluded by Statements,
Regarding Enterprises.

HIS SUSPICIONS ALLAYED

Formal Reports Assured Bank-
ers That Enterprises Here
Were Highly Prosperous.

PRALL TO HELP STATE

Confidential Siegel Employee, Prose-
cutor Asserts, Will Tell the
"Whole Miserable Story."

Special to The New York Times.

GENESEO, N. Y., Nov. 11.—Several important lines of the defense of Henry Siegel, formerly head of the Siegel department stores in New York and Boston, and the Siegel-Vogel private bank were disclosed this afternoon in the examination of the first witness, H. P. Howell, one of the Vice Presidents of the National Bank of Commerce.

Siegel is accused of having obtained \$24,000 from that institution on June 14, 1913, by submitting a false credit statement.

Just before the adjournment of court Ross M. Lovell, a partner in the Elmira law office of John B. Stanchfield, chief counsel for Mr. Siegel, obtained from Mr. Howell an admission that Mr. Siegel had obtained a loan of \$24,000 from the National Bank of Commerce more than a month before the credit statement was submitted.

The defense will try to show that the loan was not obtained on a false statement, but that the statement was submitted simply to obtain a renewal of the loan. The prosecution is confident it will overcome this contention.

As a matter of fact, Assistant District Attorney Arthur C. Train will submit evidence tending to prove that the defendant Siegel and Vogel prepared false statements of their financial condition for many years. Mr. Train, at the conclusion of his opening speech in the morning, asserted that Mr. Siegel began ten years ago to prepare to stage off criminal prosecution. "Finally, when he knew he could obtain no more loans," said Mr. Train, "and when he knew that an investigation of his business methods would bring him to trial, he called in his confidential secretary, Robert G. McKeekin, who is here and will tell the whole story to you. Siegel said to Mr. McKeekin: 'Go over to the Public Library and find out what countries in the world there are in which I can go and cannot be brought back—what countries there are with which the United States has no extradition treaties.'"

When the cross-examination of Mr. Howell was begun, Attorney Lovell admitted that he was not familiar with the case when he asked the witness if J. P. Morgan,

Jr., H. P. Davidson, G. L. Hines, Charles A. Peabody, Albert H. Wiggins, J. S. Alexander, George F. Baker, and finally John Claflin were not Directors of that institution. Mr. Howell said that Mr. Claflin had resigned this year. After adjournment Mr. Lovell said he simply wanted to show that in making the loan to the Siegel-Vogel enterprise the National Bank of Commerce had advantage of the best financial advice.

Mr. Howell testified that he had been associated with the National Bank of Commerce since Jan. 2, 1912, when he took charge of loans to commercial houses. He said his first saw the late Frank E. Vogel on March 12, 1913, after having received a letter from him dated Feb. 14, 1913, containing a statement of the condition of the Fourteenth Street Store as of Feb. 1, 1913.

Vogel was taken into the office of James S. Alexander, President of the bank, where the credit statement of the Fourteenth Street Store was discussed in the presence of Mr. Howell. Mr. Alexander represented to the bank's President and Vice President that the statement of the Fourteenth Street Store was a statement of a business of \$5,000,000, according to Mr. Howell, and led them to believe that it was a profitable concern. Mr. Vogel said he had been told that the bank wanted to see an advertisement of the Fourteenth Street Store and the Rothenberg store, which Mr. Vogel said he also told Mr. Vogel that the bank desired to have a state out of the financial condition of the department store.

Told Vogel of Rumors. Following a telephone conversation with Mr. Vogel, Mr. Howell said he saw Mr. Vogel on March 24, when he told Mr. Siegel's partner that rumors were current that their institutions were in a distressed condition and was assured by Mr. Vogel that such was not the case. He advised Mr. Vogel, however, that if they were in as good condition as represented he had better inform the commercial agencies.

Mr. Howell testified that the credit statement of Feb. 1, 1913, was the subject of discussion when Mr. Siegel went to the bank about April 9, 1913, as was also a statement of Feb. 3, 1913, signed by Mr. Vogel as President, and a letter signed by Oscar A. Prall, treasurer, advising the condition of the Fourteenth Street Store. Mr. Siegel, he said, informed the bank that the bank was doing a satisfactory business.

Mr. Alexander, according to the witness, then informed Mr. Siegel that the various Siegel-Vogel concerns were so inter-related that the bank was unable to have statements of the financial condition of all Siegel promised to send them.

The prosecution then introduced a letter of April 11, 1913, signed by Mr. Siegel, who wrote to the National Bank of Commerce, saying that none of the installment or charge accounts of the Fourteenth Street Store was pledged, and ended the letter by informing the bank that he would be pleased to send the required statements as soon as Mr. Vogel returned from Chicago.

A letter from Oscar A. Prall, dated April 12, 1913, was introduced in evidence, with attached statements showing the condition of the Simpson-Crawford Company and the Henry Siegel Company. Mr. Howell said that he saw Mr. Vogel again on April 22, and agreed to discount a note falling due on April 29 on the strength of these statements. A statement of the condition of the Fourteenth Street Store on Feb. 1, 1913, by comparison with the statement of the year before, showed that a profit of \$23,000 had been made, and by comparison with the statements of the previous year these profits and losses were set forth:

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1912 (signed by Siegel)	75,000
1913	11,000
1908	51,000
1907	9,000
1906	65,045

The credit statement of the Simpson-Crawford Company showed 1913, \$17,000 profit; 1912, \$54,000 profit; 1911, \$102,000 profit.

Didn't Know of Private Bank.

"Were you aware that Henry Siegel and E. Vogel were conducting a banking business under the name of

Henry Siegel & Co., bankers, in the

Fourteenth Street Store?" asked Mr. Train.

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pany. Mr. Howell said that he saw Mr.

Vogel again on April 22, and agreed

to discount a note falling due on

April 29 on the strength of these state-

ments. A statement of the condition

of the Fourteenth Street Store on Feb.

1, 1913, by comparison with the state-

ment of the year before, showed that

a profit of \$23,000 had been made, and

by comparison with the statements of

the previous year these profits and

losses were set forth:

Profit	\$10,000
1912 (signed by Siegel)	75,000
1913	11,000
1908	51,000
1907	9,000
1906	65,045

The credit statement of the Simpson-

Crawford Company showed 1913, \$17,000

profit; 1912, \$54,000 profit; 1911, \$102,

000 profit.

Didn't Know of Private Bank.

"Were you aware that Henry Siegel

and E. Vogel were conducting a bank-

ing business under the name of

Henry Siegel & Co., bankers, in the

Fourteenth Street Store?" asked Mr.

Train.

"I was not,"

Did the statements show any loan

by the bank to any of the various Siegel

stores, or any loans of the Siegel enter-

prises to each other?"

After adjournment Mr. Lovell said he

wanted to show that in making the loan

to the Siegel-Vogel enterprise the

National Bank of Commerce had advantage

of the best financial advice.

Mr. Howell testified that he had been

associated with the National Bank of

Commerce since Jan. 2, 1912, when he

took charge of loans to commercial

houses. He said his first saw the late

Frank E. Vogel on March 12, 1913,

after having received a letter from him

dated Feb. 14, 1913, containing a state-

ment of the condition of the Fourteenth

Street Store as of Feb. 1, 1913.

Vogel was taken into the office of

James S. Alexander, President of the

bank, where the credit statement of the

Fourteenth Street Store was discussed

in the presence of Mr. Howell. Mr. Alexander

represented to the bank's President and

Vice President that the statement of the

Fourteenth Street Store was a statement

of a business of \$5,000,000, according to

Mr. Howell, and led them to believe that

it was a profitable concern. Mr. Vogel

said he had been told that the bank

wanted to see an advertisement of the

Fourteenth Street Store and the Rothen-

berg store, which Mr. Vogel said he also

told Mr. Vogel that the bank desired to

have a state out of the financial condition

of all Siegel promised to send them.

The prosecution then introduced a let-

ter of April 11, 1913, signed by Mr.

Siegel, who wrote to the National Bank

of Commerce, saying that none of the

installment or charge accounts of the

Fourteenth Street Store was pledged,

and ended the letter by informing the

bank that he would be pleased to send

the required statements as soon as Mr.

Vogel returned from Chicago.

A letter from Oscar A. Prall, dated

April 12, 1913, was introduced in evi-

MRS. WAGNER PUT UNDER SUSPENSION

Board of Education Decides Against Teacher Mother Despite Dr. Maxwell's Protest.

FOR COMMITTEE OF INQUIRY

One to be Appointed to Determine Future Policy on Problem—Churchill Answers Mitchell.

The Board of Education for fully two hours and a half yesterday afternoon wrestled with the case of Mrs. Lora M. Wagner, the teacher-mother in the Curtis High School. First, it decided by a vote of 25 to 8 against the report of its Committee on High Schools granting her a leave of absence from Nov. 3, 1914, to Sept. 10, 1915, for the purpose of rearing her child. Then by a vote of 23 to 8 and despite the vigorous protest of City Supt. Maxwell it instructed District Supt. Bardwell to prefer charges of neglect of duty against her and to suspend her from duty. Finally it adopted a resolution authorizing a special committee of seven members to confer with the By-laws Committee and report as to what should be the future policy of the board on the teacher-mother problem. The various resolutions offered on the subject, including that of Isadore M. Levy, granting leave of absence to a teacher-mother and permitting her return to the service under certain conditions, were referred to this committee.

Motion for Suspension. When Mrs. Wagner's case was reached on the calendar, William G. Wilcox, one of the two members from Staten Island, where her school is situated, declared that he saw no good reason for making an exception in Mrs. Wagner's favor. He moved, therefore, to lay the report on the table, and to instruct District Supt. Bardwell to suspend Mrs. Wagner.

Joseph Baronides wanted to know if the board was afraid to discuss the question. "We are again face to face with this problem," said Dr. Ira S. Wile, "but with the issue entirely different from that in any of the other cases. The board is not now able to take advantage of a technicality. Apparently we are not acting honestly with the mother-teacher. If we employ a married teacher until she becomes a mother and then dismiss her, we are not consistent. The opponents of the mother-teacher have failed to prove that maternity makes her less efficient. There should be one rule for all. Only a few months ago we granted a year's leave of absence to a teacher to go West to tend a sick foster father. If we have a non-athletic teacher we cannot get rid of her, but we take advantage of a technicality against the mother-teacher. I love my mother, respect my children, and love my wife," said Joseph Baronides, "and I would not be worth the salt I destroy nor the space I occupy if I did not express my utter indignation at a thing of this kind. It is a humane issue; it has nothing to do with parties. I am willing to stand up and be counted with my mother, children, and wife. If it be a crime for married teachers to bear children we should bar women from our schools."

Fourteen Cases Now Pending. "Every one of us," said George J. Gillespie, "has respect for motherhood. There are now fourteen mother-teacher cases pending before the Elementary Schools Committee. Every one of them has been suspended from duty. Each and every one of these cases viewed from any standpoint is as meritorious as the one we are discussing, and I might add even more meritorious. Mrs. Wagner's case is essentially the same as that of Mrs. Edgell, the high school teacher whose request for leave of absence to bear and rear a child was denied. We are awaiting the decision of Dr. Finley in Mrs. Pelototto's case. Until we get it the board will be in a state of suspense. Until we receive Dr. Finley's decision all teachers should be treated alike."

Every L. Winthrop, former President of the board, said: "The decision of the State Superintendent of Education will not affect my vote one way or the other; what-over he decides the board may change its mind. Public opinion of the country is against us in this matter." There were several members present. On the vote to adopt the committee's report only Miss Martha Lipson, Dr. Ewing, Mrs. E. Bamberger, Mrs. Alice Lee Post, and Mrs. Christine Thomas voted no. When Morton Stein offered a resolution that District Superintendent Bardwell be instructed to prefer charges of neglect of duty against Mrs. Wagner and then suspend her, Dr. Maxwell said to do so within two weeks of the birth of her child would be a cruel and inhuman act. If the board insisted on it, the charges and suspension should be made by itself. Gen. Wingate said that Mrs. Wagner's conduct was not such as to commend her to the consideration of the board. John Martin said that she was a reckless woman who had jeopardized the life of herself and child acting under the advice of women agitators. Mrs. Wagner's letter, saying that she would report for duty on Monday was read before the order to suspend her was adopted.

President Churchill's Answer to Mayor Mitchell's Letter on the mother-teacher issue was made public yesterday. In it he says: "The suggestion of leaves of absence for the board, and representatives of the board, has been investigated. The procedure there with regard to the question at issue, my direction, the division of reference and research of this department is making an inquiry into the procedure in many other large cities. The facts reported will be presented to the board. It is not for me to say what considerations impelled the members of the Board to make the decision as they did. I should be reluctant to analyze the motives of the members of the board, the better, however, that the paramount consideration has been the efficient of the teachers."

In commenting upon his letter to President Churchill, Mayor Mitchell said: "My letter to Mr. Churchill indicates my present frame of mind, but it must not be construed as meaning that I am unalterably in favor of leaves of absence. My conclusions are not final. I am still open to argument."

LONGER HOURS FOR JURISTS

Supreme Court Justices to Sit from 10 A. M. to 5 P. M.

The Appellate Division of the Supreme Court yesterday handed down an order amending the rules of practice in New York and Bronx Counties, changing the bench hours of the Justices sitting in trial and special terms so that they will be from 10 A. M. to 5 P. M. instead of 10:30 A. M. to 4 P. M. The order was to be effective yesterday, but owing to the late hour at which it was filed in the County Clerk's office there was not sufficient time in which to give due notice to the Justices assigned to the various parts.

The order follows the action of the lower court Justices who adopted a resolution at a meeting a few nights ago in which they agreed to sit until 5 P. M. in trial parts, but not applying the rule to special terms. This resolution was to go into effect on Monday, but on Oct. 17, 201 new cases were added to the jury calendar, an increase of 20 per cent. over that of the same period last year. The special term calendar this year shows only a slight increase.

Justice Fort is sitting in a trial part, when asked for an opinion on the change said: "I am in favor of it. The Justices are of the opinion that they ought to sit longer hours owing to the increase in the jury cases, and that reason adopted the 5 o'clock resolution. I did not know the Appellate Division had taken any action."

The Times Index in School. A "New's Index" written by James Melvin Lee, Secretary of the American Association of Teachers of Journalism, gives items of interest to pupils of the different schools of Journalism. The Secretary recommends "The New York Times Index" to teachers of Journalism. He says: "It is a handy volume to have when one wants to find an item in the world's diary."

IGNORE INFANTICIDE IN CORONERS' WORK

Dr. Ewing Says Child Murder May Be Carried On Here with Impunity.

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Health Department Officials Say "Cause of Death" Given is Often Mere Guesswork.

Testifying under oath at a public hearing yesterday in the investigation of the Board of Coroners by Commissioner of Accounts Wallstein, Dr. George B. Ewing, Professor of Pathology at the Cornell Medical School, gave as his opinion that the Coroners of New York have failed to do their work properly and have made little or no attempt to detect and punish persons guilty of infanticide.

Dr. Ewing was told by Mr. Wallstein that only one case of infanticide was reported in Manhattan in 1913. He replied that he thought the actual number of cases was much greater. Then he added: "As far as the activities of the Coroners' office, as you have detailed them to me, are concerned, infanticide might be carried on with impunity in New York."

Commissioner Wallstein asked the expert if he considered the term "infanticide" which was found on many of the certificates of death filed with the Board of Health by Coroners, as sufficient, unless an autopsy was performed. He asserted emphatically that he did not, as poison such as strychnine, which was readily obtainable in this city, might have caused the convulsions. "It was absolutely necessary," he thought in order to guard against the increase of infanticide, to carefully investigate the cases brought to the attention of the Coroners.

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ASSAILS KAISER'S OFFICERS

Author Says They Are War Mad, and Poison Is the Only Thing for Them.

An editorial in The New York Staats-Zeitung yesterday characterizing Richard Harding Davis as a "contemptible poison monger" writing with a poisoned pen, brought forth a prompt reply from his home in Mount Kisco. The attack on Mr. Davis grew out of his letter of Nov. 8 in THE NEW YORK TIMES, in which he declared that the alleged confession of Col. W. E. Gordon, concerning dumdum bullets was a German forgery and offered to bet the German Ambassador at Washington \$100 to the penny that Col. Gordon did not write the letter. Mr. Davis insists he stands by his bet despite what The Staats-Zeitung says about him.

PLEDGES ASSEMBLY TO NEW GOVERNOR

Speaker Sweet Says Whitman
Can Have Any Legisla-
tion He Wants.

TO CUT OFF TAMMANY JOBS

Efficiency and Economy Commis-
sioner and Fire Marshal to be
Legislated Out of Office.

Speaker Thaddeus C. Sweet of the Assembly, who is a candidate for re-election, came to this city yesterday to tell Governor-elect Whitman that if chosen again he would do all in his power to bring about such a blissful state of harmony between the Governor and the Republican Assembly that "Gov. Whitman could have anything he wants in the way of legislation." Mr. Sweet is anxious to have the backing of the Governor-elect in his fight for the Speakership.

What Speaker Sweet intended to say became known to the Governor-elect some time before the Speaker had an opportunity to tell him last night. When Mr. Whitman heard of the Speaker's promise he smiled and said:

"Does the Speaker mean to say that he is going to cast one ballot for the entire Assembly? If he does, that is just as it ought to be. Of course I am glad to have the Speaker's assurances of support, and I hope the Legislature will give its whole-hearted support in the work of the coming administration at Albany."

Speaker Sweet had a talk with State Chairman Tanner before he sought out the Governor-elect at his headquarters at 37 Madison Avenue. It was after his conference with Chairman Tanner that Speaker Sweet made his statement.

"I do not believe there will be any 'ripper' legislation at Albany during the coming session," he said. "I do believe that there will be a continuous process of conservative reduction in the number of office holders and of elimination of departments and commissions that clearly are superfluous. I think something of that kind will be undertaken the moment the Legislature gets together. I am informed that bills will be introduced immediately to abolish the Efficiency and Economy Department and the Fire Marshal's office, both of which are absolutely useless except to provide easy berths for Tammany retainers. The present Republican Assembly voted to abolish both, but was balked in that purpose by the Tammany-controlled Senate. This time they will go, and there will be no departments created to take their place either."

Mr. Whitman said last night that as yet he had not decided finally upon any of his appointments. He intimated that he would announce his choices for Assistant General within the next fortnight. The name of Lewis William Stotsbury, a Republican who is present Inspector General of the First Brigade, is being mentioned. Randolph Sumption of Saratoga, Captain of Company L, Second Regiment, has been recommended to the Governor for Military Secretary by ex-Senator Edgar Truman Brackett.

George A. Glynn of Syracuse, a newspaperman, who was secretary to Gov. Horace White and William A. Hayward, former secretary of the Republican National Committee, are among those being considered as candidates for secretary to the Governor. Frederick C. Stevens, who was State Superintendent of Public Works under Gov. Hughes; N. V. Franchot, who held the same position under the late Gov. Hissling; and Winslow W. Mead, who was Deputy Superintendent of Public Works in both the Franchot and the Stevens administrations, are being mentioned in connection with the same office in the Whitman Administration. This is one of the appointments the Governor-elect will be free to make immediately upon taking office.

Mr. Whitman was asked yesterday regarding reports that he would appoint Frederick C. Tanner, his former campaign manager, who now is Chairman of the Republican State Committee, as his successor in the District Attorney's office.

"No decision has been reached in the matter," said Mr. Whitman. "Mr. Tanner is big enough for almost any position, and I certainly hope that I shall be able to secure his service to the people, but whether it will be as District Attorney or in some other position I cannot tell."

Mr. Whitman yesterday received a letter from Bainbridge Colby, the defeated Bull Moose candidate for United States Senator, warmly congratulating him upon his election. Mr. Whitman explained that he and Mr. Colby were old friends. As yet Mr. Whitman has not received either from Col. Roosevelt or from Frederick M. Baskin, his Progressive rival for the Governorship, any message of felicitation upon his election.

TWO CROSSES FOR GLYNN.

Aldermen Begin Canvass of the City
Vote to Last a Week.

The Aldermen sitting as a Board of County Canvassers began yesterday the tabulation of the vote cast in the five boroughs of the city at the last election. The Aldermen from each district, with the assistance of expert tabulators, will canvass the vote of his own district, and it is expected the entire canvass will be completed within a week. The first three Assembly Districts of Manhattan were completed yesterday.

It was found that some voters had voted for the office of Governor under both the Democratic and the Independence League emblems on the same ballot. In these cases, under a ruling of the Attorney General, one vote will be counted for Governor, but neither party will get the credit for the vote.

WADSWORTH SPENT \$9,086.

Senator-Elect Kept Campaign Expenses Well Within Receipts.

Special to The New York Times.
WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—James W. Wadsworth, Jr., Senator-elect from New York, reported to the Secretary of the Senate today that in his campaign for the nomination and election he received in contributions \$14,200 and that his expenditures amounted to \$9,086.88. The largest contributors to the fund were Clarence H. Mackay and O. H. Payne, who gave \$5,000 each. Mr. Wadsworth's father, ex-Representative James W. Wadsworth of Genesee, gave \$3,000. Other contributors were James Speyer, \$200; Mortimer Schiff, \$250, and W. V. Cook, \$250.

No statement has been filed by Ambassador James W. Gerard, the moderate Senator-elect. Under the law Mr. Gerard has until Dec. 3 to file his statement. Representative Lathrop Brown of the First Congressional District of New York, who, it is asserted, was re-elected to Congress by a plurality of 3,325.60 in the campaign. His Republican opponent, Frederick C. Wadsworth, spent \$2,714.08. In the Seventh District Representative John J. Fitzgerald, Chairman of the House Committee on Appropriations, reports expenditures of \$803.50, while his Republican opponent, Charles G. F. Wilcox, spent \$425. Representative E. M. Goldsloe of the Twelfth District, who was defeated by Meyer Londoner, a Socialist, spent \$50, while Mr. Londoner reports expenditures of \$100. Representative Thomas G. Ryan of the Thirteenth District was re-elected without spending any money. Representative Jacob A. Cantor of the Twentieth District, who also had no expenditures, was defeated by Isaac Siegel, Republican, who spent \$324.50 for his post-election expenses.

LOFT DEMANDS INQUIRY.

Campaign Chairman Says He Didn't
Solicit Federal Employees.

Through his counsel, Beekman, Menken & Griscom, Congressman George V. Loft yesterday made a formal demand on United States District Attorney H. Snowden Marshall for an immediate investigation by the Federal Grand Jury of a newspaper story which said he sent out letters asking campaign contributions from Federal employees in the Surveyor's Department. In a letter to Mr. Marshall, Mr. Loft, through his counsel, demanded that he be informed at once whether he was the author of the letters, and if so, whether he was guilty of any crime. Mr. Loft said yesterday through his counsel that he had never signed any of the letters, and that he had no knowledge of the sending out of any such letter, and that before accepting the nomination as Chairman of the Tammany Campaign Committee he had specifically directed that the committee should not solicit any Federal, State, or city employee. It was also said on behalf of Mr. Loft that at the time the letter was being sent out he was ill and absent from the city. District Attorney Marshall has assigned Assistant District Attorneys Roosa and Auchincloss to investigate the complaint of Mr. Loft and of Surveyor Thomas E. Rush against the newspaper story.

Prepare Data for Convention.

The commission created by the Legislature to compile data for the Constitutional Convention met yesterday in the office of Morgan J. O'Brien. Those attending were Mr. O'Brien, Lieut. Gov. Wagner, Speaker Sweet, John H. Finley, Commissioner of Education, and Prof. Samuel McCune Lindsay of Columbia. The commission will prepare a compendium of the various State Constitutions, of the projects for revision already before the public, and the various amendments which have been proposed and rejected since the convention of 1894. Another meeting will be held in Albany a week from Monday.

Justice Dugro Spent \$250.05.

Supreme Court Justice P. Henry Dugro, who was a successful candidate for re-election, filed a list of his campaign expenses yesterday with County Clerk Schneider. The Justice spent only \$250.05, of which \$20 was for 30,000 lithographs, which the Justice described as "containing a picture of myself and some literary matter descriptive of myself." The remainder of the money was mainly consumed in distributing these lithographs.

CANAL MEDALS DESIGNED.

Ship Carries 50,000 on First Ocean-
to-Ocean Passage.

When the Panama Railroad steamship Cristobal on Aug. 3 last, made the first ocean-to-ocean passage through the Panama Canal she carried 50,000 medals made to commemorate the occasion by the J. F. Newman Company of New York. The medal was made after designs suggested by Miss Elizabeth Rodman of Hollywood, Cal., a cousin of Capt. Hugh Rodman, U. S. N., Superintendent of Transportation in the Panama Canal Zone. The obverse represents Columbia uniting the Atlantic and the Pacific. Columbia stands on the prow of a caravel that is moving through the canal, and holds with both hands a scroll. One end of the scroll touches the Atlantic, the other the Pacific—these oceans being shown on two half globes which, together, represent the earth. Rays of light emanating from the head of the figure symbolize Columbia enlightening the world above the words "Prosperity to All Nations." On the reverse of the medal is the seal of the Canal Zone and the signature of Col. George W. Goethals, Chief Engineer and Chairman of the Isthmian Canal Commission.

TAMMANY CONGRESS

AS HILLES SEES IT

Republican Chairman Says the
Hall Will Hold Bal-
ance of Power.

PRESIDENT AT ITS MERCY

Thinks Twenty New Yorkers Will
Block Wilson's Legislation Un-
less Placated with Patronage.

Charles D. Hilles, Chairman of the Republican National Committee, made an address at the Labor Temple, Fourteenth Street and Second Avenue, last night. After circulating statements from the White House and from Democratic leaders to the effect that the recent election was a triumph for the Democracy, he said: "The truth is that the Democratic majority is so far reduced by this election that if the twenty Tammany Congressmen are aggrieved at the President, they can effectively blockade legislation. This election has placed him at the mercy of Tammany Hall. President Wilson will have a Congress on his hands, as certainly as President Cleveland did, unless the Tiger is fed and pampered and patronized. Tammany Hall will hold the balance of power in the next Congress. Whenever there are questions at issue between the two great parties—questions involving issues about which they hold diametrically opposite views—the President's party in Congress will be repulsed, unless Tammany is placated. How can a man of President Wilson's mold regard such a result as an unqualified victory?" Mr. Hilles said the European war

saved President Wilson from an overwhelming defeat. He said that the storm brewing because of business depression, unemployment, and the failure of the Democratic Party to cut the cost of living, was ready to break after President Wilson described the condition as a "psychological" one, but that the threatened outburst of popular disapproval was avoided when the war threw political issues into the background.

The Republican Party proved itself strong enough to carry a national election, he said, by electing its Congressmen in three-cornered fights in States which in the aggregate control the Electoral College. The Republican victory was the more remarkable, he said, because the press of the country had accorded President Wilson sympathetic treatment, and because since the war the feeling grew that American citizens should forget national issues and support the President as a patriotic measure.

Saying that some one had asserted that no party had ever retained a majority in the off year after revising the tariff, Mr. Hilles said that after revising the tariff in 1897 McKinley in 1898 had carried Congress and had a majority of twelve votes in the Senate and seventy-two in the House.

After his talk Mr. Hilles answered a number of questions from persons in the audience. One man suggested that the Republican Party could make its issue more popular than ever if it would support a law making it a crime for a millionaire to spend money abroad. Another catechized the speaker, and from his answers tried to prove that the election was so much a repudiation of President Wilson as a return of the Republican Party to its normal strength that the collapse of the Bull Moose Party. Mr. Hilles said he had no fault to find with that theory.

MOTHERS' FUND FESTIVAL.

Throng Attends Opening at Del-
monico's—Attractive Booths.

There was a large attendance last night at the opening of the festival and dance given by the Widowed Mothers' Fund Association at Delmonico's. This afternoon Mrs. Jarley's wax works are to be given, with children of prominent people taking part. Dr. S. S. Goldwyer, President of the Board of Health, and Robert W. Hebbard, Secretary of the

State Board of Charities, were among the visitors.

The large ballroom was lined with attractive booths, and a melting pot in the center of the room received many donations of gold and silver articles. The dancing, under the direction of Mrs. Harry Kraft and Miss Pauline Untermyer, was held in the gold room.

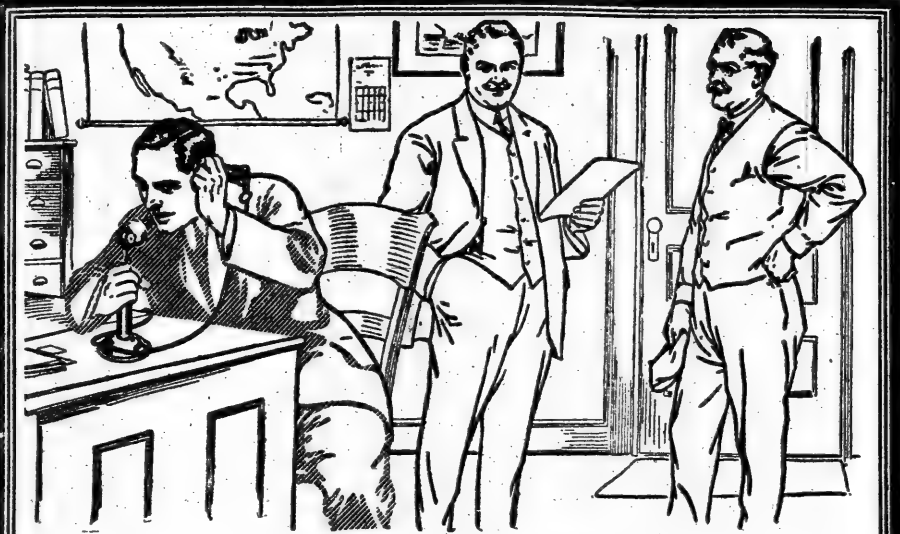
The Reception Committee was made up of Mrs. A. N. Cohen, Mrs. Daniel Guggenheim, Mrs. Nelson Henry, Mrs. Samuel Koenig, Mrs. Frederick Nathan, Mrs. Clarence Burns, Mrs. Adolph Lewisohn, Mrs. Stuart Smith, Mrs. William Grant Brown, and Miss May Wilson. Mrs. William Einstein is President of the association. The session will continue this afternoon and tonight.

DOCTOR MUSTN'T SPEED CAR

Physician Who Was Hurrying to
Aid Patient Protests Against Fine.

His plea that he was on an errand of mercy did not help Dr. Walter Price, a Brooklyn physician, yesterday, who was fined \$25 by Magistrate McGuire, in the Adams Street Court, for violating the speed ordinance. The physician pleaded guilty to the charge that he was speeding his automobile at the rate of thirty-one miles an hour, but he argued that extenuating circumstances of his case exempted him from the penalty of the law.

Dr. Price told the Magistrate that he had attended a child in Forty-sixth Street, Brooklyn, who was suffering from diphtheria. He said he went to three hospitals, and even as far as Queens, in search of antitoxin for the sufferer, and was compelled to speed his machine at a pace not permitted by law. Magistrate McGuire said that the law did not provide for cases similar to his, and there was no other course open for the court than to impose the fine. The physician paid the fine under protest, and announced his intention of making a test of his case in the courts.



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needed in reducing to silence the cannon of the enemy. Several of their pieces were even destroyed. We also made some progress in the vicinity of Berry-au-Bac.

In the Argonne, in the Voivre district, in Lorraine, and in the Vosges the respective positions show no change.

Germans Claim Yser Successes.

BERLIN (via London), Nov. 12.—German General Headquarters issues the following statement today:

The enemy advanced from Neuport as far as Lombardzyde, but was driven across the Yser. The eastern bank of the Yser as far as the sea is now clear of the enemy.

Our attack across the Yser Canal to the south of Dixmude is making progress.

In a region east of Ypres we have advanced further and captured 700 French soldiers, four cannons, and four machine guns.

The enemy's attacks in the forest of Argonne were repulsed.

BATTLEFIELD OF YPRES ONE VAST CEMETERY

Unparalleled Ferocity of Germans' Attack—3000 Killed Before One Trench.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PARIS, Nov. 12. (Dispatch to The London Daily Chronicle.)—The fighting on the Yser and around Ypres continues with a violence and obstinacy which must be unparalleled in the annals of warfare. The correspondents' reports and the phrase can be found, that the battlefield itself is one vast cemetery, and the country behind it one vast hospital.

Beside the awful loss of life the destruction of beautiful towns like Ypres, with their wonderful treasures of art and monuments of history, passes almost unnoticed, and in the lists of dead names of men distinguished in letters, science, and public life are for the present lost in the mass of this vast anonymous sacrifice.

For good or ill the Germans are evidently staking everything upon the issue in Belgium. A French soldier, who was wounded on Monday on the Yser and has reached Paris, gives today an account of his experiences which clearly indicates the wild daring and almost incredible determination of their assaults.

"The brigade," he says, "occupied a front of two and a half miles to the north of Ypres. The Germans threw their main attack on the Yser, and on Wednesday last week. Our troops resisted stubbornly, but enormous losses did not stop the attack. Up to Thursday evening they came on repeatedly with reinforcements. They single-handedly lost and retaken seven times in one day. After that there was a short interval, but on Saturday morning they came on more violently than ever to the north of Dixmude. For forty hours we fought foot by foot without momentary respite.

"It is impossible to describe such a hell, but I witnessed the following incident:

A German regiment advanced, with flying, to within 300 yards of our position. It then opened a hill fire so deadly that it fell back. After being reformed in the rear it returned in the same formation, and this time it got within about 100 yards of our lines. Our guns poured a torrent of shrapnel into the ranks of the enemy, and the third time it attempted the assault. This time the order was given to hold our fire until they had come up to the trench. Then the order was given to fire. Twenty yards every gun and rifle blazed away. Ten minutes later the regiment was wiped out. In less than an hour 400 men had been slain.

FIGHTING FOR DIXMUDE.

Observers Believe That Allies Will Soon Retake the Town.

LONDON, Nov. 12.—The Times Flanders correspondent, describing the German attack at Dixmude, says:

"There were only two points, Dixmude and Neuport, where the Germans could assume the offensive on the Yser, and the front between impossible positions was held by the Allies. The force concentrated between Dixmude and Neuport was chosen for the attack.

"In the morning the German batteries opened a heavy fire on the French position. The fighting was very hot all day. This cannonade was given to hold the Germans back, but they came on with great gallantry and very heavy fighting took place.

"The Germans came on in overwhelming numbers, and toward evening the Allies were compelled to retire. They fought back into the town, and the German bridges in their retreat. The Germans thus won the bridgehead.

"The morning account by the Flanders correspondent, describing the German attack at Dixmude, says:

"The capture of Dixmude, or a part of it, would be of no great advantage to the Germans. The town is almost completely surrounded by water. More than six miles Dixmude has proved a death trap for the Germans, and it is a matter of gain."

The correspondent of The Daily Mail, describing the fighting under the date of Wednesday, adds that the Germans are exhausted by their exertions, and will probably be driven out of the town.

Evidence is accumulating, according to this correspondent, that the Germans are suffering from a shortage of ammunition, and that the quality of their artillery and ammunition appears to have deteriorated. Heavy fighting, he says, continues around Dixmude.

GERMANS LOSE BIG GUNS

And Kill More Than 500 German Prisoners While Shelling La Bassée.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

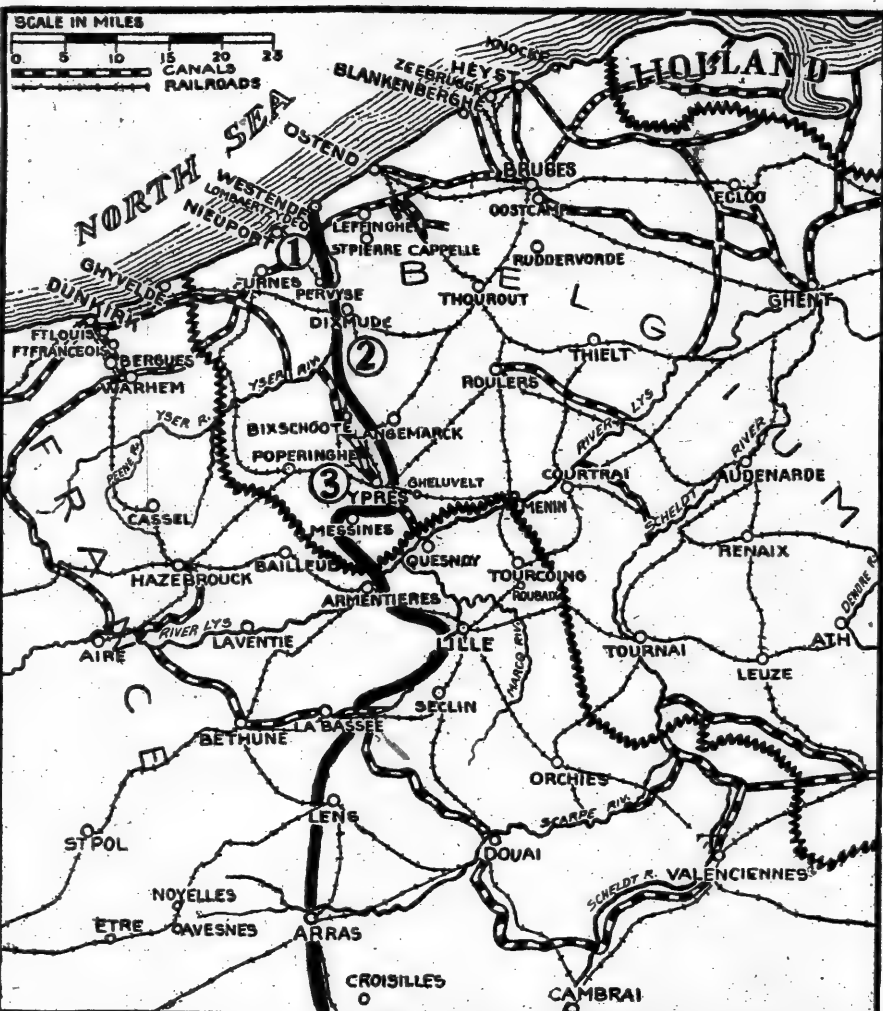
NORTHERN FRANCE, Wednesday, Nov. 12. (Dispatch to The London Daily Chronicle.)—A very determined attempt was made by the Germans to retake the British line in the neighborhood of La Bassée on Tuesday. They were repulsed with great losses, and their artillery suffered heavily. Two of their biggest guns, said to be 14-inch, were destroyed, and one of their largest howitzers, believed to be of the 105-inch type, is said to have been captured.

This was a brilliant achievement for which the British artillery was almost entirely responsible. The British troops have been relentlessly shelling the German positions for a week and have crippled the German offensive.

At La Bassée, however, the Germans began a night attack on Monday, and their guns were also abandoned. The bombardment of Ypres served on Tuesday to abate the Allies of the line of the railway station, where they were waiting for the arrival of the train to convey them to the rear of France. They were killed in appalling numbers, only 254 surviving.

One hundred and sixty-one were wounded and conveyed to the British lines. The others are still unaccounted for at the railway station.

Principal Points of the Fighting Zone In Flanders



1. In the region of Neuport and Lombardzyde the French made official claims that the Allies had held all positions and had repulsed the German attack from all points but one on the left bank of the Yser. The Germans, while admitting the Allies' advance to Lombardzyde, asserted that they had been driven back across the Yser, and that the eastern bank of the river as far as the sea was "clear of the enemy."

2. Berlin reported that the German attack across the Yser Canal (not river) to the south of Dixmude was making progress.

3. The Germans officially announced the capture of 700 French soldiers to the east of Ypres. The French War Office asserted that the British at Ypres had repulsed all German attacks.

"JOHNNY" POE WITH THE BRITISH ARMY

Famous Ex-Football Player of Princeton at the Front as a Scout.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Nov. 12.—It is reported in London that "Johnny" Poe, the famous former Princeton football player, has gone to the front as a scout with the British forces.

John Prentiss Poe, or "Johnny" Poe, as he was known to football enthusiasts all over this country, is a native of Princeton, N. J., and is a son of John P. Poe, ex-Attorney General of Maryland. He entered Princeton University in 1906, and made the Varsity football team in his freshman year, playing with great brilliancy and vigor. He distinguished himself at the siege of Amant, and was in charge of a gun in the engagement of Buenavista. In the following year he joined General Gomez of Venezuela in a filibustering expedition against the Cuban dictator, and was killed in the battle of the Mexican war. It was several years ago that Poe intended to join the Constitutionalists.

WRECKING BELGIAN BRIDGES.

Germans Thus Cut Off Refugees' Flight—Isolating Antwerp.

LONDON, Nov. 12.—The Amsterdam correspondent of Reuters' Telegram Company sends the following:

"Sluis indicates that the Germans continue to blow up bridges, and that among the structures so destroyed is the bridge near Heyst, in West Flanders. Sentinels are guarding the railway from Bruges to Ghent, from Courtrai to Ostend, and so forth.

"The Allies continue to occupy Ypres, but shells falling in the town yesterday killed four children. Aeroplanes are reported to have dropped bombs which damaged the church and town hall and set fire to several other buildings.

"The Kaiser, in journeying through Flanders, visited Courtrai and expressed his satisfaction to the municipal authorities for the manner in which the German troops had been quartered.

"The flight of the day's refugees from Ypres was heard on Wednesday. Train loads of wounded are continuing to be transported from the battle line."

ORDERED TO SPARE FACTORIES

German Prisoner Tells Why Roubaix and Tourcoing Escaped Ruin.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PARIS, Nov. 12.—Surprise is frequently expressed in French newspapers at the comparative immunity of the twin industrial centers, Roubaix and Tourcoing, which were quite unharmed by the invasion, and even escaped the imposition of fine. The St. Omer correspondent of The Times says that a German officer recently captured had a chalk circle drawn around the Roubaix-Fourcoing district. When asked to explain, he said:

"We have orders to spare both towns."

Censor's Staff Cut Down.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Friday, Nov. 12.—The Daily Mail says that twenty-seven officers and nine civilians have just been struck off the censor's staff.

APPEAL TO ENGLISH WOMEN

Asked to Hold Up Finer and Higher Ideals of Conduct.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Nov. 12.—An appeal to the women of the British Empire, emphasizing their duty in time of war, is issued by the National Council on Public Morals. It recalls Lord Kitchener's exhortation to British soldiers at the beginning of the war to avoid alcoholic excesses and declares that the duties there enjoined are doubly strong in their appeal to women, for by living purely and temperately at home they can set a fine example of duty and self-control to those whom they ask to respect women in other lands.

"The present crisis," says the appeal, "is a time when the women of the British Empire are called upon to hold up a standard of conduct which will be a source of inspiration to the men who are fighting for their country. It is a time when the women of the British Empire are called upon to hold up a standard of conduct which will be a source of inspiration to the men who are fighting for their country. It is a time when the women of the British Empire are called upon to hold up a standard of conduct which will be a source of inspiration to the men who are fighting for their country."

HEROIC FRENCH MOTHER.

Glad She Saved Her Son from Disease to Die for His Country.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PARIS, Nov. 12.—The Temps reprints from L'Information a letter from Mme. de S. of Paris, written on learning of the death of her son, aged 17, who volunteered despite ill health. The letter, which the Temps has received, is a beautiful tribute to the heroism of the young man, and a touching expression of the mother's love.

"I thank you for the delicacy with which the terrible news was broken to me. For seventeen years I struggled for my son's life against his illness, only saying him from death by constant care. I am deeply proud to have succeeded in preserving him to die for his country."

VON PUTTKAMER'S SON DEAD.

Former President of the Reichstag Bereaved by the War.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PARIS, Nov. 12.—The Matin gives details of the death in the Hospital de la Compassion at Compiègne of a son of Dr. von Puttkamer, former President of the Reichstag. A short time before the German retreat from Compiègne, a young non-commissioned officer of the Eighteenth Dragons was brought to the hospital desperately wounded by a 15-millimeter shell.

Both eyes had been destroyed; one arm had been torn away, and he had a terrible wound in the leg. From the number and attentiveness of the high officials at his bedside the French hospital attendants realized that this was a person of importance.

The young man retained consciousness, murmuring faintly: "The arm doesn't matter, but it is dreadful never to see again, and not to be able to hunt or ride."

The Germans made preparations for an elaborate funeral when they realized that his death was imminent, but the proximity of the French compelled them to abandon their design. Von Puttkamer expired as the French entered Compiègne.

GERMAN PEACE TERMS FORECAST IN BERLIN

Present Political Equality on Land, Conquest of Equality at Sea, Says Dr. Delbrueck.

Germany's peace terms, as forecast by Dr. Hans Delbrueck of the University of Berlin, were given out by the German Information Service of 30 East Forty-second Street last night. The statement reads:

Hans Delbrueck has written an article for the Preussische Jahrbucher in which he discusses Germany's prospective peace terms after the war. Because of the high position of Prof. Delbrueck and his close friendship with the Kaiser, his views are being widely quoted by the German press.

A peculiar coincidence is the fact that forty-four years ago, when the Franco-Prussian war was dragging toward its end, Prof. Heinrich von Treitschke, the famous German historian and philosopher, printed in the same periodical an article entitled "What We Ask of France." In it he raised the ardent cry of "Give us back the old loot, give us back Alsace-Lorraine!"

Prof. Delbrueck writes in part: "Absolute assurance that a conquered enemy will not again grasp a favorable opportunity to reopen hostilities can be gained only when that enemy is permanently subdued. That is what the Romans did—that is how they gradually built up their Weltreich (world empire)."

"Today—and this is a blessing for humanity—a more moderate way is to take large concessions of territory, to retain dominating, strong, strategic points, and to starve out the enemy economically."

"This course was taken by Napoleon particularly in 1807 in regard to Prussia. He took half of our territory, retained the forts on the Oder, limited the size of our army, and claimed a war tax so enormous that we could not pay it in many years."

"It is a course that did not hold good. It would have held good if Napoleon had conquered the rest of the world. As he did not succeed in doing that, the only way to achieve permanent peace was made, there came the day for Prussia where she could rise again, and it was shown that it was just that tremendous material pressure which the French had exerted upon us which had won the moral forces that proved infinitely more powerful."

"God forbid that the German Empire, after the victory which we expect, enter into the course of the Napoleonic policy! An increase in the number of wars would be the consequence. For no matter how strong the chains we put on the nations, they will never be strong enough to paralyze them completely. And all Europe agrees on this point: That we will never, never suffer the reign of one single State."

"Therefore, the safety and security which we want to achieve can be brought about only through a combination of the highest military power with a political moderation, a moderation which disarms the suspicion awakened by the military power. In other words, our aim must be the maintenance of the existing political equality in land and the conquest of equality at sea."

TURKISH ARMENIANS IN ARMED REVOLT

Were Ready to Join Russian Invaders, Having Drilled and Collected Arms.

SEE DAY OF DELIVERANCE

Native Paper Says They Are Prepared for Any Sacrifice—Refuse to Join Turkish Army.

PETROGRAD, Nov. 12.—Reports reaching the Russian capital from the Turkish border indicate increasing importance to the part the Armenians are playing in the Russo-Turkish war.

In several towns occupied by the Russians the Armenian students have shown themselves ready to join the invading army, explaining that they had prepared themselves for the Russian approach by constant drilling and by gathering arms secretly. All along the line of march, according to these dispatches, the Armenian peasants are receiving the Russian troops with enthusiasm and giving provisions to them freely.

An Armenian newspaper, referring to this in its issue of yesterday, publishes the following:

"The long-anticipated day of deliverance for the Armenian people is at hand, and the Armenians are prepared for any sacrifice made necessary by the performance of their duty."

From this border country there have come to Petrograd further reports of Armenian conflicts arising from the refusal of Armenians to become Turkish conscripts and to surrender their arms.

It is now rumored that the important City of Van is today besieged by Armenian guerrilla bands in great numbers. The number of insurgents is said to exceed 20,000, and they are reported to have defeated all the Turkish forces sent against them, causing heavy losses to the Turks.

TURKS' NAVY REALLY GERMAN.

3,000 German Officers in It, Says Englishman from Constantinople.

LONDON, Nov. 12.—An Englishman who has long been a resident of Constantinople, which city he left on Nov. 1, has arrived in London.

In addition to the officers of the cruisers Goede and Bremen, nearly 3,000 German officers are in the Turkish naval service.

Two months ago, he says, all the German clerks of public and private establishments were taken over by the military authorities and placed in charge of the telegraph and postal departments and the censorship.

Every Turkish ship has a German officer in command. It was a mistake that the Khedive was allowed to believe that the Khedive was time ago, where he could have carefully watched developments, whereas in the hands of the Turkish officers of the Nationalist Party and Germans.

TURKISH MISSION TO RUMANIA.

Hall Bey, Uncle of Enver Bey, Arrives at Bucharest.

LONDON, Nov. 12.—A dispatch from Amsterdam to the Central News says: "A telegram from Bucharest says that Hall Bey, the uncle of Enver Bey, has arrived there on a special mission on behalf of Turkey."

TURKS FLEE TO MOUNTAINS.

Victories Reported by Russians—Many Prisoners Taken.

PETROGRAD, Nov. 12.—The following communication from the General Staff of the Russian army in the Caucasus, dated Tiflis, was made public tonight:

"On Nov. 9 the Turks on our positions at Kopruckul Nov. 11 were repulsed with great losses to the Turks. A Turkish column which attempted to turn our left wing was subjected to the cross-fire of our artillery, and was impetuously driven back into the mountains in complete disorder, pursued by our cavalry."

"Under the protection of the fortified positions of Devdennu the Turks continue to concentrate troops at Erzurum. They apparently are receiving reinforcements by way of Trebizond."

"On Nov. 9 the Turks were attacked and defeated in Khasanov Pass, on their retreat from Azerbaijan to Van. They retreated rapidly in disorder, leaving behind them their dead and wounded."

An official communication from the General Staff of the Caucasian Army, dated Nov. 12, says:

"Small skirmishes in the region between the Tchoruk River, in the neighborhood of the Province of Batum, have taken place."

"We maintained our position at Kopruckul, and the Turks were repulsed, resulting in failure. The enemy has been put in disorder, the column which was sent to outflank our position has been dispersed."

"We captured many prisoners and large quantities of arms and ammunition. We occupied all of the Valley of Alaschkerk."

"According to a Turkish officer taken prisoner, the Turkish Army, commanded by Hassan Iszet Pasha, is guided by German staff officers."

BATTLE ON IN THE BALTIC.

Steamer Reports Fight Between Squadrons of Torpedo Boats.

LONDON, Friday, Nov. 12.—A dispatch to The Morning Post from Stockholm says the Captain of the steamer Nordenskiold, which has just arrived there, reports that he was warned by a German torpedo boat to steer a wide course from the vicinity of Gleda Light on the southern end of the island of Oland in the Baltic, because of a battle between Russian and German torpedo boats was in progress.

The Captain also reported that he heard sounds of heavy firing.

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SAYS TREATY BOUND TURKEY TO FIGHT

Diplomat at Athens Asserts That an Old Alliance With Germany Existed.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

ATHENS, Nov. 12. (Dispatch to The London Morning Post.)—The Embros (Forward) publishes an interview with an "exalted foreign diplomatic personage" explaining the circumstances which compelled Turkey to stake her existence as an empire by entering the war as an ally of Germany.

Turkey, he says, knew that her participation in the war was an act of folly contrary to her own interests, but she was compelled to make war by reason of a treaty of alliance concluded long ago, by which Turkey bound herself to give military and naval assistance to Germany if war were declared against Germany by Russia. Germany entering into a similar obligation toward Turkey.

When the present war began there were strong differences of opinion in the Turkish Cabinet as to whether, under such disadvantageous circumstances, Turkey was bound to carry out her obligations. In fact, Turkey represented to Germany that she had no money, that her army was going through a period of reorganization, and that her fleet was entirely powerless to defend the capital. Germany answered by advancing money and sending officers and men for the Turkish army and navy.

The diplomat refers to the terms of the 1878 treaty between Germany and the Sultan, in which the Emperor said Turkey was compelled to fight for her honor—meaning, of course, that Turkey was bound to take the field under her solemn treaty obligations. The diplomat adds that the existence of the treaty was known to Great Britain.

The story is regarded here as containing a certain improbability. On its face it would appear to be an attempt to represent Turkey as more sinned against than sinning, and to prepare the way for retrial with severe retribution, must by the great majority of a senseless adventure.

The fact, however, that the account appears in Embros and other leading organs of Greek public opinion, which are not normally inclined to offer exonerations to Turkey, makes it impossible to dismiss it as such.

MILITARY REVOLT IN ADRIANOPLE

Turks Angry Because German Officers Are Put Over Them—Trouble in Capital Too.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

MILAN, Nov. 12. (Dispatch to The London Daily Chronicle.)—A military revolution has started in Adrianople in consequence of the subjecting of the Turkish forces to German commanders.

It is reported that the German officers, who transmit this information, add that deep discontent also exists in Constantinople, where the army has been "stiffened" by Teuton officers, who occupy all the higher posts.

BLESSED MEN AS SHIP SANK.

Chaplain and a Few Sailors Were Left on the Russian Ship Pruth.

LONDON, Nov. 12.—A Reuter dispatch from Petrograd says:

"A graphic account has been received here of the end of the Russian transport Pruth, which the Russians sank rather than surrender her to the Turkish cruiser Goeben. The ship could not fire the Emden swung her stern toward the Jemitchuk and fired a torpedo, which struck the Jemitchuk amidships. Then the Emden poured broadsides into the Jemitchuk, which blew up with deafening explosions as the fire reached her magazine. The whole affair, this witness said, lasted barely twenty minutes, and scarcely a single member of the Jemitchuk's crew survived."

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damaged for the boats, but the Emden got under way at once and the boats were left behind.

Looking to the eastward, we could see the reason for this sudden departure. For a warship, which we afterward learned was the Australian cruiser Sydney, was coming up at full speed. The German crew of the Emden did not wait to discuss matters, but firing her first shot at a range of about 3,700 yards, steamed north as hard as she could go.

Range-finder Crippled.

At first the firing of the Emden seemed excellent, while that of the Sydney was somewhat erratic. This, as I afterward learned, was due to the fact that the Australian cruiser's range-finder was put out of action by one of the only two shots the Germans got home. However, the British gunners soon overcame any difficulties that this may have caused and settled down to their work, so that for long two of the Emden's funnels had been shot away. She also lost one of her masts and the British cruiser kept firing away with their big guns, the two cruisers disappeared below the horizon, the Emden obeyed the signal of the siren, but when their ship steamed off without them they could do nothing else but come ashore again. On reaching shore, the British cruiser sent a party ashore, but the Emden's gunners had been shot away. The old schooner Ayessa, which belongs to Mr. Ross, the "unlucky" owner of the Emden, was being a quantity of clothes and stores, they sailed off and have not been seen since.

Next morning, Tuesday, Nov. 10, we saw the Sydney returning, and at 8:45 A. M. she anchored off the island of Jemitchuk. The Emden's crew gathered some details of the running fight with the Emden. The Sydney, having an advantage in speed, was able to keep out of range of the Emden's guns and to bombard her with her heavier metal. The engagement lasted fifty minutes, the Emden finally running ashore on Jemitchuk Island and becoming a utter wreck.

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GOEBEN CRIPPLED BY SHELL.

Turkish Vessel Hit Below the Water-line in Dardanelles Fight.

PETROGRAD, Nov. 12.—A dispatch received here from Constantinople says that the Turkish cruiser Goeben was penetrated by a shell at her water line during the recent bombardment of the Dardanelles by the Allied Anglo-French fleet.

The damage inflicted is described as serious.

CAPTURE GERMAN STEAMER.

French Interne 150 Men Found Aboard the Vessel.

PERPIGNAN, France, Nov. 12.—A French cruiser, steaming off the coast, captured a German steamer which had on board 150 men and what was described as a suspicious cargo.

The Germans were interned here.

CRADOCK LISTED AS DEAD.

Admiralty Publishes Names of Officers of Good Hope and Monmouth.

LONDON, Nov. 12.—The Admiralty tonight published the names of fifty-two officers and warrant officers who were aboard the British cruiser Good Hope when she was sunk, with the cruiser Monmouth, by the German Captain Carl von Muller, commander of the German cruiser Emden, destroyed recently by the Australian cruiser Sydney.

The Monmouth had aboard forty-two officers. The Captain of the Good Hope was Philip Frazer. The Captain of the Monmouth was Frank Brandt.

With the announcement of the names the Admiralty said that, in the absence of further information, the loss of the Good Hope and Monmouth was officially presumed.

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In units in publishing articles in praise of the commerce of the world, the German cruiser Emden, and they say her final destruction always had been counted upon.

The Morgenpost says that since the beginning of the world never before has a nation unless finally succeeded in the national warfare with such terrible results. All the newspapers reprint from London journals laudatory articles on Capt. von Muller, the commander of the Emden.

Major Morant, the military critic, writes in the Tagblatt: "There has been no question that the career of the Emden was bound to come to an end before long. The British Admiralty would have lost the confidence of the nation unless it finally succeeded in destroying her. In view of the great difference between the fighting power of the Emden and that of her opponent, the Sydney, it is no wonder that she suffered severely. Her career has been a singular one and never will be forgotten."

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RUSSIANS TAKE JOHANNISBURG

Now Control Important East Prussian Frontier Railway, with Branch Lines.

PRZEMYSL SIEGE RESUMED

Austrians at San River Attempting to Halt Advance on Cracow Through Galicia.

MEET DISASTER ON PRUTH

Two Divisions Surrounded and Cut to Pieces—Grand Duke Nicholas Preparing to Strike in Germany.

LONDON, Friday, Nov. 13.—The Russian army under Gen. Rennenkampf is fighting its way into East Prussia and has taken Johannsburg, which is on the railway from Lyck to Soldau, both of which towns are already in Russian hands. This gives to Russia the control of an important railway line which skirts the frontier in German territory and several branch railways running into the interior.

The central army, which drove the Germans back from the Vistula, has had only minor engagements, but it is known to be pushing forward to the borders of Posen and Silesia, which the Germans are crossing.

The Russian left wing has followed the Kielce Railway to the Austrian frontier and is within a few miles of Cracow, the siege of which is imminent. The southern army, under Gen. Ruzsky, is at Rzeszow, between Przemysl and Cracow, and its crossing of the San River is being opposed by the Austrians.

Another detachment continues the siege of Przemysl, while still another is operating against the Austrians, who are holding the passage of the Carpathians. The manner in which Grand Duke Nicholas, the Russian Commander-in-Chief, is wielding these armies, and the mobility they are showing are the subject of admiration on the part of military men here.

PETROGRAD, Nov. 12.—The Russian General Staff issued the following statement today:

In East Prussia on Nov. 11 an action developed on the front of Stalluponen, Krugantken, and the region of Soldau. Our troops occupied Johannsburg. Beyond this point the Russian advance of the enemy sought to progress. In the region of Kallisz (Russian Poland), and Neschawa, where advance guards of the enemy sought to progress. In the Carpathians, Austrian rear-guards maintained at the crossings on the upper San in the region of Sanok were attacked by our troops. The siege of the fortress of Soldau, which was suspended during the period in which the Austro-German armies were on the offensive, has been re-established.

PREPARING ANOTHER BLOW.

Russians Plan Invasion of Germany on a Wide Front.

SPECIAL CABLE TO THE NEW YORK TIMES. PETROGRAD, Nov. 12. (Dispatch to The London Morning Post.)—The Russian advance in East Prussia continues, and this time it is a purely military movement, unlike the first chivalrous dash at all costs to relieve the pressure upon France and save Paris. The Germans appear to be disputing every inch of the ground.

Conflicts presumably of a minor advance guard nature have taken place west of the Goldapp and 118 miles away from the Mincz and Soldau. In both regions the Russians have driven their enemy back.

The German official summary of the Polish disasters assures the world that the whole adventure was a deep-laid scheme on the part of Gen. von Hindenburg to draw the Russians away from their base. The next step, it might be shown how admirably the German General has succeeded in the plan, born of his appalling failure to effect anything in Poland.

Three weeks ago the Germans planned to occupy Poland up to the Vistula, wintering in Warsaw and Ivanogrod. They brought reaping and threshing machinery with which to get the Polish crops in and there are many other indications of their intention of a prolonged stay. While established on the Vistula they were to assist Austria to recover Galicia and then they were to proceed in a triumphal march through Russia together.

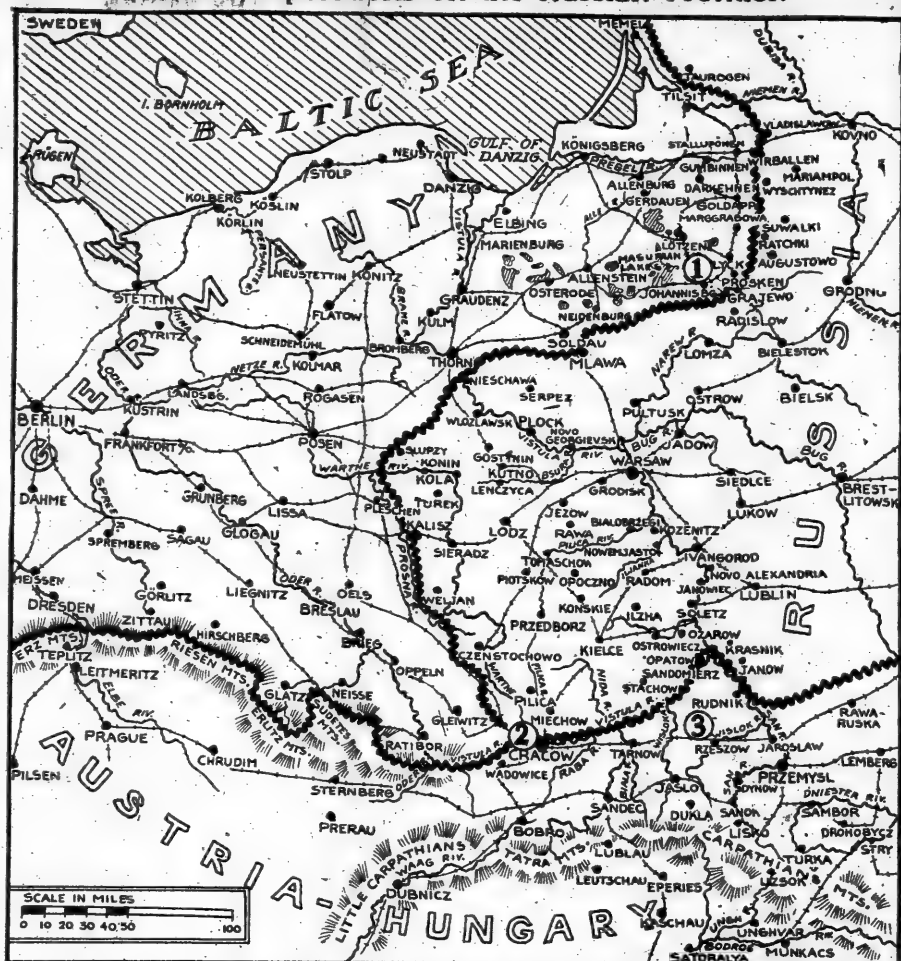
Unfortunately the Russian Commander-in-Chief also has his plans, which he carries through with iron rigidity. If I am not mistaken, Russia is preparing a move on a wide front into Germany when the time comes. This front has still a considerable extent of German territory to recover before it gets into line for this advance. Some interesting tactical problems with plenty of fighting may be looked for in the near future along the direction which may now be hinted as the Miawa-Soldau region; but this as a matter for the future.

At the present time good progress is being made by the pursuit of the Austrians who are retreating westward on Cracow, from which the Russian forces are now distant about forty miles on the east side and only half that on the north. The civilian population of Cracow is again being evicted, this time under German command.

The tour of the extended fronts occupied by the Russian armies which Emperor Nicholas is now making will last a fortnight and will cover several thousand miles. After spending the first week with the armies on the Vistula and East Prussian fronts, where the news of the Russo-German attacks on Russian ports was conveyed to his Majesty, the Emperor on Sunday reached Kholm, which a couple of months ago was occupied by the Austrian hosts, but which now is a base hospital, and proceeded thence to Siedlice. Gen. Ivanoff and Ruzsky had the honor of being invited to the imperial table.

After visiting the hospitals, reviewing the troops for the front, and receiving the reports of the Generals of the armies, the Emperor yesterday reached

Scene of Operations on the Russian Frontier.



The Russians invading East Prussia, under Gen. Rennenkampf, have captured Johannsburg (1). This gives them control of the important frontier railroad running from Lyck to Soldau, which cities they also hold. The left wing of the Russian Army, which following the railroad from Kielce to Cracow (2), is only a few miles from that fortress. The southern army, which is also nearing Cracow through Galicia, has reached Rzeszow (3).

Rowno, where his sister, the Grand Duchess Olga Alexandrovna, has had charge of the base hospital of the Red Cross since the beginning of the war, personally tending the wounded.

LONDON, Nov. 13.—A dispatch to Reuters' Telegram Company from Petrograd says:

"News of the beginning of a battle at Cracow, Galicia, is momentarily expected."

The Germans have been digging trenches and erecting barbed-wire entanglements along the whole of the Russo-German frontier, with the object of impeding the progress of the Russian forces. It is understood, however, that their main plan is to retire on the fortresses of Königsberg, Thorn, Graudenz, Posen, Glogau, Breslau, and Neschaw.

TELLS OF RUSSIAN DEFEAT.

Berlin Paper Says Invaders Were Surprised Near Czernowitz.

BERLIN, Nov. 11, via London, Nov. 12.—The Frankfurter Zeitung has received the following dispatch regarding the reported defeat of the Russians near Czernowitz, capital of the Austrian province of Bukovina:

"The Austrians made an unexpected movement, crossing the Pruth a few kilometers northward of Czernowitz, and suddenly attacked the Russian right wing. The Russians were completely surprised, and after a short resistance decided to fall back upon their base, which seemed free. However, they were then taken under fire by Austrian artillery, which caused terrible losses among the Russian detachments. The battlefield was covered with corpses."

"The Russians were beaten also yesterday in East Galicia, being repulsed in an action between Rzeszow and Jaslo."

An official report issued today says: "In the eastern theatre of the war our cavalry operating near Kalisz have had a victory over the Austrians, which made a fresh advance."

Vienna headquarters reports that in the battle for the heights of Mincz against the Servians between Nov. 6 and 11, 4,300 prisoners were taken.

VENICE, Nov. 12.—Gen. Potiorek, commander of the Austrian army operating against the Russians, has issued a general order to the fifth and sixth armies fighting in Serbia to do their utmost to break the last resistance of their opponents and end the campaign before winter sets in with all the terrible sufferings which would follow.

SHOOT MUTINEERS WHOLESALE

Terrible Conditions Reported to Prevail in Austrian Army.

SPECIAL CABLE TO THE NEW YORK TIMES. ROME, Nov. 12. (Dispatch to The London Standard.)—Details of the condition of the Austro-Hungarian forces have reached here, and form a ghastly tale of death and suffering.

As was reported before the last great battle, which proved such a crushing defeat, the Austrian War Office sent to the front all the men of the Landsturm, three-fourths of whom were scarcely fit for the police work and railway watching which they had done up to then, and were much less capable of rendering service in the field.

The military authorities had no choice but to call them up, for all the best troops had been put out of action in Galicia, while the Hungarian cavalry, which are the finest soldiers the Dual Monarchy possesses, were all drafted north long ago to help the Germans push through to Calais. They behaved splendidly in Belgium, but were almost annihilated by the naval guns. In a

single list of the losses suffered by this crack corps in one week alone appear the names of 367 Magyars belonging to the most exclusive circles of the Hungarian aristocracy.

Apart from its enormous losses in the field, the Austro-Hungarian Army has been seriously affected as a fighting force by the indiscipline and even sedition seething in the ranks. Some of the twenty-four regiments from the Carpathian region were shot down more or less wholesale at the very outset of hostilities for refusing to march against the Russians. Despite the terrible example made of the mutineers, the spirit of insubordination was not checked, with the consequence that in the very first engagements whole regiments went over to the Russians.

In Bosnia and Herzegovina things are rapidly approaching a crisis. Navies are deserting from the regiments by hundreds today. There is a constant stream of men returning to their homes from all sides. German troops have been detached to catch them back, and as the villagers side with the deserters, civil war is raging over entire districts.

The Germans are relentless in their methods of dealing with the mutineers. In order to strike terror into the population executions are carried out wholesale. At Bugojno, for instance, out of 380 able-bodied men that place contained only 111 escaped being shot. At Mostar 30 men were executed at the same time, while the shooting of parties of 15, 20, and 30 at a time is of daily occurrence. Frequently whole villages are burned down as well as a further example.

It is easy to understand after this how the Russians are driving the Austrians like sheep before them, without taking into account the terrible ravages cholera is making in the ranks of the unfortunate Austro-Hungarian soldiers.

FIXES 1916 AS WAR LIMIT.

But Invasion of England Won't Be Easy, Says Austrian General.

SPECIAL CABLE TO THE NEW YORK TIMES. ROME, Nov. 12. (Dispatch to The London Morning Post.)—Field Marshal Eretovich of the Austrian Army has published an article fixing 1916 as the extreme limit of the war.

Next Spring, he writes, England can put another army into the field and in the summer and autumn other belligerents can collect fresh forces, but in 1916 no more can possibly be raised. The entrance of neutral States into the conflict will prolong rather than abbreviate the war.

REFUGEES SPREAD BAD NEWS.

Berliners Amazed and Dismayed to Learn of Russian Invasion.

SPECIAL CABLE TO THE NEW YORK TIMES. COPENHAGEN, Nov. 12. (Dispatch to The London Standard.)—Profound dismay has been caused in Berlin by the news, which has been carefully suppressed by the censor, that the Russian invaders have again crossed the Eastern frontier and have advanced into the provinces of East Prussia and Posen.

The news, though not published in the newspapers, has reached Berlin through refugees from the frontier districts of the invaded provinces, who fled to escape the horrors of war.

The memory of the earlier Russian invasion of East Prussia was just beginning to fade from the memory of Berliners, and practically all the fugitives who after those earlier days had fled to the capital had been re-established in their homes. Their reappearance in Berlin and other towns of the interior in a state of greater panic than ever has thus created a much greater impression than the earlier fugitives.

The suppression of news by the censor merely increases public anxiety, and the

prevailing depression has been further augmented by news which has leaked through from Vienna that the return of civilians to their homes in western Galicia around Cracow has been stopped by the Austrian Government. These fugitives rushed from Galicia to Vienna during the earlier periods of the Russian invasion. More recently during the operations in Russian Poland the authorities had been sending them home in batches, in sudden order that no more be allowed to return to Galicia for the present has created a very bad impression in Vienna and indirectly, in Berlin.

News of the latest Russian advance is being carefully suppressed by all the German and Austrian newspapers. The Austro-German forces are still thought to be in the vicinity of Russian Poland and on the verge of capturing Warsaw.

SERBS ROUT 6,000 AUSTRIANS.

Capture 4,000 When Invaders Cross the Danube Near Semandria.

PARIS, Nov. 12.—A dispatch from Nish, Serbia, to the Havas Agency contains the following on the Serbian front during the past few days. It says: "On the Bosnian side, as on the banks of the Save and the Danube, the past week has been marked by a renewal of Austrian attacks with fresh troops and a quantity of heavy artillery."

The enemy directed his efforts toward the Tzer Plateau so as to collaborate with troops which, from the Drina, violently attacked the Serbian positions at Jasenov. Borazna and Goutchevo. For strategic reasons the Serbians abandoned the positions at Goutchevo, retreating in good order to a point a few kilometers in the rear.

In the fighting around Shabats the Serbian regiment with extraordinary bravery repulsed the Austrians repeatedly, inflicting considerable losses. Tuesday, Nov. 3, M. A. Austrian battalions comprising about 6,000 men crossed the Danube near Semandria (about thirty miles southeast of Belgrade) under cover of the fire of monitors and artillery. The combat that ensued lasted until 5 P. M. and resulted in a check to the enemy.

A thousand Austrians were killed, 2,000 were taken prisoner, and others fled on the monitors or scattered among the vines around Semandria and surrendered in groups. The prisoners are two Colonels and several officers of lesser rank. The Serbians also took a number of prisoners. The troops of the Vardar region particularly distinguished themselves in this fight.

RUMOR OF GERMAN LOSS.

London Hears Three Cruisers Are Sunk in the Pacific.

LONDON, Nov. 12.—A report was current in the lobbies of the House of Commons this afternoon that three German cruisers had been sunk in the Pacific at a place near Japan.

However, no confirmation of the rumor was obtainable.

SAW EIGHT JAPANESE SHIPS.

Battle Cruiser Kongo Leading the Fleet in the Pacific.

MONTEVIDEO, Uruguay, Nov. 12.—A dispatch received here from Valparaiso says that the Japanese squadron seen recently off Easter Island in the Pacific by a merchant vessel consisted of eight vessels.

The battle cruiser Kongo was the flagship.

WAR MAKES CARPENTERS POOR

Seizure of Coal Mines Sweeps Away the French Boxer's Fortune.

SPECIAL CABLE TO THE NEW YORK TIMES. PARIS, Nov. 12.—The Illustrated Weekly Sporting says that Georges Carpentier, who was reported to be worth \$300,000, has lost the greater part of his fortune by the seizure of the coal mines at Lens and Courrières, in which his manager, Decamps, is also largely interested.

THE WAR SITUATION.

BY THE MILITARY EXPERT OF THE NEW YORK TIMES.
(An Associate Editor of The Army and Navy Journal.)

The capture of Diksmuide by the Germans and their appearance on a fighting strength in this part of the line that will yet land some hard blows on the armies of the Allies. The sudden rush of the Germans overcame the troops that were holding the main line of defense of the Allies. The latter, however, soon rushed in reserves, and closed up the gap in their positions. The fighting in this district is apparently again settling down to the deadlock that is its normal status. In the territory where the Aisne joins the Oise the French report another gain northeast of Tracy-le-Val. This region has been the scene of desperate fighting ever since Gen. von Kluck first took up his position in the forest of Falaise in the middle of September.

These impetuous attacks that the Germans are delivering at nearly all points of the line are part of the policy that they have been pursuing with such notable success in this field during the last month. In order that they might be able to turn their attention to the east, it was essential that they should hold back the Allies in France with the smallest force possible. They accomplished this by keeping their troops in the west so active that the Allies were kept busy in shifting their forces to check the various attacks.

The German plan is marvellous, though, in that it failed to inflict a serious blow upon Russia. Having failed in the east, the Germans are now confronted in both battle zones by superior forces. It is now becoming a serious question for them as to how they are going to release from either border enough forces to strengthen the armies on the other frontier sufficiently to conduct a vigorous campaign. If they try to stand on the defensive in every field there can be but one result. At some point the efforts of the Allies will in time succeed in breaking through. The German lines will thus by degrees be forced further and further back into their home territory. Both the fighting power and the staying power of the German nation are equal to those of any other people in the world. If the war should go against them they will certainly not give in until serious privations and sufferings have befallen to all parts of the empire.

Even under the most unfavorable conditions this could hardly happen inside of twelve months.

On the other hand, if the Allies should be defeated in a great battle their armies would have to make a rapid retreat to points at which they would reorganize their forces. A gradual development of their strength would again take place, and they

would move slowly to regain lost ground. Such a reverse would result in the addition of six months or a year to the probable length of the war. The enormous use of automobiles in this war for transporting supplies of every kind, heavy guns, and even detachments of troops, raises a question as to the possibility of the maintenance of this vast number of machines in service. These cars require constant tinkering under the best of conditions. Their useful life must be especially short under war service conditions. The Allies can make good these losses by large purchases in America and other countries, but it would seem that the Germans must soon find this means of transportation very much reduced. If the war and spirits also Germany is at a serious disadvantage. She imports practically all of her gasoline, while the grain and potatoes normally used for making alcohol must now be used for food.

A lull in the Russian operations in the north is now giving them time to gather at the front the force that will be needed to attack the Germans in the defensive positions that they have occupied. In East Prussia, particularly, the Russians are going carefully, for the operations in this field are of secondary importance. If the forces in Poland can push westward into Germany, the German East Prussian army will have no choice but to retreat. Consequently, the Russians cannot afford to take any chances of a disastrous defeat in the lake region such as that by Gen. von Hindenburg two months ago won his great renown. In southwestern Poland it is even more important for the Russians to bring up to the front all possible strength in men and artillery before they deliver their final attack upon the entrenched line that the Germans have occupied along the Silesian border.

The object of the rapid retreat of the latter was to have the next battle take place on a field selected by them. Every advantage of the ground would thus be theirs. If the Russians could be enticed into delivering an attack before the arrival of their heavy artillery, the Germans would thus have a chance to get revenge for their reverses along the Vistula.

The advance of the Russians in Galicia will soon set free their Cosack divisions on this flank for a new invasion of Hungary. When the Austrians have closed in sufficiently to make a strong stand against the Russian pursuit, the fighting will take on the character of siege operations like that in France. Manned troops are of little value in such combats, but must be moved to the flanks, where the fighting will give them opportunities for performing their true role.

ish Mediterranean Fleet, was today captured by a court-martial of neglect in connection with the escape of the former German cruisers Goeben and Breslau. Rear Admiral Sir Archibald Berkeley Milne, commander of the British Mediterranean Fleet, was previously exonerated from similar charges.

While they still belonged to the German Navy the Goeben and Breslau eluded British warships sent to attack them, and, escaping from the Messina Straits, made their way to the Dardanelles, where they were transferred to the Turkish Navy.

WIDOW IS CECIL HENLAND, THE WRITER—OTHER WELL KNOWN NAMES ON CASUALTY LIST.

LONDON, Nov. 12.—A casualty list dated Nov. 3 was issued here tonight. It gives the names of ten officers killed and twenty-eight wounded.

Among the killed are Lieut. Col. C. B. Monahan of the Welsh Regiment, and Lieut. Col. Arthur Jex-Blake Percival of the Northumberland Fusiliers. In the list of wounded appear the names of Lieut. Col. R. H. H. B. B. of the Royal Engineers and Major B. T. Bell of the Queen's Royal West Surrey Regiment.

Lieut. Col. Percival, a distinguished soldier, was the youngest son of the Bishop of Hereford. His wife, Cecil Henland, whom he married in 1905, at the age of 38, is a well-known author of children's books.

Col. Percival was educated at Marlborough and Rugby and entered the army in 1882. He served in the Sudan in 1898 under Kitchener, and was present at the battle of Khartoum, receiving the Distinguished Service Order in 1902. He was admitted to the Staff College in 1904. His services in the Sudan were mentioned in dispatches, and was twice mentioned in the Sudan in 1905, again in the Sudan, he took part in the operations against the Nyam Nyam tribes and won mention in dispatches and two more medals. The next year he fought at Talo, South Sudan, and again was mentioned in dispatches. Later he commanded the Camel Corps in the Egyptian Army, and when the present war began he was General Staff Officer at the War Office. He had been a Captain in the Sudan since 1904, and received the Distinguished Service Order in 1902, and was admitted to the Staff College in 1904. 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BELGIANS GIVE \$3,000,000

Will Pay for Transport of Supplies—Commission Issues New Call to Americans.

LONDON, Nov. 12.—(Jarvis E. Bell of New York, the first member of the American Commission for Relief in Belgium to return from Belgium since the distribution of relief began, states that instead of hampering the efforts to relieve the starving population, the German authorities are doing their utmost to assist the commission in its work.

The Belgian-Dutch border now is practically closed to passenger traffic, only persons on official business being permitted to pass, but members of the commission are allowed to travel back and forth without the slightest hindrance.

In Belgium, the shipments of foodstuffs, consigned to the American Mission, Grand Whitehead and in care of the commission, are permitted to proceed with minimum delay. The German officials have treated the members of the commission with great consideration.

Mr. Bell praises equally the Dutch officials for their assistance in the matter of food shipments. In the case of the Coblenz, the first American relief ship to arrive, the officials suspended the law momentarily, and for the first time in history a ship was permitted to discharge her cargo at a Dutch port on Sunday.

The American Commission for Relief in Belgium has received a check from the Bank of England for \$3,000,000, which was contributed by prominent Belgians interested in the relief of their countrymen.

With the emergency work in Belgium now under way, the commission is prepared to assume the permanent task of keeping Belgians supplied with food.

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The commission is arranging for a regular steamship service from the Atlantic seaboard to Belgium, and is receiving from the interior to the seaboard. The commission urges all local associations throughout the United States to convert all their funds into local purchases of foodstuffs, and to contribute to the commission in the form of local purchases of foodstuffs.

Each American farmer and every resident from his own store, can well afford a few bushels of wheat, flour, corn, beans, peas, and peas, and also bacon and ham, as these are the most needed commodities in Belgium. The commission is co-operating in a most cordial manner with the local organizations, and is receiving from the interior to the seaboard.

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GERMANS GIVE AID TO BELGIAN RELIEF

Member of American Commission Reports That They Are Doing Everything to Help.

BELGIANS GIVE \$3,000,000

Will Pay for Transport of Supplies—Commission Issues New Call to Americans.

LONDON, Nov. 12.—(Jarvis E. Bell of New York, the first member of the American Commission for Relief in Belgium to return from Belgium since the distribution of relief began, states that instead of hampering the efforts to relieve the starving population, the German authorities are doing their utmost to assist the commission in its work.

The Belgian-Dutch border now is practically closed to passenger traffic, only persons on official business being permitted to pass, but members of the commission are allowed to travel back and forth without the slightest hindrance.

In Belgium, the shipments of foodstuffs, consigned to the American Mission, Grand Whitehead and in care of the commission, are permitted to proceed with minimum delay. The German officials have treated the members of the commission with great consideration.

Mr. Bell praises equally the Dutch officials for their assistance in the matter of food shipments. In the case of the Coblenz, the first American relief ship to arrive, the officials suspended the law momentarily, and for the first time in history a ship was permitted to discharge her cargo at a Dutch port on Sunday.

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RUINS OF LOUVAIN VISITED BY CROWDS

City Slowly Coming to Life, with a Few Shops Doing a Brisk Business.

PINE ROOF ON CATHEDRAL

High Fences Guard Hotel de Ville and Landmark Camps in Court of the University.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

From a Staff Correspondent.

LOUVAIN, Nov. 5.—Louvain now presents the ghastly spectacle of a dead city, buried under ruins, slowly coming to life again and continuing to give full scope to the morbid streak in human nature, for nightmarish scenes to flock here in increasing numbers from Antwerp, Brussels, and, in fact, all over Belgium, excepting from over the dead line of the operating zone. With Brussels people especially it is a favorite outing on a pleasant Sunday. The Germans have succeeded in restoring train service to the extent of two passenger trains daily between here and Brussels and one between here and Antwerp. The German military authorities pursue a surprisingly lenient and liberal policy in giving traveling passes to the Belgian population. In addition to those who come by train a steady procession of auto-passes through all day, and next week, when the Berlin-Brussels express is to be started, the local tourist season will have a further boom.

About 5 per cent. of the original population have come crawling back and three companies of Landsturm garrisoned here, together with sixteenthers, form a source of revenue for the more courageous shopkeepers, who have come back and reopened stores. They are coming money as never in peace times, especially the little confectionery and pastry shops, where the soldiers' duty comes for afternoon coffee, and the one cinder shoe is open.

Workmen are putting the finishing touches to a new pine board roof on the cathedral, and making efforts to restore the stone exterior. The famous Gothic Hotel de Ville is now protected by a high board fence and two bearded Landsturm men mount guard day and night. A gang of laborers is making headway in cleaning up the interior of the hopelessly ruined university library and the streets are all cleared of debris. The academic halls of the main university building, which suffered little damage, are not silent, for one of the Landsturm companies is quartered there. I found half a hundred new students and two cows in the university quadrangle or campus. The men were unhappily, but good-natured, and many were the rough looks as they watched the milking of the cows, preparatory to their being slaughtered on the spot by the butcher who had been waiting, while at the same time a gray-haired university castellan was getting ready to take a time exposure of the cows, and calling out in French from behind a high antiquated camera mounted on a shaky tripod to hold still and look pleasant.

"Yet they say we Germans are barbarians," laughed an under officer. "I bet you won't find that French soldiers or highly civilized English gentlemen either have a photograph come to take pictures of the cows they are about to eat."

The venerable university guardian continued to do a good business making group pictures and portraits of Landsturm under officers, sergeants, and men at two francs per dozen postcards. A lieutenant appeared on the scene and the huge soured in the court for boot inspection. The soldier who stood up in double file against the brick university wall and presented feet for the trial of the inspector.

The last of the former students of the University of Louvain was probably a well-dressed, middle-aged looking young Chinaman, who was eating lunch at a nearby restaurant, the only one open to Louvain. The German soldiers had fortunately not mistaken him for a Japanese.

The inhabitants who have no stores to keep seem continually to wander aimlessly in the streets, and here too I found common men now over Belgium of many women with children, begging. They linger around the entrances to the barracks, for hunger gives them a keen nose for bread and they soon learned soldiers will give them what they have left over from their ample rations. The German Government is trying to stimulate the return of the population and apparently doing its best to help them to earn a living by providing work.

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QUEEN MARY VISITS AMERICAN HOSPITAL

Enthusiastic in Her Praise of the Women's Institution for Wounded.

SPEAKS TO EACH PATIENT

And Makes a Gift to Every Man—Only Serious Cases Taken to the Hospital at Paignton.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Nov. 12.—Queen Mary visited the American Women's War Hospital at Paignton, Devonshire, today. She was accompanied by Lady Paget, Lady Randolph Churchill, and Mrs. Lewis Harcourt.

To these members of the Hospital Committee as well as to the members of the active staff the Queen expressed herself as greatly pleased with the work done by the American women in preparing such an institution for the wounded.

The Queen was particularly interested in the American Red Cross physicians and nurses stationed at the hospital, and conversed with all of them.

It was a great occasion for the patients, and the Queen talked with each wounded soldier. She also had presents for all of them.

In speaking of the Queen's visit, Lady Paget, President of the Hospital Committee, said tonight: "It was a great honor to the American Hospital for the Queen to make such a long trip in order to visit the institution, and I know it will be pleasing to Americans to know how warmly she spoke of it."

The Queen left London this morning on a special train. It is nearly a five-hour ride to Paignton. After spending two hours at Paignton the return journey was begun, the party reaching London tonight.

By The Associated Press.

LONDON, Nov. 12.—Queen Mary gladdened the hearts of 200 wounded "Tommy's" in the American Women's Hospital at Paignton, Devonshire, by her visit today.

The Queen was accompanied by Lady Mary Trevelyan, one of her ladies in waiting, and Sir Charles Cunt of the King's household, besides Lady Paget, Lady Randolph Churchill, and Mrs. Lewis Harcourt.

Upon the arrival of the party at the hospital Dr. Howard N. Beale and the other surgeons and the nurses, all of whom are Americans, were present to greet the Queen, who remained for two hours visiting the wards, talking to the wounded, and presenting pipes, cigarettes, muffers, and shirts to them.

The Queen was enthusiastic in her praise of the beautiful hospital, which is the private estate of Lady Singer of the well-known American family. She commended the immaculate wards, thanked the surgeons and nurses for their efforts in caring for the wounded soldiers, and congratulated them on their falling into such good hands.

Only seriously wounded and invalids were sent to Paignton, the American

Troops Clothed on Fighting Line.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, Friday, Nov. 18.—The Daily Telegraph correspondent at Rotterdam says there seems to be no doubt that German troops with no uniforms beyond caps and identification bands are in Belgium. It has been explained here that they get their uniforms when they approach the fighting line. In other words, they are clothed and equipped at the expense of the dead and wounded.

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SEIGEL FIGHTS ON FINE LAW POINT

Rests Defense on Claim That Notes Practically Were Continuous.

TRACE THEM IN BANK

Merchant's Counsel Follow the Procedure of Cancellation and Renewal.

Special to The New York Times.
GENESEO, N. Y., Nov. 12.—The fourth day of the trial of Henry Siegel, the former head of department stores in New York, developed still more clearly one of the chief lines, by which his counsel hope to prove that he is not guilty of the theft of \$384.06 from the National Bank of Commerce on June 14, 1913. Toward the close of the afternoon session, when the minds of many of those who have followed the testimony were confused by the mass of figures, this outline of the defense was submitted to John B. Stanchfield, counsel in chief for Siegel for his approval.

The defense is purely technical, resting on the fact that at no minute on April 29, 1913, did Siegel or Vogel not have a loan of \$25,000 from the bank. In other words, that no new money passed to Siegel and Vogel on that date, and that consequently, the item of \$384.06 could not have been part of a larceny; so that the indictment as drawn is faulty.

Mr. Stanchfield listened to this outline and said: "That is pretty correctly stated."

When this outline was submitted to Assistant District Attorney Arthur C. Train, conducting the prosecution, he made this comment:

"If that is their defense, they are forced absolutely into this position: That they could have committed larceny if they had discounted that note in any other bank in New York except the National Bank of Commerce and that because they discounted that note in their own bank where they did business, they could not commit larceny."

In the cross-examination of H. P. Howell, one of the Vice Presidents of the National Bank of Commerce, who was on the stand all of yesterday afternoon and the greater part of today, and in the cross-examination of A. W. MacDonald, discount clerk of the same bank, the burden of the defense was to show that there was not a lapse of time on April 29, 1913, when Siegel and Vogel were not under obligations to the bank for a loan of \$25,000 obtained on a note of Jan. 7, 1913, and maturing on April 29, 1913. The prosecution intends to establish that the note was paid on the date of its maturity before another note for \$25,000, maturing Dec. 5, was discounted.

Discussion of Earnings.

The defense apparently was satisfied that it had scored a strong point in favor of Mr. Siegel when the credit statements of the various Siegel-Vogel enterprises as of Feb. 4, 1913, were put in the hands of Vice President Howell, who was asked by Attorney Rosa M. Lovell, assisting in the defense, to point out, any items represented as "earnings," and he was unable to find such a word by comparing the statements of the Fourteenth Street Store of 1913, showing a capital of \$1,177,483.36, with that of the preceding year, showing a capital of \$1,153,639.08. Mr. Howell maintained, however, that the earnings clearly were indicated. He had testified that it was on the strength of these statements that the National Bank of Commerce advanced loans to the Siegel-Vogel enterprises.

"Can't a surplus be made other than by earnings?" asked Mr. Lovell.

"Not honestly, so far as I can see," replied the witness.

"What would prevent stockholders from putting more money?" interjected Mr. Lovell. Subsequently he asked the witness if the National Bank of Commerce had a surplus which was not made up entirely of earnings, and received an affirmative reply. This was later qualified by Mr. Train's examination, which brought out that such was in accordance with the banking laws. Then Mr. Lovell asked Mr. Howell if it was not true that he merely had compared the statement of 1913 and 1912, found that the items in the former were more and "jumped at the conclusion that this meant earnings or profit."

The witness replied that there was no material difference in the assets of a concern. When pressed to say whether the statements showed "earnings," he answered:

"Not so-called."

When Mr. MacDonald took the stand he testified that Siegel and Vogel had begun in 1904, and that a year thereafter they had obtained a loan of \$100,000 from the National Bank of Commerce, giving four notes of \$25,000 each. Mr. Train exhibited the note of Jan. 7, 1913, maturing April 29, which Mr. MacDonald testified had been discounted for the account of the Fourteenth Street Store.

On the cross-examination Mr. Lovell asked Mr. MacDonald how he could be sure that he sent the old note down for cancellation before he started the new note of April 29, maturing on Dec. 5, for \$25,000 through the process of being discounted. The discount clerk testified that it was part of his instructions to make the cancellation of old notes and the discount of new ones in that order. Asked if it was not possible that the note that was discounted had not been brought to him on the day of Jan. 28, he said he was positive that it was.

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dence and the examination by the defense failed to show that there was any connection between the order of the entry of items on the ledger and the order of the notes. For instance, it was shown that the first note, No. 1, was dated \$3,897.17, which Mr. MacDonald explained represented the sum total of a number of checks that came into the National Bank of Commerce through the Clearing House.

The second item was \$25,000, which he said undoubtedly represented the note of the Fourteenth Street Store falling due on April 29, 1913, while the third item, \$1.88, he testified, evidently represented some check which was deposited in some account in the National Bank of Commerce through some outside source.

Questioning by Mr. Train disclosed that these charge items had been collected in alphabetical order and that, therefore, the order of the entries had no relation to the order in which the maturing notes had been received for certification.

The witness further testified that he was absolutely certain about the order in which the cancellation of the note maturing April 29, 1913, and the discounting of the new note of April 29, 1913, maturing Dec. 5 had taken place, because he had made a memorandum of these transactions.

When Mr. Lovell resumed the cross-examination of Mr. Howell in the morning he questioned the witness about an interview with Frank E. Vogel at the National Bank of Commerce in one-half of the amount of three notes maturing Dec. 15, 22, and 29, was renewed until the following February.

"So up to the date of the receipt of Vogel, did just what I said he did?" asked Mr. Lovell.

"Yes," replied Mr. Howell.

"So that when the bank of Commerce closed the books there was \$32,000 due on those notes?"

Asked if the bank had applied the money to the notes, Mr. Howell answered in the affirmative and further said it was thus left due on the notes, the balance being reduced to \$6,113.67 by the bank with the receiver and the bank received a 5 per cent dividend on the \$25,000, which, applied to the notes, left a balance of \$48,713.67. At this juncture Mr. Train interrupted the examination and accused the counsel for the defense of trying to anticipate questions which he knew the prosecution was going to ask.

Balances in the Bank.

The cross-examination by Mr. Lovell further disclosed that the books showed the balance for Siegel and Vogel in the bank as of Jan. 2, 1913, was \$7,835.14, and the balance at the opening of business Jan. 7, 1913, was \$161,534.33. On that day the balance was reduced to \$105,983.30 at the close of business.

Subsequently it was established by Mr. Lovell that the balance of the bank of Commerce at \$27,845.45 on Feb. 7, 1913. Item by item he took the credits at the opening and close of business for each day of the maturity of the notes from Feb. 7, 1913, to June 14, 1913. These figures showed a balance of \$96,196.10. The balance at the opening of business on June 14, 1913, was \$82,927.38 and at the close of business was \$82,927.38.

Mr. Howell was asked to explain how the loans to Siegel and Vogel were applied to the balance of the bank of Commerce. Subsequently he was directed to name other banks in which his bank had made loans, and he mentioned Acker, Merrill & Condit, the General Motors Company, and others. Asked if there were any department stores to which the bank had made loans, he named McCrory, Gimbels Brothers of New York and Philadelphia, and Saks & Co.

According to Mr. Howell, he first saw Mr. Siegel at the bank on April 9, 1913. His conversation was along the same lines as that with Vogel in March preceding. The "hypothesis" of the same installment accounts was the subject of the interview. Siegel said he was not doing this, and intimated that other companies which had obtained loans from the bank were. Mr. Howell was asked if Mr. Siegel had not asked President Alexander whether such transactions were all right. He merely the information, but the witness could recall no such conversation.

Robert G. McMeekin, Secretary of the Siegel Stores Corporation, who is to testify that Siegel asked him to ascertain the country with which the United States had no extradition treaties, returned to New York tonight and probably will not be heard until next week. Mr. McMeekin was not, as reported, confidential secretary to Siegel.

SIEGEL BLAMES DEPOSITORS.

Tells Their Representative They Should Have Taken \$500,000 Offer.

A. Schwartz, who was sent with Irving Coone and Benjamin Marcus, to attend the Siegel trial at Genesee, told 100 depositors at the University Settlement last night that, after Siegel had avoided him several times, he finally cornered him and said:

"Don't run away from me. I'm not so bad as you think. Tell me something to tell the depositors."

"I can't do anything for you," Siegel replied, according to the speaker. "See what you have done! You have caused all the trouble. I offered you \$500,000, but you refused it and now I need the money for my trial. If I was free, I would go into business again and make the money, so that I could pay the depositors dollar for dollar."

Irving Coone said that Assistant District Attorney Train was the best possible man to try the case and that the jury was composed of twelve honest men.

"I feel sure there will be a conviction," he said. "The only way that there can be a disagreement is by mixing up one of more of the jurors with a mass of figures. No man on that jury can be bought. I started to tell the people of Genesee of our losses, of sickness, death, and even suicide caused by Siegel, and I found they were already pretty well acquainted with our affairs."

RUINED DEPOSITOR A SUICIDE.

Fritz Lost His Job and His Savings When Siegel Failed.

Albert Fritz, 35 years old, who was formerly Superintendent of the Engraving Department of the Singer Sewing Machine Company and is said to have had \$10,000 on deposit in the Siegel bank, was found dead about 4:30 o'clock yesterday at his home, 240 E. 14th St., Brooklyn. The police say he committed suicide. Fritz was a widower and made his home with his sister, Mrs. Louise Formont, and her son Paul. He was a steady and thrifty man, according to the story told by his relatives, until the failure of the Siegel stores last Winter, when he lost at once his money and his work.

When he was unable to obtain work, he slept for a considerable part of the day, so when he did not get up yesterday morning, Mrs. Formont thought nothing of it and went out for the day.

When her son came home at 4:30 o'clock and found his father in bed, he found him dead, apparently lifeless. He called Henry Friedlander, an undertaker, and the coroner, who pronounced Fritz dead, and then notified Coroner Wagner. No physician had been summoned to the office, having learned from the undertaker that a glass containing white sediment had been found on a chair beside the bed, sent word to the police of the Flatbush Station house, where Fritz had taken his own life. The contents of the glass have been turned over to the city chemist for analysis.

WAR CUTS CANAL INCOME

But Waterway Will Earn \$4,500,000 a Year, Bishop Estimates.

John Bucklin Bishop, former Secretary to the Isthmian Canal Commission, who returned yesterday from Panama on the United Fruit steamship Penedores, said that the income of the canal for this year amounted to \$379,000, which, if continued, would mean \$4,500,000 a year.

Gov. Goethals, who returned from Panama, said that the operating expenses of the Panama Canal amount to \$4,000,000, so that the canal will clear \$500,000.

The war in Europe has made a big difference in the traffic through the new waterway, and the business when peace is proclaimed will be considerable.

"What about the slides in Culebra Cut?"

"Col. Goethals is not worrying over the slides in the canal," he said. "The big dredger was ready for just such an emergency, and made short work of the two slides on the other side of Culebra Hill."

Mr. Bishop said that ships could be passed through the canal in ten hours now, instead of twelve hours, as previously estimated.

CALIFORNIA VOTING ALARMS JAPANESE

Tokio Papers Fear Further Legislation as to Alien Land Ownership.

FALSE ALARM, IT IS SAID

Japanese in San Francisco Do Not Believe the New Legislature Will Pass More Stringent Laws.

TOKIO, Nov. 12. (Dispatch to East and West News Bureau.)—A report from America reaching here says that the majority of members just elected to the California Legislature entertain anti-Japanese sentiment and therefore the passage of the amendment to the Alien Land act, that is intended to deprive aliens of the right to lease farm land, is certain and, further, that in the primary of the State of Washington the proposed constitutional amendment to permit aliens to own land within city limits was defeated by a large majority.

This news has attracted much public attention and has become a topic of lively discussion by the press.

Most of the papers express their utter failure to understand why, in spite of the most sincere efforts made by the Japanese people for the maintenance of friendly relations between America and Japan, part of the United States is so strongly affected by the anti-Japanese fever.

The papers speak of it as a most regrettable phenomenon. They fear that such a critical moment as this to the world, when it is convulsed by a tremendous catastrophe, a serious difficulty may develop if the anti-Japanese sentiment in America has full sway. They all hope that the intelligent public of America will do its best to counteract such an undesirable movement.

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K. K. Kawakami, head of the Pacific Press, a news distributing agency that has many subscribers in Japan, and a magazine writer of note, said:

"Correspondents in San Francisco at Japanese papers, including myself are preparing letters to our papers for the purpose of fully explaining the situation here as it is influenced by the recent elections. In Japan they base their opinion undoubtedly on the result of the anti-alien ownership agitation of two years ago. They know that Gov. Johnson was insistent at that time that the legislation now in effect be enacted, and they jump at the conclusion that now, with a Legislature almost wholly Progressive, he will undertake to have enacted more stringent legislation. We in California believe that he will do no such thing."

The new Legislature meets in January. Nothing so far has been developed to indicate that there will be any concerted attempt to bring about new legislation regarding alien ownership of land.

Speaking in reference to the State of Washington, Mr. Kawakami said today that there was nothing in the situation in that State that caused any alarm to the Japanese, and that the fact that in Washington the anti-alien land laws had existed for years.

So far as the Japanese here have ascertained, there is nothing in the Washington situation to which they should take exception.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12.—Officials of the Administration who come from the Pacific Coast are surprised by the reported bitter comment in the Japanese press on the supposed election of a State Legislature in California and Washington threatening anti-Japanese legislation.

It was suggested here tonight that the statements in Japanese newspapers might be simply another outburst of the jingo element that this figure rather conspicuously in Japanese journals in recent years. It is known that these expressions in the press have been the occasion of worry to Japanese statesmen.

JURY FINDS FOR MRS. SMITH

Judge Told Them She Had Right to Warn Against Mrs. Brashears.

The jury which had been trying the \$50,000 slander suit brought by Mrs. Marion W. Brashears in the Federal District Court before Judge Noble H. Smith returned yesterday for the defendant.

They were out one hour, and had been instructed to consider that if Mrs. Smith had been actuated by right motive in warning her protégée, Miss Mary Adele Case, not to associate with the plaintiff, she could not be held for damages.

The jury's verdict, as reported by the foreman, Alexander Stone, stated:

"We were explicitly to state that we find nothing in the evidence proving improper conduct on the part of the plaintiff."

Judge Hand assented to this, and denied the motion for the setting aside of the verdict by Judge A. C. Palmer, counsel for Mrs. Brashears.

REPORTS \$65,000 GEM LOSS.

Theatrical Man Says Woman on Train May Have Taken Jewels.

Don Valentine Harwood, who described himself as a playwright and theatrical man, reported at Police Headquarters last night that he had been robbed of jewels worth \$65,000. He said he was not sure whether the case containing them had been picked out of his overcoat pocket a week ago by a richly dressed woman in a Sixth Avenue elevated train or whether they had been stolen from a trunk with a supposedly impregnable lock, in which he was not sure whether he placed them or not in moving last Tuesday from 550 Riverside Drive to 320 Manhattan Avenue.

Harwood said the jewels had been given to him by his father on his deathbed, and that he had kept them in a safety deposit vault until last week. Inspector Parrot placed some detectives on the case.

WOMAN FIREMAN SUES TO HOLD JOB

Discharged from School Because of Her Sex, She Asks for Writ for Reinstatement.

TO MAKE A TEST CASE

Her Service Record Excellent—Dismissal Due to Board of Education Employment Rule.

Miss Antoinette Vonasek, 23 years old, and five feet four inches tall, is a li-

censed fireman and has been employed in Public School 34 in the Bronx looking after the pressure boiler. She was discharged because she happened to be a woman and yesterday she applied to Supreme Court Justice Davis for a writ of mandamus to compel the Board of Education to reinstate her. Decision was reserved.

Everybody who knows anything about the quality of Miss Vonasek's work admits that it is first class. During the time she was in charge of the boiler there was not a blow-up or a blow-out. She can shovel coal and bank a fire as well as any man. Taking care of a boiler is in her blood. Her father and her uncle are engineers and her ambition is to be an engineer, too. In 1910 she got a job working about the school at \$30 a month and after this work was over she helped the fireman. Janitor Banker liked her. She never neglected her duties.

Word that a woman was a fireman at \$12 a year got around and the Board of Education discovered that this vio-

lated one of the rules and so Superintendent Janitor McGuire was ordered to discontinue her services. He wrote her a nice letter in which he said that he had to do as he was told, and explained that her sex was the only complaint made against her.

Miss Vonasek in court. She told Justice Davis that the ousting of a woman because she was a woman could not happen in the Western States.

She said that Miss Vonasek's license permits her to operate a boiler of ninety pounds pressure, while the boiler she had been operating was only forty pounds pressure. Miss Janoe said that there are still some women janitors in the public schools who are permitted to look after low pressure boilers.

"I am going to make a test case of this," said Miss Janoe, "in order to discover whether a woman who has brains enough to become an engineer shall not work as a fireman if she prefers to."

Assistant Corporation Counsel McIntyre submitted briefs which explained that the Board of Education had adopted the rule prohibiting women from working as firemen because it was thought the children would run a greater risk in case of an accident in a boiler room where a woman was in charge.

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An exclusive GIMBEL model, extremely smart, close-fitting, with velvet collar and silk-lined. In plain black, gray, brown and blue. (Illustrated at right.)

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Men's and Young Men's \$20 Chinchilla Ulsters At \$15
 Coats with plenty of swing—shawl collars, loose-belted effects, comfortable length, and built for all sorts of snowy and blowy weather. Sizes 32 to 42.

Men's and Young Men's \$22 Chinchilla Overcoats At \$15
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**REPUBLICS DENY
AIDING GERMANY**

**Charges of Violating Neutrality
False, Ecuadorian Minister
Tells Secretary Bryan.**

BRITAIN PRAISED CHILE

Was Aided in "a Splendid Manner"

**No Complaint by Allies Officially
Before State Department.**

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12.—South American Governments are aroused over reports that they have violated neutrality in connection with the presence of belligerent warships in Western South American waters. Today the Minister of Ecuador called on Secretary Bryan to deny that his Government had discriminated in favor of the German squadron in the Pacific, which recently defeated the British squadron under Admiral Sir Christopher Cradock off the coast of Chile.

Minister Suarez of Chile, has received by cable long extracts from a speech delivered by the Chilean Minister of Foreign Affairs in which, in connection with questions asked in the Parliament of the republic concerning the engagement of the Chilean coast, he explained the measures taken to insure neutrality. The questions asked were based on rumors printed in European newspapers about the observance of Chilean neutrality.

A report that the British Government had suggested to the United States that this Government, as the guardian of the principle enunciated in the Monroe Doctrine, should call the attention of certain South American countries to the allegations that those countries had violated neutrality in permitting the entry of wireless stations on their territory for the military uses of Germany was explained at the State Department today. It was said that in a casual and informal conversation with one of the officials of the department, Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, the British Ambassador, had said that there were reports that the use of radio-communication with the German squadron off the Pacific coast of South America and that it was rumored also that Ecuador had not stopped German warships from coaling in the Galapagos Islands. The British Ambassador did not ask this Government to take any action and it was understood at the State Department that the statements of the Ambassador were based on any official information.

Consul of Ecuador today said that the master of the accusations against South American countries was not brought to the attention of the department until today, when the Minister of Ecuador called to say that he had seen newspaper reports that complaint had been made any representations to any South American country concerning alleged violations of neutrality and that the attention of the Government had been called to the matter in any way except by the Ecuadorian Minister. He said that the subject was not officially before the State Department in a formal manner.

The Chilean Legation here has received by cable the text of a message sent by the Chilean Minister in London to his Government, in which Sir Edward Grey, the British Minister for Foreign Affairs, is quoted as saying that Chile had fulfilled its neutrality obligations in a splendid manner.

Ships of the Chilean fleet daily patrol the coast, exercising careful vigilance, more especially in the neighborhood of the Straits of Magellan, the route which merchant vessels must take, and consequently the region in which there is the likelihood of pursuits or conflicts in territorial waters. The application of

**SEES LITTLE PERIL
IN ZEPPELIN RAID**

**Goldmerstein Tells Aeronautical
Society British Would Wreck
an Airship Fleet.**

CAN'T HIT MOVING SHIPS

So That British Fleet is in Little
Danger—Testing Device for
Aeroplane Wireless.

Aerial strategy in war was discussed at the general meeting of the Aeronautical Society of America, held last night in the Engineering Societies Building, at 29 West Thirty-ninth Street. The activities of the aeroplane and the dirigible in the present war, and speculation concerning the operations on a larger scale than has heretofore been the case led several speakers to express divergent views regarding their powers for destructiveness. The problems standing in the way of an extension of the use of wireless equipment on aeroplanes was discussed also.

Frederick W. Barker, First Vice President of the society, presided in the absence of President T. R. MacCormack, who is returning today from Europe on the Baltic. W. R. Kimball and W. J. Hammer told of the attacking power of aircraft, and Leon F. Goldmerstein said it was his belief that the Zeppelin airship fleet stood little chance of doing serious damage to the British fleet, although he conceded that the dirigibles might effect some destruction in London. He maintained, however, that the aircraft would never be able to escape across the English Channel or North Sea after making such an attack.

"Speaking from an engineering point of view," said Mr. Goldmerstein, "I believe that should the Zeppelin fleet assault London, it would never get back to its base. The minute it reached the British capital, the news would be flashed over

**GENERALS LINE UP
FOR MEXICAN WAR**

Continued from Page 1.

backsliders and support the First Chief against a coming.

Though there is still some faint hope that the differences will be composed by possible personal conference between Gen. Carranza and Emilio Gutierrez, who claims the title of Provisional President, the people at the capital regard the renewal of civil strife as practically inevitable.

It is conceded here that if Carranza succeeds in bringing about the evacuation of Vera Cruz, which is reported here as certain, he will hold a trump card and be able to make a powerful plea for national support. Gen. Carranza is already receiving numerous telegrams congratulating him on the success of his diplomacy in removing the last obstacles to the recovery of the republic's chief port.

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 12.—A general order issued today by the military commandant in the capital informed all officers to be ready from today to call their men to quarters and to hold them in readiness for any emergency.

Fighting on the outskirts of this city continues. The Constitutionalists are holding the attackers in check everywhere along the line.

Gen. Villa has not replied to telegrams sent him by Gen. Obregon and Blanco requesting him to resign his position as commander of the Constitutional troops in the north. Gen. Pablo Gonzalez has sent a dispatch to Gen.

land and sea, and I doubt if a single one of the attacking force could escape. The London fleet are faster, and even with the powerful searchlights with which the Zeppelins are equipped, an attack on a capital object would be impossible, although it is within the range of possibilities that such a structure as the House of Parliament might suffer.

"The chance of a successful attack by the Zeppelin aircraft on the British capital is very slight. To proceed to careful mathematical calculations I am convinced that it would be almost impossible for the Zeppelins to destroy vessels under way, which is the problem that must be met in any such attack."

Mr. Goldmerstein pointed out that the Germans have perfected a new and more powerful type of Diesel engine for use by the dirigibles.

Blmer E. Hucker, instructing Engineer of the Marconi Wireless Company, said that the carrying power of messages on heavier-than-air craft is between fifteen and thirty-five miles. This is due to the small surface on such ships that can be used for wiring. The problem is to find a way to get a Zeppelin type, which are capable of sending messages as far as miles.

Mr. Hucker said that experiments are being made with a more sensitive receiving apparatus which, it is expected, will eventually make it possible to give aeroplanes and dirigible craft a radius of action of between five and ten miles.

It was announced that the Aeronautical Society of America had called a joint conference on aviation to be held at the headquarters of the society on Feb. 12 and 13, to consider the inventions possible for the American engineering community with regard to stability and safety in flight. The society also is planning to hold a conference on the subject of the Guard of this State with the view to stimulating interest in aviation in the middle.

MME. GRANDIER'S WILL.

\$47,000 Goes to Metropolitan Museum on Her Husband's Death.

The will of Marie Sylvie Grandier, who died in Paris, France, on July 29, leaving a contingent bequest of \$47,000 to the Metropolitan Museum of Art here, was filed for probate yesterday. The instrument disposes of property in the United States to her husband, Claude Francois Marie Julien Grandier, in trust for life. At his death the bequest to the Art Museum becomes effective.

The remainder goes to two sisters of the decedent, Gustave Monville of 74 West Twelfth Street and Mrs. Ferdinand Studd. There were gifts of \$2,000 and \$1,000, respectively, to Mrs. Adeline Robert and Mrs. Eugene Auger, sisters-in-law.

Another will, not filed here, disposes of the property in France.

ASSAILS AMERICAN AGENT.

**Carranza Organ Demands Recall of
Carothers, Now with Villa.**

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 12.—El Pueblo, a pro-Government organ, attacks editorially this morning George C. Carothers, the American agent with Gen. Villa, saying in part:

"In Mexico Mr. Carothers, who is relatively young, is a type of intriguer who affiliates himself with one of the contending factions, who becomes the

**MAD CAT BIT OTHERS;
THEY ESCAPE RABIES**

**Grace Polhemus, Only One of
Three Attacked to Take Pas-
teur Treatment, is Dying.**

DOCTORS FIGHT TO SAVE HER

Man and Boy Who Were Bitten by
the Same Animal Quickly Recov-
ered from Their Wounds.

Grace Polhemus, the 13-year-old Brooklyn girl in whom hydrophobia developed one year after she was bitten by a stray cat, was yesterday reported in a state of coma at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur A. Polhemus, 872 Monroe Street. This was described by Dr. Theodore Vosseler, physician in charge, as the "beginning of the fatal termination of the disease," and last night no hope was held out for her recovery.

The little girl's case remained as much of a puzzle as ever to physicians. Investigation showed that she was one of three persons bitten by the same cat on Nov. 13, last year, and that she alone had taken the Pasteur treatment. The others merely had their wounds cauterized, and have enjoyed good health ever since.

One of these is ten-year-old Morris Feinstein of 583 Gates Avenue, who was with the Polhemus girl when the cat attacked her. Morris, in trying to catch the animal was bitten on the arm. The boy's mother took him to Dr. Vosseler, who cauterized the wound and recommended the Pasteur treatment, as in the case of the little girl. But the mother did not take his advice. The wound healed quickly and the boy is as well as ever today.

William Murphy, a plumber, 38 years old, of 236 Sixteenth Street, was at work near by when the two children were bitten. He tried to catch the cat and was nipped in the calf of the leg.

confidant and intimate friend of a rebel General with no very disinterested aims assuredly, who runs hither and thither with orders, messages, and suggestions; who before the White House assumes the defense of his friend Gen. Francisco Villa, so that President Wilson may support him and secure his supremacy. If we did not know the good faith and integrity of President Wilson and his Secretary of State, William J. Bryan, we should believe the story that the United States keeps in Mexico agents to sow seeds of discord in order to weaken us and fall upon us when the nation is exhausted and the energies of the people, sapped by the prolongation of strife and conquest, offer less obstacles.

"We should also believe that the chief of these malignant agents of discord, dissolution and death is George C. Carothers, the friend and ally of Francisco Villa. Therefore, in respectful terms we appeal in this article to President Wilson and his Secretary of State, requesting them for the good of the Mexican Republic, our country, and for the good also of the United States, which has the highest interest in the re-establishment of peace in Mexico, that they recall from this friendly nation George C. Carothers, and that they forbid him to meddle in the future in Mexico's political affairs."

EAST SIDE FACTORY BURNS.

**Paper Novelty Company's Loss is
\$75,000 in \$125,000 Fire.**

Fire destroyed the four-story factory of the Paper Novelty Manufacturing Company at 318-20 East Forty-eighth Street last night with a loss of approximately \$125,000.

The building is in the midst of a densely populated tenement district and three alarms were sent to Deal Leno, President of the company, said the fire started about 7:45 o'clock just as he was getting ready to go home. He said there was at least \$75,000 worth of paper and materials of an inflammable nature in the building, as his company was in the middle of the Christmas rush.

It took two hours hard work to subdue the flames. Chief Keegan said the loss on the building, which belonged to John B. Schleissinger, would amount to \$50,000. Leno said his company's loss was covered by insurance.

EPISCOPAL WOMEN GET VOTE

**New York Diocese Awards Them a
Voice in Church Affairs.**

Woman suffrage in parochial meetings and other affairs of the Episcopal Church became a diocesan law yesterday, when the delegates to the one hundred and thirty-first annual convention of the New York Diocese voted almost unanimously in favor of the recommendation of a special committee of clergymen and laymen to admit women to an equal share in church management. Dr. William T. Manning, rector of Trinity Church, was greeted with applause by the delegates when he asked them to accord women the vote, after Bishop Greer, presiding, had presented the resolution for consideration.

"I hope the resolution will prevail; there is nothing dangerous in this proposition, and I see no reason why the Church should be denied this larger participation in the part of its faithful women. It is not a radical step. Even Connecticut permits the women of the Church to vote in parish meetings. Here we find ourselves in the unusual position of being behind the times. The part of the resolution not only in the interest of the women, but also for the credit of New York. No record was kept of the exact vote, but not more than ten voices were heard in opposition."

It was indicated that the Episcopal Diocese would endeavor to develop its work more thoroughly among the alien population of the city. Bishop Greer was requested to appoint a special committee to confer with officers of foreign-born religious bodies for the purpose of co-operation.

Members of the Board of Trustees of the Cathedral were elected under the

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BIG BRONX ROUND-UP FOR BOMB OUTRAGE

County Officials and Police Will
Make New Attempt to
Wipe Out Slavers.

JUDGE GOT MANY THREATS

Anarchist Theory Strengthened by
Finding of Fragments of Pamphlet
—Hoefling Made Mistake.

A big round-up of persons suspected of connection with the white slave traffic in the Bronx and surrounding districts is planned by the police. Capt. Andrew J. Wines of the Fifth Detective Branch will be in charge, and he will be aided by all the resources of the office of District Attorney Martin of Bronx County.

County officials are still inclined to attribute the explosion of the bomb which late Wednesday night wrecked the bronze doors in the main entrance of the Court House to a group of persons, but Justice Collins said the "idiot-synagogue of genius" did not excuse the crime.

Among those who recommended mercy were Sullivan, Burke, Dr. W. J. Sullivan, William Mahon and O. S. Spellman. Robert H. Davis of the "Masses" publication and John Phillips of the "American Magazine" also recommended mercy. Phillips' counsel, who admitted that his client had talked on sex subjects with the girl, but said that in doing so he was carrying out his ideas of sex hygiene.

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The county officials are not inclined to take much stock in the theory, which to a large extent is favored by the police, that the explosion was the work of an anarchist, who were thus celebrating the anniversary of the hanging of the men implicated in the Haymarket riots in Chicago.

The chief support of the anarchist theory comes from a pamphlet printed in Spanish, bearing the title of "Los Martires de Chicago." The "Martires de Chicago," and dealing with the Haymarket riots, fragments of which, the police say, were found in the wreckage of the explosion. It is said that this was published in Paterson and distributed from the offices of Mother Earth, the anarchist magazine, in Harlem. At the Mother Earth headquarters, however, all knowledge of the publication was denied.

Judge Gibbs has received great numbers of threats since the explosion, and both these threats were killed by an anarchist. But it is considered strange that the writer of the letter, who apparently a man of education, made the error of slip of calling the Empress Elizabeth by another name.

THOUGHT CANDY A BOMB.
Gift Box Caused Ethel Edwards a Great Deal of Uneasiness.

Nineteen-year-old Ethel Edwards of 211 East 189th Street, the Bronx, found a package awaiting her when she got home late yesterday afternoon and was about to open it when she recalled the bomb explosion of Wednesday night. Now Miss Edwards recently rejected a youth, who swore to get even, and suddenly she began to fear that the apparently harmless box was a bomb. Her mother shared her fears and on the elder woman's advice Ethel took the package to the Bronx Park Police Station.

Lieut. Peter Carter was just as ready as she was to believe it might contain a bomb, and, after handling it gingerly, he hurried it away to the Bronx Detective Bureau, breathing a sigh of relief when he saw it leave the station. Detective Haight had no fears, however. He opened it and found a candy trunk, five pieces of candy, a box of cigars, and a candy chop. There was no card, but from Miss Edwards's blushes she seemed to know where the candy had come from, and she gathered it up and hurried away.

As a precautionary measure two detectives were last night detailed to guard the home of District Attorney Martin, at 238 University Avenue.

ONE YEAR FOR NOVELIST.
Phillips Goes to Penitentiary on the Complaint of a Mother.

Henry Wallace Phillips, author of "Red Sanders" and other Western tales, was sentenced to a year in the penitentiary yesterday by Justices Russell, Moss, and Collins in Special Session on his plea of guilty to the charge of corrupting the morals of Marjorie Kluxton, 14 years old. The justice had received the letters recommending clemency from many well-known persons, but Justice Collins said the "idiot-synagogue of genius" did not excuse the crime.

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REOPEN LABOR TRUST CASE.
New Brief Before Supreme Court in Behalf of Danbury Matters.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12.—Arguing that the wrong men were convicted in the Danbury matters case, Alton B. Parker and Frank L. Mulholland, in a brief filed with the Supreme Court today, urged the court to set aside the \$235,000 judgment imposed under the Sherman anti-trust law upon 138 hat factory laborers of Danbury, Conn., and Bethel, Conn.

The brief was submitted as the basis for the new case on Dec. 1, 1914. It was in this case that the Supreme Court several years ago decided that the labor union was subject to the terms of the Sherman anti-trust law.

The attorneys contended that most of the 138 defendants did not participate in the slightest degree in the boycott of the hats of D. E. Loewe & Co., for which they were convicted.

"They were made defendants," the brief asserted, "because they were members of local hat makers' unions in the respective places where they lived which were affiliated with the United Hatters, and because they owned property."

It was urged that the laborers could not be held liable for the campaign against the company by the President of the National United Hatters Union and its advertising agency, because if the officers engaged in illegal acts they exceeded their authority.

MORTGAGE ON HAGAN'S CLUB
Tammany Leader Must Meet a Foreclosure Suit Now.

The first of a hard two years for Tammany struck Leader James J. Hagan of the Fifteenth District yesterday when suit was begun in the Supreme Court to foreclose a mortgage on his headquarters, known as the Amsterdam Democratic Club, at 131 West Sixty-fourth Street. The plaintiff is Charles J. Fitzpatrick, the administrator of the estate of Sarah J. Fitzpatrick, that held a mortgage of \$17,000 on the premises. This mortgage was made on April 4, 1905, and on Jan. 9, 1911, it was reduced to \$11,000. Taxes for the last half of the current year, amounting to \$105.80, have not been paid and there has been a default in the interest.

Mr. Hagan was appointed Commissioner in the corporation Tax Bureau by Controller Schaner in 1911.

WHITE WOULD FACE MEN WHO JAILED HIM

Pastor Asks Magistrate, Judge,
and Dr. Woolfkin to Attend
Carnegie Hall Meeting.

MAY INVADE CHURCH AGAIN

Agitator Who Disturbed Rockefeller
Congregation Says We Are Enter-
ing a "Revolutionary Era."

After his release from the Queens County Jail yesterday morning, where he served five months for disorderly conduct, the Rev. Dock White spent yesterday afternoon and evening writing letters to those he held responsible for his imprisonment.

One of the letters he addressed to the Rev. Cornelius Woolfkin, pastor of the Fifth Avenue Baptist Church. White was arrested for interrupting a service at the Calvary Baptist Church, with which the Fifth Avenue congregation was in friendly relations. Dr. Woolfkin was the principal witness at the hearing before Magistrate Campbell in the West Side Court.

White wrote to Dr. Woolfkin yesterday, as Pastor of the Church of the Social Revolution. He told Dr. Woolfkin that it was largely because of his testimony that he was sent to the workhouse, and he invited Dr. Woolfkin to meet him tonight in Carnegie Hall and to speak with him from the stage to those before whom he said he proposed to put his side of the case. White invited Magistrate Campbell, who sentenced him to jail, and Judge J. T. Malone of General Sessions, to present their views to the audience. Here is a brief of the case in White's letter to the invitation to Magistrate Campbell.

New York, Nov. 12, 1914.
To Magistrate Campbell, the Chief Magistrate of the Court, New York.

Dear Sir: Six months ago you sent our pastor, Dock White, to the Work House on Blackwell's Island. He was sent to us at the time that the hearing you accorded him was grotesque and inadequate. Appeal refused.

During the six months he has been behind the bars you and your fellow-defenders of the money caste have been in a position to get your side before the public, while he has been fettered.

Fair play demands that both sides be heard and to that end we are planning to bring our pastor to Carnegie Hall tomorrow, Friday night, at 8 o'clock, to make his case before the people. He will be assisted by a number of his friends, including a number of the most prominent of the Social Revolution.

It is so fair that we invite you to be present and defend your position. It is so fair that we invite you to be present and defend your position. It is so fair that we invite you to be present and defend your position.

SOL. FRIEDMAN, Director-Lecturer,
Fifth Avenue Baptist Church.

For the Church of the Social Revolution.

Not Harmed by Imprisonment.
When White came out of the jail he was greeted by fifty or more members of his congregation. Hands, mops, and brooms protruded from the cell windows of the jail, each one waving White a farewell. A few notes of farewell were thrust between the window bars and faint cheers from the inmates left behind could be heard. Instead of having the usual prison palor, White's face was tanned.

He went in a taxicab from the jail to the headquarters of the Church of the Social Revolution in East Twenty-fifth Street, where a reception committee was waiting for him. He continued to receive members of his congregation at intervals, when he was not writing letters, until 8 o'clock, when he preached his first sermon to his followers.

"First, I want those who went to Dr. Woolfkin's church, with me and who are here tonight to stand up," he said as he smiled upon his followers.

Edward Ames and Charles C. Morrison, both of whom received suspended sentences when White was sentenced, stood up.

"I want to ask you," he said, "before the others of our congregation, if there should be another Ludlow massacre would you go back with me to the church of John D. Rockefeller, Jr., and join me in presenting our Christian protest?"

"I would dare all the flesh is able to dare," said Ames, and the others applauded. Morrison indicated that he, too, would be willing to make another visit to Dr. Woolfkin's church.

Foresees a Revolutionary Era.

"I want the world to know we are united," White went on, "because I feel that New York City is facing the most seriously disturbed winter the city has even known. I may say we are entering a revolutionary era, the most serious that our city has known. I may say the most serious our country has known."

"Our little church, so near Dr. Woolfkin's church, is the poorest in the world. He is the richest in the world. So it is merely our opportunity to afford a stage setting for the drama of revolution that will assert itself first as a religious outbreak."

"I know that a committee of clergymen, called a clergymen's protest committee, went to Dr. Woolfkin with a protest against his attitude toward me. They did not do it for my sake, but because they realized that if his actions toward me should be the final attitude of his church, then Protestantism in general would receive a blow from which it could not soon recover."

On this committee were Rabbi Stephen Wise, the Rev. Frank Oliver Hall, and the Rev. Percy Stickney Grant. White had heard that to them Dr. Woolfkin humbled himself contritely and almost broke down in expressing his sorrow at what he had done. At the same time he pledged himself to do all that he could to obtain a reduction of my sentence."

SULLIVAN WRECKED ESTATE

Only \$14 Left of \$200,000 Handed by Sing Sing Convict.

District Attorney James C. Crosey and the Kings County Grand Jury in their search for the missing assets of the wrecked Union Bank of Brooklyn continued their investigation yesterday of a charge of grand larceny made against David A. Sullivan, a former President, who is now in Sing Sing Prison, is accused of concealing money and property belonging to the bank.

Sullivan asserted at the time he was convicted that he did not own any property, but the District Attorney has found that the convict transferred property to his wife, Mrs. Anna F. Sullivan, Miss Louise B. Burkhardt, through whom Sullivan is said to manage this property, holds a power of attorney.

The Grand Jury is investigating Sullivan's administration of the estate of the bank, Edward E. Tompkins, Mr. Crosey learned that the estate was worth \$200,000 when Sullivan took charge of it as executor and that when he filed his final report only \$14.17 was left.

Tompkins was a Director and Vice President in the "Mechanics" and "Traders" Bank when Sullivan was President of the institution. He owned a business in the city of Long Island City. He died in 1907 and Sullivan was named executor of the estate with Ellen Tompkins, the widow, and Thomas Tompkins, a son. Although the widow and son of Tompkins were co-executors of his estate Sullivan acquired control of the marbles business, and Mrs. Tompkins was seldom consulted in the management of the estate.

One of the witnesses before the Grand Jury yesterday was Mrs. W. J. Weed, Sullivan's sister-in-law. Joseph Birdall, a keeper in Sing Sing, was asked about the telephone calls sent to Mrs. Sullivan and Miss Burkhardt an hour after Sullivan's arrest. Attorney Goldstein arrived at Sing Sing and started the present investigation.

SULZER'S CAMPAIGN FUND.

Says He Received \$3,783.91 and Gave It to His Committee.

ALBANY, Nov. 12.—No itemized statement of receipts and disbursements incident to William Sulzer's unsuccessful campaign for Governor was made in his accounting received by the Secretary of State today. Instead there was a declaration that all money received had been turned over to the Sulzer campaign committee. This amounted to \$3,783.91. Other statements received today were: Lieutenant Governor—Edward Schoenbeck, receipts, \$1,140; disbursements, \$2,321.10; Thomas B. Lockwood's committee, receipts, \$5,113.66; disbursements, \$5,083.61.

State Controller—Eugene M. Travis's committee, \$1,727.50, receipts and disbursements, \$622.38; disbursements, \$1,105.12.

Delegates at large to the Constitutional Convention—A. T. Clearwater, no receipts, \$775; disbursements, \$1,105.12; Stinson, \$500 receipts and expenditures.

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Exceedingly fine Merchandise for the Home, and supplying a most valuable and unique opportunity for convenient, advantageous and comfortable pre-holiday shopping.

53 Pairs Beautiful Lace Curtains

Averaging 1/3 of Former Prices

Chiefly the finest imported styles.

	Formerly per pair	Now per pair
2 PAIRS ARABE LACE	\$35.00	10.00
2 PAIRS ARABE LACE	50.00	17.00
2 PAIRS ARABE LACE	65.75	20.00
4 PAIRS FILET LACE	75.00	30.00
4 PAIRS FILET LACE	135.00	40.00
4 PAIRS FILET LACE	135.00	50.00
6 PAIRS BRUGES LACE	135.00	40.00
4 PAIRS BRUGES LACE	105.00	40.00
2 PAIRS BRUGES LACE	200.00	80.00
2 PAIRS BRUGES LACE	300.00	90.00
3 PAIRS CLUNY LACE	58.00	25.00
2 PAIRS CLUNY LACE	75.00	25.00
9 PAIRS IRISH POINT LACE	16.00	7.75
5 PAIRS IRISH POINT LACE	16.75	8.25
2 PAIRS IRISH POINT LACE	20.00	9.75

1050 Yds. Rich Upholstery Fabrics

Less Than Half Price

550 YARDS SATIN DAMASK in a variety of very choice designs and colorings.

Formerly \$4.00 and \$4.75 yard. To close 1.95

500 YARDS SATIN DAMASK in a range of 15 colors, suitable for the finest furniture coverings and draperies.

Formerly \$8.00 yard. To close 3.25

Fine Lace Bed Sets

About 1/3 of Regular Price

	Formerly Set	Now Set
1 RENAISSANCE	\$9.50	4.00
1 RENAISSANCE	16.50	5.75
5 RENAISSANCE	21.50	7.75
3 RENAISSANCE	28.00	10.75
1 RENAISSANCE	35.00	13.50
2 RENAISSANCE	40.00	16.75
2 ARABE LACE	45.00	16.75
2 LACET ARABE	55.00	20.00
1 LACET ARABE	75.00	25.00

SEASONABLE HOUSEKEEPING SPECIALS

Winter Blankets Fine white wool, with pink or blue borders. SINGLE BED SIZE— Formerly \$5.75 pair. 4.35 Formerly \$7.00 pair. 6.75 DOUBLE BED SIZE— Formerly \$6.25 pair. 5.00 Formerly \$10.00 pair. 7.35 Formerly \$11.00 pair. 8.75 Formerly \$12.00 pair. 9.75 EXTRA DOUBLE BED SIZE— Formerly \$14.00 pair. 10.75	Comfortables FINE SILKOLINE TOPS—Figured and Persian effects; cotton filling; full size. Formerly \$2.25. 1.90 FINE SILKOLINE TOPS—Floral and Persian designs; wool filling; full size. Formerly \$4.00. 2.95 SILK MULL TOPS—Full Size. Formerly \$4.75. 3.50 EXTRA FINE SILKOLINE TOPS—Figured and Persian effects; wool filling; large size. Formerly \$4.75. 3.75 FRENCH SATEN TOPS—Figured and floral designs; down filled; full size. Formerly \$7.50. 6.25	Table Damask 800 yards heavy Irish Damask, in beautiful patterns, of superior quality pure linen. 72 inches wide. Regularly \$1.10 yard. Reduced to 75c Table Cloths Heavy fine Scotch damask at the following prices to close: Size 2 1/2 x 3 yards. 7.50 Size 2 1/2 x 2 1/2 yards. 6.50 Size 2 x 2 1/2 yards. 5.00 Size 2 x 2 yards. 3.75 Napkins to Match. BREAKFAST SIZE—Dozen, 3.75 DINNER SIZE—Dozen, 5.50	Decorative Linens MADEIRA TEA CLOTHS—Beautifully embroidered and scalloped. Regularly \$8.50. 5.75 JAPANESE TEA CLOTHS—Hand embroidered and hand drawn. Regularly \$3.50. 2.00 MADEIRA CENTREPIECES in various sizes. Regularly \$2.50 to \$8.00. 1.00 to 5.00 CENTREPIECES—20 inches: round; trimmed with hand made French Cluny lace. Regularly \$3.50 to \$9.00. 2.00 to 6.00 CENTREPIECES—24 inches: round; Cluny centres. Regularly \$4.50 to \$15.00. 2.95 to 9.75
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Handsome Fur Sets

Consisting of large and beautifully matched Scarfs and Muffs, fashioned in the prevailing mode from the finest pelts and guaranteed to be of superior quality.

NATURAL FISHER—	Formerly \$395.00.	300.00
NATURAL BLUE FOX—	Formerly \$250.00.	210.00
JAPANESE MARTEN—	Formerly \$150.00.	135.00
TAUPE FOX—	Formerly \$145.00.	115.00
KOLINSKY—	Formerly \$125.00.	100.00
BEAR—	Formerly \$110.00.	92.50
CHINCHILLA-SQUIRREL—	Formerly \$125.00.	90.00

Fur Scarfs and Muffs

Of rich, beautiful skins, this season's favored styles.

SKUNK SCARFS—	Formerly \$24.50 to \$90.00.	19.00 to 70.00
LYNX SCARFS—	Formerly \$20.00 to \$65.00.	16.50 to 58.00
MOLE SCARFS—	Formerly \$18.00 to \$85.00.	12.00 to 65.00
SKUNK MUFFS—	Formerly \$38.00 to \$90.00.	30.00 to 70.00
LYNX MUFFS—	Formerly \$32.00 to \$90.00.	25.00 to 70.00
MOLE MUFFS—	Formerly \$30.00 to \$85.00.	20.00 to 65.00

Motor Robes and Steamer Rugs

The finest imported and domestic makes, light weight, warm, luxurious and in most desirable color combinations.

ALL WOOL STEAMER RUGS—Plain colors with reverse plaid back. Regularly \$8.50.	5.95
SCOTCH WOOL STEAMER RUGS—Finest Vicuna rugs specially adapted for home use. Regularly \$18.00.	13.50
HEAVY PLUSH AUTO ROBES—Reversible and extra warm robes. Standard colorings. Regularly \$12.00.	7.50
SINGLE AUTO ROBES—Heavy lined robes of Astrachan and plush. Regularly \$32.00, \$35.00, \$38.00.	19.50 to 22.50

High Grade Travelling Bags

All sizes, large assortment of styles for Men and Women.

FINEST ENGLISH SOLE LEATHER BAGS—GENUINE BLACK WALRUS BAGS—BLACK COWHIDE CREPE GRAIN BAGS—FINEST BLACK GRAIN LEATHER BAGS—BLACK SEAL WEEK END BAGS—RUSSET SOLE LEATHER BAGS—BLACK CALF CREPE GRAIN BAGS—DOUBLE HANDED BLACK BAGS—	11.95 Formerly \$14.00 to \$18.00
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MEN'S IMPORTANT FURNISHINGS

Men's Sleeping Garments

Fall and Winter Weights

FANCY CHEVIOT PAJAMAS—All neat stripes on white grounds; silk frogs. Regularly \$2.50	
WHITE CHEVIOT PAJAMAS—Plain birdseye cheviot; silk frogs. Regularly \$2.50	
WOVEN MADRAS PAJAMAS—Very fine qualities; light and medium grounds. Regularly \$1.95-\$2.50	1.45
FINE MERCERIZED PAJAMAS—Soft, silky finished fabrics; all neatly trimmed. Regularly \$2.50	
NOVELTY CREPE PAJAMAS—All-over Persian designs in quiet colorings. Regularly \$3.00	
FINE MERCERIZED PAJAMAS—Made to our special order from fine soft and lustrous self patterned fabrics. White, tan, helio, gray and blue. Regularly \$1.50.	95c
FINEST TUB SILK PAJAMAS—Neat fancy silk thirtings, best tailoring and finish. Regularly \$9.00.	6.50
FRUIT OF LOOM MUSLIN NIGHT SHIRTS—Made in full sized bodies, V neck or collar attached. Regularly \$1.00.	75c

Men's Fine Half Hose

Advance Holiday Sale by the Box At Less Than Wholesale Prices

SILK AND CASHMERE LINED HOSE—Lightweight, serviceable; black, white, plain colors and mottled effects.	
SILK AND WOOL TWO-TONED HOSE—The best accordion ribbed fine wool hose, with silk interlining; medium weight, perfect fitting; all black with white, blue, purple and red showing under the rib.	Box 6 pairs, 2.00
PLAIN COLORED SILK HOSE—Unusually fine quality, pure silk, reinforced double soles, toe and heels; black, white and colors.	Regularly \$6.00
FANCY SILK HALF HOSE—Assorted styles of dark mixtures and accordion weaves; special little mixed sole, toe and heels.	Dozen
NOTE—We will sell 6 pairs assorted or 6 pairs of any one lot at the above special price.	

Men's Fashionable Neckwear

FINEST PLAIN CHARVET SILK CRAVATS—Extra wide folded four-in-hands; every desirable solid color or shading. Regularly \$1.50.	1.00
FINEST SILK KNITTED NECKWEAR—Crochet and accordion weaves; better grades only. Plain and fancy. Regularly \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50.	95c
SPECIAL SILK FOUR-IN-HANDS—Extra wide folded, medium fold and narrow four-in-hands, in hundreds of choice plain and fancy effects. All from our regular stock. Regularly 60c, 85c and \$1.00.	50c

Merchandise Here Advertised On Sale Today and Tomorrow

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The Latest Victor Talking Machines and Records at Usual Macy Savings

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FIFTH FLOOR

FIND COWS STRICKEN ON MASPETH FARM

New Centre of Plague Infection in Dairy Herd in Queens County.

HEALTH BOARD IS ALERT

Milk Supply is Safeguarded, Says Dr. Goldwater, Who Thinks Possible Danger is Exaggerated.

Several cows suffering from the foot-and-mouth disease were found yesterday in a herd of forty milk cows on a farm near Maspeth, in Queens County. All persons on the farm were ordered quarantined, and Sheriff's Deputies were sent to enforce the order. Warnings were given to farmers in the neighborhood not to allow cattle, chickens, or dogs to stray. Several veterinarians are inspecting other Long Island farms. The disease, it is believed, was carried to the Maspeth farm by cattle which arrived there two weeks ago from Ohio. The Board of Health of this city is watching the situation closely. Commissioner Goldwater said yesterday:

"We are taking all careful steps to safeguard the milk supply, although an exaggerated importance has been attached to the danger of the disease to human beings. A few instances of human infection have been recorded, but even when the disease is communicated to human beings, the effects are not serious. At the most it takes the shape of sore places around the mouth and gums, and they speedily disappear."

"Milk from diseased cows that has been pasteurized is harmless, and almost all the milk that comes to New York is pasteurized. Fortunately, though, we get no milk at all from the three up-State counties where the disease is at its worst. If it turns out to be true that the disease is in Queens County, that will bring the menace closer home, but you may be sure that we will do everything that is necessary to safeguard the public from the slightest danger of infection."

"Our milk inspectors keep a close watch on all sources, and it is unlikely that any diseased milk, pasteurized or otherwise, could get in. Even if the milk from affected cattle is harmless after pasteurization, we do not believe in its use."

It was reported from Trenton yesterday that because of the embargo on the shipment of hay and straw from county to county, the hay and straw had been dumped out, and hay and straw had advanced from 50 cents to \$1 a ton.

Seatag Oysters

reach your club or hotel in the same perfect condition they were taken from the ocean. Look for the tag on end of every shell. It indicates quality—certifies that each oyster is selected, is inspected twice, is doubly perfect. It guarantees purity, freshness and flavor.

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AVENGES FATHER'S MURDER.

Italian Youth Kills Man He Says Shot His Parent for Black Hand.

Salvatore Comparotto, a fruit dealer of 377 East 157th Street, the Bronx, fell from his buggy, wounded mortally, at 3:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, when four shots were fired at him by a man on the sidewalk. Witnesses to the shooting started in pursuit of his assailant, who was caught at Second Avenue and 100th Street and taken to the East 126th Street Station by Police-men Cox and Beban. Comparotto, who was wounded in the back and right shoulder, was taken to the Reception Hospital, where he died at 7 o'clock. The prisoner, who said he was Mathias Amato, 18 years old, a fruit dealer of 156 East Eighty-eighth Street, confessed to Assistant District Attorney Brockbridge that he had done the shooting. He said that he had avenged the death of his father, who was killed on April 4 by Comparotto for failing to pay a sum demanded by the Black Hand.

His father, Amato said, had a fruit stall at Ninetieth Street and Third Avenue. After receiving Black Hand letters demanding money, the elder Amato decided to pay, but found after a meeting with the blackmailers that they had made their demands too high. Shortly after he had refused to pay he was shot, young Amato said, in Seventy-fifth Street near First Avenue.

CADDY GETS \$500 REWARD.

Found Bracelet Mrs. T. Sufferen Tailor Lost at Piping Rock.

Locust Valley, L. I., has a caddy who was lucky enough to find and hand over to return a valuable gem-studded bracelet belonging to Mrs. T. Sufferen Tailor of Piping Rock.

Mrs. Tailor spends her Summers with her husband and two children in their home near the Piping Rock Clubhouse. She missed the bracelet the evening of Election Day, after she had been about the grounds of the club and had taken a motor ride. The bracelet was studded with fifty-nine diamonds and emeralds and was valued at \$300 or \$400. The caddy got a reward of \$500 for returning the bracelet.

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\$3.50 \$3.75 \$4 \$4.50 & \$5 SHOES

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YOU CAN SAVE MONEY BY WEARING W. L. DOUGLAS SHOES. For 31 years W. L. Douglas has guaranteed the value of his shoes by having his name and the retail price stamped on the sole before the shoes leave the factory. This protects the wearers against high prices for inferior shoes of other makes.



NO INCREASE IN PRICES. NO CHANGE IN QUALITY. W. L. Douglas \$3.50 shoes cannot be equalled for the price; for style, comfort and service they are just as good as other makes costing \$4.00 to \$5.00. Your attention is called especially to W. L. Douglas \$4.00 and \$4.50 shoes; a careful examination will convince you that they compare favorably with other makes costing \$6.00 to \$8.00, the only perceptible difference is the price. You are invited to visit W. L. Douglas factory at Brockton, Mass., and see for yourself the high grade leathers used and how carefully W. L. Douglas shoes are made; you would then understand why they look better, fit better, hold their shape and wear longer than other makes for the price.

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745 Broadway, corner 8th Street.
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1453 Third Avenue.
2302 Third Avenue, corner 120th St.
3719 Third Ave., bet. 146th & 147th.
345 Eighth Avenue.
665 West 156th Street.
431 Fulton Street, corner Pearl Street.
708-710 Broadway, corner Thompson St.
1267 Broadway, corner Gates Avenue.
476 Fifth Avenue, corner 11th Street.
857-860 Manhattan Avenue.
NEWARK—381 Broad Street.
PATERSON—902 Market St., cor. Clark.
JERSEY CITY—13 Newark Avenue.
TRENTON—101 East State Street.

TEACHERS TO GET MATERNITY LEAVES

Mayor Thinks Board of Education Will Adopt a "Reasonable, Rational Policy."

Mayor Mitchell believes that the Board of Education will settle the teacher-mother controversy by allowing teachers about to become mothers leaves of absence. The Mayor said yesterday that it was his understanding that the board would adopt a policy that would be fair to the teachers, but he would not comment on the action of the board in ordering that charges of neglect of duty be preferred against Mrs. Lora M. Wagner, the teacher in the Curtis High School whose baby was born a week ago last Saturday, beyond saying that the board had acted in accordance with precedent in similar cases.

WOMEN IGNORANT OF PRICES

Mayor's Food Committee Says Housekeepers Lack Training.

A report of the Executive Committee of the Mayor's Committee on Food Supply, signed by George W. Perkins as Chairman, was submitted to Mayor Mitchell yesterday. It set forth that a great lack of knowledge had been found on the part of housekeepers as to the proper prices to pay for food. The report states:

"Another reason is that a large number of homes in this city are presided over by wives and mothers who have had no well-to-do families, where the mistaken notion prevailed that it was not right for the daughters to learn practical housekeeping. The result has been that these daughters, married without knowledge, are held up to ignorance and carelessness are large and unnecessary drains on the food supplies of this city. The domestic science work taught in public schools and colleges is not to be most helpful in changing this condition. An exhibit of foods, their relative values, and the proper way to prepare them, given in the Washington Irving High School a few weeks ago, was attended by about 10,000 people, showing the keen interest in this subject that exists among the people generally."

LUDINGTON LEFT \$100,000.

Estate of Former Wilson Assistant Goes to His Sisters.

Arthur C. Ludington, formerly assistant to President Woodrow Wilson at Princeton University, who was found dead in a London hotel from a wound inflicted by his own pistol on Nov. 4, left an estate in excess of \$100,000, according to the petition filed with his will yesterday. An estimate of the estate places it at more than \$100,000. The will directs that one-third of the estate go to Mrs. Helen G. Roth of Lakeville, Mass. sister, Josephine N. Roth, a niece, gets a large diamond which was an earring of Mrs. Ludington's. The residuary estate, including all articles of personal property, such as jewelry, books, and furniture, and the residue of the estate, goes to Katharine Ludington, a sister, at whose death it is to go to her daughter, Mrs. John C. Ludington, of 9 East Thirtieth Street.

Mrs. Ludington tried to enlist in the British Army at the outbreak of the war, but failed. The coroner's jury, which passed upon his death, returned a verdict that he died from accidental shooting.

MRS. BRAND LEFT \$100,000.

Water Color of Antwerp Cathedral Is Left to Metropolitan Museum.

She will of Mrs. Julia Marianne Brand, a survivor of the Windsor Hotel fire and widow of James Brand, who brought the first cargo of coffee to this port from Ceylon, was filed for probate yesterday. The estate exceeds \$100,000. The water color of the Antwerp Cathedral by S. Prout and an ebony chair are left to the Metropolitan Museum of Art. A trust letter of Robert Burns is made part of the residuary estate, which goes in equal shares to relatives of the decedent's husband. There are bequests of \$5,000 each to Agnes Leavay, decedent's maid; to the St. Andrews Society of New York; and to Louis Baron, a niece. Sir Percy Sanderson, late British consul-general in New York, gets some Dresden chinaware, and his sister, Miss Lucy Sanderson, gets a gold bracelet and brooch.

HARTMAN STILL IN TOMBS.

Mrs. Mackenzie's Agent to Plead to Theft Indictments Tuesday.

Efforts to obtain \$23,000 bail for Richard J. Hartman, former President of Tyson & Co., who was arrested on Tuesday charged with stealing the fortune of Mrs. Charlotte L. Mackenzie, proved unavailing yesterday and Hartman remained a prisoner in the Tombs last night. Tuesday has been fixed as the day on which he is to come before Judge Mulqueen in General Sessions to plead to the indictments against him. It was said yesterday that there was little expectation that bail would be obtained before then.

PRICE RESTRICTION IS LEGAL

Decision in Favor of American Tobacco Company is Upheld.

The Circuit Court of Appeals handed down yesterday a judgment of Judges Lacombe, Cox and Ward upholding the verdict given by the jury in the District Court by direction of Judge Mayer in favor of the American Tobacco Company in the Sherman law suit, brought against it and other tobacco companies for \$300,000 damages by the E. Lockyer Company. This concern was a tobacco jobbing company, and it contended that the old American Tobacco Company, which it was dissolved, by selling all its products to the Metropolitan Tobacco Company, a jobbing concern, and giving it the exclusive rights, had damaged it to the extent of \$300,000.

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HAS PLAN FOR LABOR TO SHARE IN PEACE

Compers Proposes That Toilers of the Nations Shall Observe Negotiations.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 12.—More than one hundred resolutions dealing with the problems of union labor, boycotts, the European war, and the social welfare of workmen have been presented to the convention of the American Federation of Labor, now in session here. A great many of these resolutions were filed with the Secretary of the Federation today as the time limit for introducing them expired tonight.

Among the important resolutions referred to committee was one introduced by William Green of the United Mine Workers of America, acting for the mining department of the Federation, urging the President of the United States to insist that the Colorado coal mine operators comply with the President's plan for a settlement of the strike in that State and for the Government to take over the mines and operate them in case the mine owners refused to accept the peace plan. The Federal plan proposes a three-year truce and a commission to settle disputes.

Another resolution which probably will be adopted by the convention was introduced by President Samuel Gompers of the Federation of Labor in view of the general Peace Congress which is to be held at the same time and place to the end that suggestions may be made and such action taken as shall be helpful in restoring fraternal relations, protecting the interests of the toilers, and thereby assisting in having foundations for a more lasting peace.

The convention today listened to a number of addresses by fraternal delegates and others. Among these who spoke was Frank P. Walsh of Kansas City, Mo., Chairman of the United States Commission on Industrial Relations. He said that the first report of the commission would make it plain to Congress next month on the underlying causes of industrial unrest would not contain definite conclusions. The report would, however, say, he added, that of 340 employers representing the greatest industries in the country examined by the commission only five disagreed with the underlying principles of collective bargaining.

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PRICE RESTRICTION IS LEGAL

Decision in Favor of American Tobacco Company is Upheld.

The Circuit Court of Appeals handed down yesterday a judgment of Judges Lacombe, Cox and Ward upholding the verdict given by the jury in the District Court by direction of Judge Mayer in favor of the American Tobacco Company in the Sherman law suit, brought against it and other tobacco companies for \$300,000 damages by the E. Lockyer Company. This concern was a tobacco jobbing company, and it contended that the old American Tobacco Company, which it was dissolved, by selling all its products to the Metropolitan Tobacco Company, a jobbing concern, and giving it the exclusive rights, had damaged it to the extent of \$300,000.

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YALE'S FALL REGATTA.
Cond 'Varsity and First Freshman
Eights Win Races.
Special to The New York Times

regular was held today, the final races between the three 'Varsity and the two freshman crews resulting in victory for the second 'Varsity and the freshman. The first 'Varsity boat, which was stroked by Gillilan and which contained Capt. Denegre,

ch. was stroked by H. Coe, finished second. The eight which won 'Varsity' rowed as follows:

Stroke, Morse; No. 7, Wiman; No. 6, Wiman; No. 5, Sturtevant; No. 4, Bennett; No. 3, Gamble; No. 2, Munson; bow, Swinton; Coxswain, Pratt. It led the 'Varsity' by a length and a half at finish in the time of 6 minutes 3-3-0nds.

The first freshman eight was commanded as follows: Stroke, Seward; No. 7, Coombs; No. 6, Coleman; No. 5, Coleman; No. 4, Coleman; No. 3, Coleman; No. 2, Rockefeller; bow, Beach; Coxswain, Rockefeller.

The 'Varsity' launch were Coach, William Nickalls, Capt. Merrie, and Manager, Nickalls of the University of Pennsylvania crew, and it is understood that the 'Varsity' crew was discussed. The graduates in the launch included Merrill Harriman, J. H. McHenry, A. J. McHenry, J. H. McHenry, J. H. McHenry, J. H. McHenry, and Campbell, Jack Goethals, Fred

The first important billiard tournament in Brooklyn this season will begin on Monday with the opening game of the annual C 16.2 balk line tournament at Keeney's. Eight entries have been received. Contestants in the opening game will be George Spas and Charlie Matthews. The other players are: Charles Martin, George H. Jones, Jr.; H. B. Smith, Louis A. Servatius, and W. Hoyle, and Claude R. Lewis.

English Billiards: One-Sided.

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Brooklyn Edison Company Fined.
A fine of \$500 was imposed yesterday upon the Edison Electric Illuminating Company of Brooklyn in the Court of Special Sessions for violation of the smoke and cinder ordinance at its plant on Pearl Street, that borough. It was recommended that the company had no right to use its devices to do away with smoke and cinders until three years after the last complaint had been made.

The men were found huddled together in a blind heading. They had been without food and water but were in good condition and able to walk. They said they chewed their boots to stave off the pangs of hunger and were able to keep track of time by removing the crystals from their watches.

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In some years the rate was lower and in others higher than that yesterday.

CORONER ADMITS RELEASING SLAYER

Feinberg Did Not Call a Jury of
Witnesses in Homicide Case
Against Gruber's Client.

LAWYER WAS HIS PATIENT

Commissioner of Accounts Shows
That Whitman Subsequently
Convicted Heineken.

In an effort to establish that, in some instances at least, persons guilty of homicide or manslaughter had as little to fear because of investigations made by a coroner as the guilty of infanticide, Commissioner of Accounts Wallstein questioned Coroner Israel L. Feinberg yesterday concerning his action in January, 1910, in releasing William Heineken, who had been detained on the suspicion that he shot and killed Robert Dooley. It was shown that Dr. Feinberg did not summon a jury in this case and that he did not take the testimony of any witnesses. The District Attorney had Heineken indicted, and later he was convicted of manslaughter in the first degree. The Court of Appeals ordered a new trial, but simply on the ground that the trial court had excluded from consideration by the jury the charge of manslaughter in the second degree. The coroner was questioned about the testimony given by Dr. George B. Ewing on Wednesday, who said that, so far as the coroner's office was concerned, infanticide could be committed with impunity in New York. The coroner asserted that he believed "infanticide convictions" was sufficiently definite to cover death certificates in the case of infants.

Blames Police and Prosecutor.
"If infanticide occurs as often as you say it does, I believe the Police Department and the District Attorney's office should be indicted," said Dr. Feinberg. Mr. Wallstein dropped the question of infanticide then and continued with the Heineken case. He brought out that, although another coroner was on duty at the time of the shooting, Coroner Feinberg was notified by a physician at the Harlem Hospital and took up the case. He produced other irrefragable evidence in the handling of the case, which the coroner explained properly were due to the fact that he was new in office.

In considering the request in the Heineken case, which was held on Jan. 18, 1910, Mr. Wallstein stated that he had not summoned a jury and had not called any of the witnesses, six in all, who were known to the police. Dr. Feinberg asserted that Patrolman Terhune, who had conferred with him on the case, had said there were no witnesses, but he admitted that he had made no effort to call any of the witnesses in the handling of the case, although he had been before the inquest. The defendant, Heineken, was taken at the inquest, and upon its conclusion he was released. The name of Abraham Gruber was brought into the inquiry. When Mr. Wallstein stated that Dr. Feinberg had not appeared for the defendant, Dr. Feinberg said that he did. He said that he had treated Mr. Gruber professionally at Saratoga in 1910, but had not attended him before that time. He was shown also that Dr. Feinberg had been called upon to testify before the Bar Association in connection with conflicting statements which had been made in the Heineken case. Patrolman Terhune had testified at Heineken's trial that he was not called as a witness at the inquest, and Dr. Feinberg had testified that he had been called, it was asserted.

Terhune, it was learned yesterday, denied at a private hearing before Commissioner Wallstein the testimony given by Dr. Feinberg at the Heineken trial, that he, Terhune, had said that the witness for the inquest could not be found. Another case before Coroner Feinberg when he was investigating the Dooley shooting, and in which he called a jury for the inquest, was that of Antonio Leguina, who was charged with shooting his mother. Dr. Feinberg said he called a jury because he was directed to do so by the Assistant District Attorney, who was assigned to the case. He said that J. Robert Rubin, then an Assistant District Attorney, who conferred with him on the Heineken case, had not asked for a jury.

At the opening of the inquiry Mr. Wallstein brought out the fact that in many cases the coroner's inquisition papers were not filed with the District Attorney forthwith in possible criminal cases. When his inquiry was started, he said, many of these papers were filed, and it was found that sixty-three of them were over three years old and many others were from two to two and a half years old.

Police Report Crimes.
"In cases that are of a suspicious nature the police of the precinct are supposed to send reports to the District Attorney's office," he said. "This only applies to cases coming through police channels. In the other cases I do not know why the District Attorney was not notified."

Next, Coroner Feinberg was asked why Dr. John McAllister, who had passed no examinations for the work, and was not a member of the medical profession, was permitted to act in many cases for Dr. Albert T. Weston, a coroner's physician. Dr. Weston, he was reminded, had been reprimanded by Dr. Weston, and there has been a diminution of this since he was reprimanded. He replied: "I have not filed charges against Dr. Weston. Dr. Weston had asked him to appoint Dr. McAllister, an official pathologist, without pay, but he had not deemed that wise. He did not approve of Dr. McAllister substituting, he said. It was brought out that Dr. Weston received \$1,500 a year salary as a Federal employee.

Dr. Feinberg testified that he did not approve of the proposal reported to have been made at a meeting of the coroners' Association to put the coroners in the exempt class. He remembered, he said, that the proposal to assess employees to obtain a fund to fight legislation aimed against the coroners was made at the same meeting, but did not remember whether it was voted or not.

"You know such an assessment is illegal, don't you?" he was asked.

"I don't want to say as to that," was the reply.

Coroner Timothy Healy appeared at the hearing yesterday and promised to answer all questions. The inquiry was then adjourned until 10:30 o'clock next Tuesday morning when Coroner Feinberg will be recalled.

SHOT HER CHILDREN'S PET.
Mrs. Merchant Sues Henry Lawrence
Bell for \$500 for Collie.

Henry Lawrence Bell, well known in the Meadow Brook set, living at Palace Boulevard, Bayside, L. I., was served with papers yesterday in a suit for \$500 brought by Mrs. Mary T. Merchant of Bayside, wife of Huntington W. Merchant, a lawyer of 165 Broadway, for shooting "Prince," a young collie owned by the Merchants.

Last Saturday, the collie, a seven months old puppy, came limping home with a bullet wound so serious that it was necessary to kill him. According to the complaint, the dog was shot by Mr. Bell, who is said to have suspected of chasing some of his fancy chickens.

Mrs. Merchant, who denies that "Prince" assailed any chickens, alleges that the dog was valuable in itself and doubly valuable because it was the pet and companion of her two children, Elizabeth, 12 years, and Livingston, 10.

**HOTELS,
RESTAURANTS,
DANCING ACADEMIES**
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HID ROBBERIN HER BEDROOM

Woman, Through Pity, Saves Intruder from the Police.

The sound of her window, gently raised, aroused Mrs. Louise Dodd of 40 Fort Greene Place, Brooklyn, just before dawn, and, after a moment of terrified silence she gazed out a question: "Who is there?" "Lie still. Don't make a sound," came in a low voice from the darkness. "The police are after me. I've just done a job down the street. They'll give me ten years."

The woman lay quiet listening as the intruder tried two doors giving out of the room. Both were locked, and when the could stand the suspense no longer, Mrs. Dodd sprang up and turned on the light. The noise roused her husband, who had slept through the entrance of the man, and both saw a negro standing at one of the doors.

"Please don't call out," he begged, all the threat gone out of his voice. "They're after me. They'll send me away again. Please be still and let me stay here. I won't hurt you. I won't take a thing. Just let me stay here half an hour until the cops go away. Oh, if they get me now I'll go back to jail and I just got out."

Both Mrs. Dodd, between fright and pity for the man's terror, kept quiet, and the negro went on to tell her of his misadventures, how later he had been arrested for a night.

The Red Cross Fete and The Dansant which will occur from four until half after six on the opening day of

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the most charming luncheon, tea and dancing place in town, has been set ahead to Saturday, November twenty-first, in order that one or two artists whose prior engagement kept them from volunteering their services for November fourteenth, may appear.

Mr. A. Baldwin Sloane and Miss Marion Morgan, through the courtesy of Reisenweber's, will dance their new and original *Musikreize*.

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advance against Ypres, but it is doubtful if they hold the village of St. Etienne. At La Bassée the Germans are attempting to drive a wedge into the Allied line by a concerted attack. The line here for some time, but the Allies hold their positions on either flank.

A daily Mail correspondent in Northern France telegraphs:

"Our advance has been carried beyond the trench line of the Ypres, and the morning hours of the day, succeeded in capturing a trench. These marked a certain victory of the coast battle in our favor, but a tremendous artillery fire has been proceeding even over the ruins of Neuport, where previously the situation was calm."

AMSTERDAM, via London, Nov. 13.—The Germans gained nothing by their occupation of Dender, according to the Dutch correspondent of the TSD.

The Allies' lines are still intact, and the weak points have been strengthened, he says.

The German troops after crossing the Yser to the right and to the left of Dixmude were repulsed, continues the correspondent. The line of the Yser was not endangered. The Allies are now trying to prevent the Germans bringing heavy guns into the battle.

According to the Telegraph the Germans took very few prisoners at the battle of Dixmude. The line of the Yser was not endangered. The Allies are now trying to prevent the Germans bringing heavy guns into the battle.

GERMAN ATTACK SLACKENS.

Paris Reprints Repulses of Foe and Advances of Allies.

PARIS, Nov. 13, 11 P. M.—This official bulletin was issued tonight:

From the sea to the Yser the German action has not been so strong, and on some parts of the line we ourselves have taken the offensive.

We have progressed to the south of Bixchoote.

At the east of Ypres we have taken by a counter-attack a village which had been lost.

At the south of Ypres we have repulsed an offensive movement of the Prussian guard.

On the other part of the front only small advances are mentioned.

The afternoon bulletin said:

From the sea coast as far as the Yser the fighting has been of a less violent character than on previous days. Several efforts of the Germans to cross the Yser Canal, at the western outlet from Dixmude and at other points of passage in the Aeneas, have been repulsed.

To the north, to the east, and to the south of Ypres attacks of the enemy were repulsed, at the end of the day, at different points of our line and that of the British army.

Behind the Yser the British army has taken possession of the cemetery to the west of the village of St. Etienne, and as far as the Oise there have been artillery exchanges and actions of minor importance.

In the course of the last few days of foggy weather our troops have not ceased to make progress little by little. They are today pushing forward everywhere to distances varying from 300 to 500 meters from the network of barbed wire entanglements of the enemy.

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In the vicinity of Vally a counter-attack by the Germans delivered against the British troops had been repulsed. Equal failure attended the German efforts in the environs of Ypres.

In the Argonne there has been a violent artillery duel.

There has been no progress in the vicinity of St. Etienne and in the region of Pont-a-Mousson.

During the night, repulsed by our troops against the village of Val and Chailion, near Ciry-Sous-Vesoul, the German effort to capture a detachment of the enemy.

A German attack, directed against the village of Mont St. Eloi, resulted in failure.

It is reported that snow is beginning to fall on the heights of the Vosges mountains.

Berlin Reports Progress.

BERLIN, Nov. 13, (By wireless to London).—German military headquarters today gave out an official announcement as follows:

On the branch of the Yser Canal at Neuport our marines have inflicted heavy losses on the enemy, and we have taken the village of Neuport. During our attacks on Ypres, which have progressed favorably, another German prisoner has been taken.

Fierce French attacks to the west and east of Soissons have been repulsed with heavy losses to the enemy.

The First Corps of the British Army has been defending Ypres, is part of the original expeditionary force sent to France under Sir John French. It bore its part in the fighting east of Ypres and in the region of the Marne River. The commander of the corps is Sir Douglas Haig, who fought at Khartoum and took part in the Boer war.

The Prussian Guard Corps has its headquarters in the city of Cologne, mostly from the high-born classes. It is the traditional nucleus of the standing army organized by Frederick the Great in 1750. There are two infantry divisions and one cavalry division.

NEW AISNE FIGHT DESPERATE.

Allies "Nibbling" at Foes All Along the Line.

LONDON, Nov. 13.—A Times correspondent in France writes under date of Tuesday:

"The battle of the Aeneas, which the official communications now refer to the centre of the Allied line, has been renewed this week with its original intensity from the forest of L'Algaie, past Soissons and Rheims to the Argonne."

"The three main areas of fighting here are the district between the Oise and Craonne, the neighborhood of Rheims and the forest of Argonne. The first named is the most important."

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CAPTURES AEROPLANE FROM A GERMAN.

Garros, French Aviator, Feigns Fall, Kills German Pilot, Makes Off With His Machine.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. PARIS, Nov. 13, (Dispatch to The London Daily Chronicle).—Some French soldiers, who were doing sentry duty on Pont de Beaulieu, at Amiens, recently saw a Taube aeroplane flying overhead and fired upon it. To their surprise, however, the aeroplane presently gracefully came down to the ground and from it stepped forth Garros, the French aviator. He related that while he was chasing a Taube machine a few days previously he had some trouble with his motor and descended, feigning a fall. A German pilot approached to take my papers, believing me dead," Garros said, "and when he was a few steps away I pulled out my revolver and put two bullets through his head. He could not move. I then took the machine, which was very useful for flying over the German lines. I left my own aeroplane in care of a neighboring farmer."

CAPTURE GERMAN AIRMEN.

Cossacks Fought Attempt at Rescue and Get Machine Undamaged.

PETROGRAD, Nov. 13.—A detachment of Russian cavalry operating in the vicinity of Rostov, fifty-eight miles west of Warsaw, captured two days ago two German aviators, Lieut. Meres and Lieut. Foltke.

The latter made a reconnaissance in an aeroplane of the albatross type in the direction of Koenig, Kutno, and Plock. On the last named town they threw down two bombs. Trouble with the motor of their machine made it necessary for them to land to the west of Rostov, where a detachment of Russian cavalrymen found them in the woods and quickly surrounded them.

At this moment two companies of German infantry appeared and attempted to rescue the airmen, but their attack was repulsed by the Russians, and the two aviators and their aeroplane, which had been captured, were yesterday brought into Plock.

AIRMEN SPY BRITISH PORTS.

BERLIN, Nov. 13.—(By Wireless to London).—The German Admiralty today gave out to the press today in official quarters, German aviators have flown over the English seaports of Sheerness and Harwich.

Sheerness is a fortified seaport in Kent, at the mouth of the Thames. It is about forty miles from London. Harwich is a seaport about seventy miles northeast of London.

SAW WAR IN THE TRENCHES.

Dutchman Horrified When Belgians Took the Boots of Dead Germans.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. LONDON, Saturday, Nov. 14.—The Daily Telegraph publishes, under date of Nov. 13, the experiences of a Dutchman who visited the Belgian trenches near the Yser to see an officer in the Belgian field artillery. The Dutchman says:

"After we reached the trenches the struggle between darkness and light began, and when gradually dawn broke through the darkness it seemed as if a wall was drawn from a corpse war in all its horror. In all its stern reality, it was gradually revealed before my eyes. One by one the Belgian soldiers, bravely trying to bandage what had once been his left hand with a ribbon held between his teeth and his right right. Two of the nurses of an English ambulance were bandaging the head of a man who had been frightfully lacerated by a piece of shrapnel."

"There was no sound of shooting, some of them in a lying, others in a kneeling, and some even in a standing position. Never shall I forget those first sights of horror. They all had their rifles close by. Most of them had it in the bend of the arm and held it close against them."

"Invariably when they woke up the first movement they made was for their knapsack, lying by their side. How anyone could think of eating in such surroundings seemed beyond me and I told the lieutenant commanding that particular trench. So he smiled grimly, remarking:

"My dear fellow, one gets hardened. All the post mortem, a friend, may even a brother, gets these days. It's 'Even blap, Corporal, quite a young chap—could not have been more than 19 years old—clawed up to the officer and said:

"Pardon, mon Lieutenant, several of these prisoners have been taken whether they might not have another pair of shoes. Most of ours are in very bad condition, and I am sure you are pointed over the trenches."

"Looking in the direction he indicated, I saw a dead German lying on his back, his head resting on his rifle, and his hands clasped over his eyes. He seemed so peaceful, and I could not but think of the conditions and surroundings, the most dramatic scene imaginable."

"I think that the sight of the dead Germans was left with any boots, and when the men returned to the trenches the spare ones were exchanged for a cigarette, a pipe of tobacco, a lump of bread or even a button."

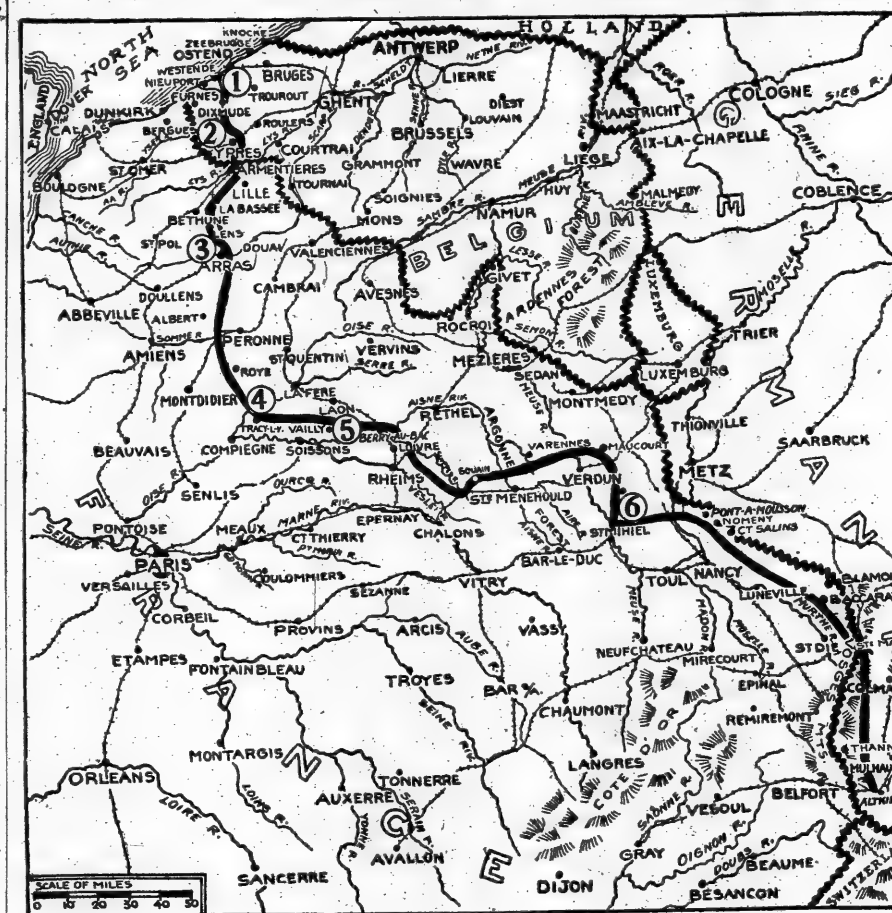
Russia Announces Mine Zones.

Special to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—The American Ambassador at Petrograd has informed the State Department that he has been officially advised by the Russian Government that it has laid mine zones in the zone from 58.50 degrees north latitude and to the east of the Gulf of Riga and around the island of Oland, and that consequently the entrance to the Gulf of Riga and the Gulf of Riga are forbidden.

Is your servant a Brinkman? Read "Burgess Unshrugged."—Adv.

Points of Present Interest on the Western Battle Front



1. The German Army Headquarters announces a renewal of fighting near Neuport and the capture of 700 prisoners by the German marines.

2. The French continue round Dixmude, but Paris states that German efforts to cross the Yser Canal were repulsed. The French official report also tells of beating back the foe around Ypres and retaking a village which had been lost. The British Press Bureau now admits that in the furious fighting on Wednesday the Prussian Duke broke the lines at three points, but were checked before they penetrated to the village. Berlin chronicles the capture of 1,100 more prisoners here.

3. All the way from Arrmentieres to the Oise River, according to Paris, there have been artillery duels and minor engagements.

4. The French have won Tracy-la-Val, according to the official bulletin, and are making progress to the east and beyond Soissons. Berlin, however, says that French attacks, east and west of Soissons, have failed.

5. German forces attempted to retake the village of Vailly, but Paris says they were repulsed.

6. Slight progress is being made by the French troops near St. Mihiel and in the region of Pont-a-Mousson, according to the Paris official report.

HUNDREDS OF ACTORS ARE AT THE FRONT

Sir Herbert Tree's Reply to Suggestions That They Are Shirking the War.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. LONDON, Nov. 13.—Charles Haddon Chamberlain, the playwright, who returned to London by the Lusitania, states that in consequence of certain references in American papers to the recent influx of English actors to New York, which might be construed as a reflection upon the courage and public spirit of English actors as a body, he has written a letter to the New York Times, published in the New York Times, in which he states that he has been asked by the British Admiralty to publish an article setting forth that the Germans in their laying of mines have respected neutral ships, while on the other hand the British have laid out a large mine field in the open sea.

SAFE ROUTE IN NORTH SEA.

Germans Say It Is to the North, English to the South.

BERLIN, Nov. 13.—(By Wireless to London).—The German Admiralty has announced that the northern part of the North Sea is free of mines. Consequently the sailing of neutral ships along this route is not attended by danger. The Admiralty says there is danger, however, for vessels sailing through the southern part of the North Sea, and an area announced by England as being free from mines.

The Deutsche Tageszeitung has published an article setting forth that the Germans in their laying of mines have respected neutral ships, while on the other hand the British have laid out a large mine field in the open sea.

RAMS A SUBMARINE.

French Warship Said to Have Sunk a German Craft.

PARIS, Nov. 13.—A dispatch from Dunkirk says that a French torpedo boat sank a German submarine off the coast of Belgium.

The submarine, it appears, was trying to torpedo the French warship, when the latter's commander caught sight of the torpedo and put it to rest, and charged down on the enemy, which disappeared. A large quantity of oil and petrol was put ashore, marking the spot where the submarine sank.

ACTIVITY IN GERMAN FLEET.

Warships in Kiel Canal May Be Preparing to Sail.

LONDON, Nov. 13.—A dispatch from Copenhagen to The London Times says: "Military experts here attach importance to the news that great and unusual activity prevails among the German warships and auxiliaries in the Kiel Canal."

WAR INSURANCE BRISK.

London Encouraged by Report That the Karlsruhe Is Cornered.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. LONDON, Nov. 13.—Yesterday's cheerful tone in the war insurance market was fully maintained today. It was supported by the rumor, which was freely discussed among shipping firms, that the German cruiser Karlsruhe had at last been cornered.

MEDAL OF VON HINDENBURG.

"Conqueror of Russians" and "Liberator of East Prussia" Honored.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. LONDON, Nov. 13.—The German newspapers continue to announce victories, not only for the German army in the East and West, but also for Turkey.

They also announce that a medalion has been struck in honor of Gen. von Hindenburg. The conqueror of the Russians and the liberator of East Prussia. On one side of the medalion is shown the grim face of the General and on the reverse side is shown the doughty knight in armor, striking furiously with a huge sword.

COUNT BONI AN INTERPRETER.

De Sagan in Transport Service—Deputies and Senator Killed.

BRITISH SENTRY SHOT A GERMAN PRISONER

Mistook Brawl for Attempt at Escape—German Charges as to Camps Denied.

LONDON, Nov. 13.—In reply to the charge made by the Frankfurter Zeitung that forty-six German prisoners had died in England from pneumonia and typhoid fever it is officially stated that there have been only five deaths among the prisoners.

One death was accidental, and the others were due to natural causes, the statement says. It denies the charge that the German prisoners were kept in camps where they were crowded together and where they were not properly cared for.

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GRAVEYARDS COVER MILES IN BELGIUM

Country Still Completely Paralyzed, Says American Who Took In First Food.

FEW MEN SEEN ABOUT Women and Children Spellbound by Their Misery—German Soldiers in Good Spirits.

LONDON, Nov. 13.—Jarvis E. Bell of New York, who on behalf of the American Commission for Relief in Belgium, assisted in the distribution of the first cargo of relief supplies sent to Belgium, has given The Associated Press a description of conditions in the stricken country.

"Nothing that has been written could exaggerate the misery of Belgium. We drove for miles through graveyards. Stakes on some of which were soldiers' tattered coats and helmets were the tombstones. Desolated fields are cemeteries. As we entered the villages women and children sought refuge in the ruins of roofless houses terrified lest we were some fresh visitation of war. Their faces were drawn and lined and if you could not see their gruesome surroundings in which they are struggling for existence you would not wonder that they fall to smile."

"The Belgian peasants had, in many districts, no home in which to sleep, no seed to sow, no implements with which to work, no transport to reach the market, and finally a heart-breaking struggle against the impossible."

"It is unbelievable that ever produced such a complete and tragic paralysis as we saw in many parts of Belgium. It cannot be attributed to lack of courage on the part of the civilian population or to the inhumanity of the conquerors. It is simply war up to date; civilized, Christian war."

The Dutch work on Sunday.

"The American relief steamer Coblenz, carrying more than 1,000 tons of foodstuffs, arrived at Rotterdam from London at 3 o'clock on Sunday morning. The Dutch Government with great kindness made an exception to the rigid rule against working on Sunday. The labor unions made equal concessions with the result that on Sunday morning eight barges towed by four steamers and by the aid of power boats carried the cargo to the relief route for Brussels with relief supplies."

On each barge was a large printed notice stating that the cargo was for the relief of the Belgian people and that it was to be distributed by the American Commission in Belgium. On the Dutch relief steamer Coblenz, carrying more than 1,000 tons of foodstuffs, arrived at Rotterdam from London at 3 o'clock on Sunday morning. The Dutch Government with great kindness made an exception to the rigid rule against working on Sunday. The labor unions made equal concessions with the result that on Sunday morning eight barges towed by four steamers and by the aid of power boats carried the cargo to the relief route for Brussels with relief supplies."

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DUKE'S SON KILLED IN BATTLE IN FRANCE

Lord Bernard Gordon-Lennox Slain—Son of Commander in India Another Victim.

LONDON, Nov. 13.—It is announced that Lord Bernard Charles Gordon-Lennox, Major of the Grenadier Guards and third son of the Duke of Richmond and Gordon, has been killed in battle. He served in the South African war and afterward saw service in China.

Capt. Beauchamp Oswald Duff, a son of the Commander in Chief of the army in India, Gen. Sir Beauchamp Duff, has also been killed. He was an officer of the First (King George's Own) Gurkha Rifles.

A casualty list issued tonight under date of Nov. 4 contains the names of twenty-three officers killed in action and thirty wounded.

Among those killed was Lieut. Col. H. T. Crispin of the Royal Sussex Regiment.

The wounded included Major Gen. E. B. Bullfin of the Aldershot Command and Lieut. Col. H. E. Beach of the South Wales Borderers.

Lord Bernard Charles Gordon-Lennox was a member of a family prominent in England for generations. He was a direct descendant of King Charles II, and the famous beauty, Louise Renée de Perencourt de Querolles, to whom Charles gave several titles, notably that of the Duchess of Portsmouth, and whom Louis XIV. made Duchess of Aubigny.

Lord Bernard's father, the seventh Duke, served as a Captain in the Grenadier Guards in the Boer war, as did an elder brother, Lord Esmé Charles Gordon-Lennox, while his eldest brother, the Earl of March, is now at the front. He also served in South Africa.

FAMOUS HOUSE A HOSPITAL.

London Mansion That Whitlaw Reid Rented Used for Wounded.

By Marconi Transatlantic Wireless Telegraph to The New York Times.

LONDON, Nov. 13.—Dorchester House, Park Lane, occupied by the late Whitlaw Reid when he was American Ambassador to the Court of St. James, is now used as a military hospital. It is the most luxurious of its kind in existence.

Lieut. Col. Sir George Holford, the owner of the house, has given it up to wounded officers, eighteen of whom are billeted in bedrooms overlooking Hyde Park.

RUSSIA WAS READY FOR TURKS' ATTACK

Had Anticipated the Black Sea Raids and Troops Were in Position for New War.

Generals Lost No Time Russians Advancing on Erzerum from at Least Three Quarters—Turks' Flank Attack Failed.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. PETROGRAD, Nov. 13. (Dispatch to The London Morning Post.)—I have several times noted that Russia has been prepared for all eventualities in this great war, among them the possibility of an attempt to realize the German plans of aggression by using Turkish troops advancing through Persia to an undefended frontier.

The Russian Foreign Office, of course, has known for years past the full extent of Russia's preparations for precisely the event that has now occurred (deletion by the censor). * * * Certainly they moved on Turkey immediately after a state of war had been brought about by the unprovoked attack by Turkish warships on Russia's Black Sea coast.

Two Russian columns are marching upon Van, Armenia. The northern column captured Akhtala some days ago; the southern has entered Turkish territory about thirty miles further south by the Khosrov Pass, which was defended by Turkish forces.

The Russians attacked, and, after a smart fight, defeated and put to flight the Turkish troops, who abandoned their killed and wounded.

From the scene of this preliminary fight, in quite a different theater of war, Erzerum is being shelled by Russian columns are advancing, fighting, upon this key to the position from three or four quarters. The vanguard, advancing along the direct high road upon Erzerum, has overcome resistance at Koprikel, inflicting great losses on the Turks, whose flank attack upon the Russian left was caught by a punishing cross-fire from mountain artillery and broken up by infantry charges.

The road is now practically open to a Russian advance to within a few miles of Erzerum, but those few miles present by far the most formidable obstacle yet met with—namely, the Develumun range of heights.

While engaged in a deadly conflict over a 500-mile front on the west, Russia, suddenly attacked by Turks under German officers on her southeast, 1,000 miles away to the east, responds instantly with a military force of nearly 2,000 miles away from the western fighting front.

FRENCH LENIENCE TO TURKS. Belief That the Government's Policy Will Have a Good Effect.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. PARIS, Thursday, Nov. 12. (Dispatch to The London Standard.)—A thoroughgoing investigation has been made into the declaration of war by Turkey is merely a coup de force by a few ambitious traitors in the pay of Germany that the French Government has no intention of treating Ottoman subjects here as real belligerents, while all German and Austrian subjects have been expelled and their property confiscated.

A notice has been issued from Bordeaux which merits full reproduction. It reads:

It does not enter into the intentions of the Government of the republic to forget the friendship which for centuries has united France with the Ottoman Empire, or indiscriminately to class all Ottoman subjects under the banner of German aggression. Consequently orders have been sent to all Prefects, Colonial Governors, and Residents in the Ottoman Empire to inform the Ottoman subjects of the districts in which they reside that they may be required to leave their homes and to obtain permits of residence to enable them freely to continue their business.

This measure should go far toward opening the eyes of the dupes to the delicate policy of Germanophile confidence inaugurated by Enver Bey and Talaat Bey.

TURKS CLAIM SUCCESS. Russians Retreating, Berlin Says—Loss of Transports Admitted.

BERLIN, Nov. 13. (By Marconi Wireless Telegraphy via London.)—A report from Constantinople, translated literally, reads as follows:

"With God's help the enemy has been forced to evacuate his positions and is retreating along the entire front, pursued by us on all sides."

BERLIN, Nov. 13. (By Wireless Telegraphy to Sayville, L. I.)—Included in the information given to the press today from official quarters is the following:

"Reports received here from Constantinople set forth that the Turkish Army in the Caucasus is attacking the Russians on their second line of defense. An artillery engagement near Kopyorov on Nov. 9 lasted all day long."

The Persian, Afghan, Egyptian, Indian, and Mohammedan elements in Constantinople have declared a community of interest. The Sunnites and the Shites (two opposing religious sects) are for the first time ready for joint action.

The Vossische Zeitung reports that Russia has declined the demand made by Russia for the passage of Russian troops through Rumanian territory.

LONDON, Nov. 12.—An official dispatch from Constantinople, reaching London by way of Berlin, confirms indirectly the recent Russian statement that a Russian fleet has sunk three Turkish transports in the Black Sea. The Constantinople report admits that there has been no news of these three vessels for a week ago. It adds that, as the vessels were near Soudak, and that they were attacked by the Russian squadron, it is possible that they were destroyed by the Russian squadron. It is reported that Turkey intends to close the railway from Constantinople to Dedagatch, a report on the Aegean Sea. Dedagatch is the terminus of the railway line from Adrianople and Salonika.

Mrs. A. H. Leavitt Reaches London. LONDON, Nov. 13.—Mrs. Arthur H. Leavitt, wife of the Secretary of the American Embassy at Constantinople, arrived with her child in London today in company with the parents of Sir Louis Mallet, the British Ambassador, who was recalled from Turkey. The trip from the Russian capital was slow one, but without any exciting incidents.

Scene of Operations on the Russian Frontier



In East Prussia the Germans are massing troops and big guns at the Masurian lakes (1) in an effort to break the wave of the Russian invasion. Austria admits officially that the Russian Army sweeping on Cracow (2) through Galicia has captured Tarnow (3), Jaulo (4), and Kroeno.

CAPTURE 3 TOWNS IN DASH TO CRACOW

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advance far enough to deal a crippling blow at the forces on either of their flanks.

The Russians continue pushing forward upon Cracow, overcoming the last remnants of isolated opposition here and there offered by the Austrian rear guards. Moreover, the Russians have again crossed the Carpathians into the plains of Hungary.

Emperor Nicholas, who is now making a tour of the armies at the front, spent Thursday at Lublin, the day before he was to visit the front.

At the same time, the Emperor expressed the wish that they convey to his Majesty the assurance that the Russian army is not only fighting for the liberation of Poland, but also for the liberation of the world.

TO TRY NEW BATTLE PLAN. New Concentration of German Troops on Russian Frontier.

PARIS, Nov. 13.—The Petrograd correspondent of the Havas Agency sends the following dispatch:

"The conclusion is drawn from the latest news that the German troops, who in their retreat have occupied all the defiles to the east of the Masurian Lakes (East Prussia), where they have placed heavy artillery, intend to resist the Russian advance on this section. The Russian commanders, on the other hand, are preparing to meet them in positions which they consider impregnable, the shock of the Russians will be on the eastern front will be recognized, were successful in sorties to the east of the lakes."

Through Prussia railway passenger traffic has been suspended. The lines now are transporting only troops, apparently with a view to the concentration which is said to have been decided upon by a recent council of the German High Command at Cracow.

This council is reported to have decided to change completely the plan of attacking to a Petrograd dispatch to the effect that the Germans suffered a severe defeat beyond Kalisz, losing twelve heavy guns and leaving many dead on the field.

Col. Fyler, editor of The Swiss Military Review, one of the best known military specialists, declares that "Russia is now about to bring to bear all her resources, and it is realized that she intervenes at a moment when in Flanders the German levies of the third line, young soldiers with six weeks' training, are being brought into action, the full significance of the operations on the eastern front will be recognized."

"Three Austro-German armies," he continues, "are marching toward the Russian front. The Russian commander seems to be accentuating the defensive in the latter direction. If he succeeds the result will be far-reaching. The Austrian army will be cut off from the Germans and forced to accept battle with their backs against the Carpathians."

PLAN TO LURE RUSSIANS ON. Germans Seek to Get Invaders in Zone of Fortress Fire.

LONDON, Saturday, Nov. 14.—The Petrograd correspondent of The Daily Telegraph in a dispatch dated Friday outlines the operations of the present week in the Russian front. His dispatch follows:

"During Tuesday and Wednesday there was unintermittent fighting on the German side of the eastern frontier of East Prussia. The German Wirballen army (Wirballen is in Suwalki, Russian Poland, almost on the East Prussian boundary line), with its base in the formidable series of fortified positions made strong efforts to turn the Russians out of their trenches but all attacks were successfully repulsed."

"From Tuesday until Thursday the Russians, advancing from the Bakalarz-Gow-Lock line, slowly but steadily moved my back to the Masurian Lake region, where the Germans have the advantage of a formidable natural obstacle consisting of a network of lakes and swamps and are aided by the intensive scheme of fortification, the central point of which is Loetzen."

Behind Loetzen Forty Boyen blocks, the railway passage between Dargal and Loewin Lakes, which, except for a bridge, form an impassable barrier extending 20 miles from north to south. The Germans have all the dry lanes in this region, and the Russians will dash themselves to pieces against the Russian trenches. After a long struggle the Russians were forced to retreat with heavy losses by a surprise attack from the Russian armored train and cavalry."

Galicia, voluntarily evacuated by the Austrians, and have crossed the lower Vistula, occupying Reszow and the Leco district.

ENDURANCE OF CZAR'S TROOPS. Spend Days in Rain-Soaked Trenches Without Food, Then Fight.

LONDON, Nov. 13.—In a lengthy review of the earlier operations on the battlefield of Russian Poland and Galicia, Prof. Bernard Pares, the British official correspondent with the Russian Army, gives a sketch of the spirit which he says pervaded the Russian Army. A small force can readily put the results of the encounters in this part of the battlefield. Just east of the Oise the French have made an advance of two miles. Along the Aisne the British are about one mile north of the river, except at Vailly, where they hold the bluff just above the narrow river valley. Near Craonne

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THE WAR SITUATION.

BY THE MILITARY EXPERT OF THE NEW YORK TIMES. (An Associate Editor of The Army and Navy Journal.)

The vigorous encounters along the battle line in Belgium are due to two causes. The more energetic assaults made by the Germans in an effort to break down the opposition, where the British and Belgian lines join. The higher ground enables the German artillery to be used to better advantage here than in the swampy ground near Nieuport.

The Germans first made attacks early in the week at Dixmude and succeeded in capturing the town and obtaining a hold on the west bank of the river. Here they were stopped by the rush of reserves and were forced to abandon the west bank except for one short stretch. The Germans made their next attack ten miles further south near Ypres.

The other move was an aggressive one by the Allies along the coast. Here the German artillery, was outclassed by the guns of the British and French warships. The Germans were unable to resist the Belgian attack and were forced to abandon Lombardeyde. The Germans now say they have driven back this sortie to the original position west of the Yser.

These attacks, even where they have ended in the capture of the enemy's trenches, have had no further effect. The lines have been bent back at points, but the new trenches are soon made as strong as the old ones.

The loss by the Germans of three siege guns in the fighting at La Bassée shows the weakness of these guns when opposed to an active enemy. The power of their shells requires a heavy weight for the guns, which makes it difficult to move them from place to place. Consequently, an energetic enemy can send forward raiding parties to work their way through the opposing line and capture the batteries. The guns referred to in the dispatches are not 11-inch guns, but the 5-inch or 7-inch siege guns that accompany every corps in the German Army.

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PROUD TO HEAR ARMY CALLED BARBARIANS

Major Gen. von Disfurth, Distinguished German, Hopes the Title is Merited.

CALLS IT EMPTY CHATTER

All the Cathedrals of Europe Not Equal to Stone at German Grenadier's Grave, He Says.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. COPENHAGEN, Nov. 13. (Dispatch to The London Daily Standard.)—An amazing exposition of German militarism is given by Major Gen. von Disfurth in an article contributed to the Hamburg Nachrichten, in the course of which this distinguished retired officer of the German Army writes:

"No object whatever is served by taking any notice of the accusations of barbarity leveled against Germany by our foreign critics. Frankly, we are and must be barbarians, if by this we understand those who wage war relentlessly and to the uttermost degree."

"It is incompatible with the dignity of the German Empire and with the times of the German Empire that the German Army should defend our courageous soldiers from the accusations hurled against them in foreign and neutral countries. We owe no explanations to any one. There is nothing for us to justify and nothing to explain away. Every act of whatever nature committed by our troops for the purpose of discouraging, defeating and destroying our enemies is a brave act and a good deed, and is fully justified."

There is no reason whatever why we should trouble ourselves about the noxious chatter of our enemies. Certainly we should not worry about the opinions and feelings held in neutral lands concerning the German war, which in the time of war must be dictated to the world."

"It is of no consequence whatever if all the monuments ever created, all the pictures ever painted, and all the cathedrals of the world be destroyed, if the German Empire survives, and if Germany's victory over her enemies, who vowed her complete annihilation. In the eyes of the German people, the present moment is not a word of regret. They are proud to hear that the German Army is engaged in a war which is waged with severity. The commonest soldier should be proud to see that the place of a German grenadier is a more glorious and venerable monument than the cathedrals in Europe put together."

They call us barbarians. What of it? We scorn them and their abuse. For my part, I hope that in this war we have merited the title of barbarians. Let neuter peoples and our enemies cease their empty chatter, which will be compared to

WOMAN SEES PLOT TO ROB THE INDIANS

Kate Barnard, Oklahoma Charity
Commissioner, Says \$200-
000,000 Is at Stake.

GIVES UP OFFICE TO FIGHT

Charges Widespread Conspiracy to
Seize Valuable Lands—Her Work
Hampered by Alleged Grafters.

A systematic plot to rob Indian full-bloods and miter belts of Oklahoma of more than \$200,000,000 worth of coal lands at the hands of an organized clique of grafters operating in Oklahoma and in Washington is charged by Kate Barnard, State Commissioner of Charities of Oklahoma, in an article appearing in The Survey, she tells why, after the Department of Charities, the last disinterested official protector of the Indian wards of the nation, had been wrecked through the machinations of the alleged clique of grafters, she refused a proffered renomination for her present office and is organizing instead a State-wide "people's lobby" to win back the lost national protection of the nation's Indian wards.

"Two hundred millions is a low estimate of the money prize at stake," she says, "and the success of the plot means misery and poverty for 10,000 Indian mothers and the unborn of coming generations. This remaining stupendous wealth is now in the hands of \$3,000 restricted Indians, most of whom are ignorant and cannot read or write. The remainder of the 100,000 Indians have already been robbed. This conspiracy reaches from the political group which dominated the fourth Legislature of Oklahoma, is dominating the Oklahoma delegation in Congress, and through the delegation is evidently dominating the Indian Department, as it affects Oklahoma matters at this time, she says.

The first step, she says, was the accomplishment in 1906, when, by urging the "doctrine of discovery," the Federal Government was induced to surrender its supervision of Indian minors and to place them under the authority in the probate courts of Oklahoma. The next step, taken by the last Oklahoma Legislature, she says, was to wreck the Department of Charities which had sole jurisdiction over the Indian orphan's stock, and was the only arm of the Government, State or national, clothed with power to protect weak lands in the probate courts.

In order to weaken the protection of the civil service force of the Federal Government, Miss Barnard charges, the plotters four months ago, with the help of the "congressional delegation and the Federal Department of the Interior," brought about the consolidation of the Indian Indian Agency at Muskogee, Okla., with the office of the Commissioner of the Five Civilized Tribes, commonly known as the Dawes Commission. Thereupon, she says, the offices of an consolidated were removed from civil service and made political. Straightway appropriations for agents to go into the homes of Indians and help them supervise the ignorant Indian estates were reduced to a minimum when there were most needed, while \$50,000 of the State's money was appropriated for the purely political Federal probate attorneys.

Approximately \$5,000,000 in cash of tribal funds are now ready for per capita distribution among about 50,000 Chickasaws, Choctaws, and Seminoles. "At one time," she says, "the Federal Government was ready to distribute in the near future among 40,000 Choctaws and Chickasaws, there are still nearly 25,000 separate Indian accounts open relating to the unfinished sale and transfer of tribal lands. Is it an accident that the Department of Charities, the only branch of the State Government having any legal authority to protect these helpless minors in the courts of Oklahoma, should be destroyed on the eve of the distribution of these vast natural resources and tribal funds?"

How Indians Are Plundered.

Miss Barnard describes the speed and method with which, in the past, Indians newly come into possession of their property, were swindled out of it in a few days.

"The most common form of plunder lies in the power to sell a minor's land for the pretended purpose of 'benefiting' the minor. Reduced to money, 80 per cent. of the capital is consumed by 'court costs,' attorney fees, and 'allowances,' bad loans, and investments.

"One of the leading newspapers of the State obtained from the Indian orphan minors thousands of dollars on its worthless stocks and bonds.

"At one time, the Department of Charities was informed that three 'elf' children were sleeping in the hollow of an old tree and eating at neighboring farmhouses. An investigation proved that these little ones were actually living in this homeless, friendless fashion, their hair so matted that it had to be cut from their heads. We found further that they were under the 'protection' of a 'guardian' who had fifty-one other children under his protecting care. These three children had valuable lands in the Glenn Pool oil fields. The guardian was charging up large amounts for their 'schooling' and 'general care,' yet he did not know where the children were, had 'lost all track of them,' and it was with difficulty that the Department of Charities located the guardian."

A few days ago, according to Miss Barnard, officials in charge of the large majority still pending of the 30,000 land suits instituted by the Government for the recovery of Indian lands obtained by fraud, secured recommendation from the five Indian chiefs representing the Five Civilized Tribes, the disbursement of about 6,000 of these suits.

She herself, she says, was balked in her efforts to have the Department of Charities protect the ignorant and helpless Indian minor heirs, first by the "guardians" properly withdrawing the children from the jurisdiction of the State Orphan Home, and then by the political machinery without fear or remorse for her to obtain enforcement of the protective laws she finally forced through the Legislature.

Tells How She Was Hampered.

"When the work was well under way," she says, "I was warned that the law must be enforced in a manner 'satisfactory' to these interests. I told them I knew no authority but the laws of Oklahoma and the dictate of my own conscience as revealed by Almighty God.

"In the prosecutions which followed, thousands of dollars in money and land were returned to some 1,380 Indian orphan children.

Falling in their efforts to dictate to me, the men back of these moves held a secret session in the Summer before the fourth Legislature and decided to 'control' the Department of Charities or wreck it. From the opening day of the Legislature they started a fight on my attorney—a man who had been prosecuting grafters without fear or favor.

After several weeks he resigned rather than further imperil the department. I placed in his stead a young reform worker, a lawyer, who was a prominent member of the State Bar. This attorney, Judge Lockridge, they demanded be also removed, and that in place of him should name a lawyer from Muskogee. * * * During the twenty-four hours that they thought I was giving to concede their demands, they appeared in The Oklahomaan stating that the fight has stopped on the Department of Charities and it will be provided with ample funds.

I was told I would be given 'all the money I wanted in the Appropriation bill,' but when I refused to make the appointment I was left without money for office help, stamps, or telephone. I furnished \$350 of my own money and solicited additional money from my friends, and at this time the Department of Charities of Oklahoma is financed upon the money of humanitarians and philanthropists—a fitting reward for doing right in public office in a Christian civilization."

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Second Explosion with Fire.

While hundreds gathered from all directions, the second explosion occurred, ripping and tearing what remained of the works and starting to life the inferno which taxed the efforts of Fire Chief Lally and all the men and horses which responded to two alarms.

Dr. Beckers, his left ear nearly cut off, staggered from the building and rushed into Dr. Neary's office. The physician, who had been thrown down himself by the concussion, quickly converted his office into a receiving hospital.

Rockaways Would Secede

Business Men Say Returns Do Not Equal \$1,500,000 City Taxes Paid.

Business men of the Rockaways now decide that the time has come to secede from the city and establish a city of their own. The Far Rockaway Business Men's Association named a committee last night to study the proposal. It is planned now to submit the matter to the Legislature.

Police Raid Hotel Gerard.

Night Clerk Arrested and Registers Seized for Evidence.

Detectives Jones and Balke of Inspector Dwyer's staff early this morning arrested Otto E. Schoen, clerk of the Hotel Gerard in Forty-fourth Street between Broadway and Sixth Avenue, on the charge of maintaining a disorderly house.

The arrest was made on a warrant issued yesterday by Chief Magistrate McAdoo after eight detectives had submitted affidavits charging that they had been accosted on Nov. 11 and Nov. 12 by two women living in the hotel. Eight hotel registers were taken with Schoen to the West Forty-seventh Street Station, where the clerk was being held by John Renkin, one of the owners of the hotel.

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Blown Out of His Chair.

One of these was John Hartwig, a foreman, who occupied a small cottage at the end of a lane running alongside the tenement adjoining the works. He was blown out of his chair and hurled to the ground, but he was not hurt. He found his family unharmed, though all windows in the cottage in the rear of the front steps and porch were demolished.

Firemen's Heroic Work.

Capt. John J. Foley of Truck 132 gave no order, but he glanced at his crew. Like one man they leaped toward the doors and windows. Some Deputy Chief shouted an order to halt—apparently only death waited behind the shaken front wall—but there was no stopping them. With a line of hose, writhing like a huge snake, in their grasp, they tumbled headlong over the shattered window sills.

Lally saw them go and ordered every stream of water turned in over their heads. They were advancing, for their own jerking line showed that. But each instant its forward leaps were shorter, and there were greater intervals between them. Then the quivering line united, and a moment later Foley and his men tumbled out of the doors and windows. Their faces blackened with smoke, their breath gone and all but overcome themselves. They could not progress a dozen feet, they said; no one could live inside.

Once more they heard the shriek for help.

Foley and his men lay mute where they had thrown themselves gasping for breath. But now more streams had been brought up. Lally had turned every effort to saving the man inside.

Rescue of the Last Man.

The figure was terribly burned. Most of the clothing was gone. The left hand had been blown away at the wrist. The right hand, the face, the neck and arms were blackened by fire. The man was Adolph Wolters, still alive, and still conscious. He had been caught beneath a twelve-inch beam, which had been part of the south wall. It had crushed his legs, but formed a support over which other debris piled like a tectonic wall. He was unable to move, and in a measure keeping the flames from him. He was half-drowned by the water which had made his rescue possible. He was hurried to the Cumberland Street Hospital, but there was little chance of his recovery.

Wolters was the last to be taken from the place. Just before he was removed, Capt. Dominick Henry and Policemen Stark, Casey, and Baker of the Grand venue station, had dug a man from the wreckage. He was still alive, and the building, and all the others, except the two on the second floor, had been blown from the building or been able to extricate themselves.

The very force of the explosion undoubtedly saved the lives of many by blowing them from the building, for the second floor collapsed almost instantly, and only those who had been close to the doors before the explosion were saved. Those who had been close to the doors before the explosion were saved.

Dr. Beckers was in the office conferring with Harry Gilfoyle and Frank Seckers and his assistants, in which they were trying to arrive at the German process for making chemicals for dyes. They were now impossible to obtain from Germany because of the war. He did not say much about the details, but he got the impression that they were working on a secret process which the company did not wish to become known.

Four hospitals sent ambulances to the chemical works. Drs. Pierson and C. M. Hazen went with the ambulance from the Cumberland Street Hospital. Drs. Rayfield and Wolfert and four in-dermated from the Jewish Hospital assisted in treating fifteen of the injured on the street and took five of the more seriously hurt to that institution. Drs. Robert Lee, Charles Curtis, and B. Godwin took seven persons to the Holy Family Hospital. Dr. Maurice Levy, in an ambulance from the Swedish Hospital, assisted in caring for the injured on the street.

ENGLAND BACK TO NORMAL.

"Ready to Resume Business," Says Paish, Explaining Situation.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 13.—Sir George Paish of London, in an address at the dinner of the Investment Bankers' Association of America tonight, asserted that all financial matters in England had been adjusted. "We are prepared," he said, "once again to resume business in the normal way."

Although the London Stock Exchange still was closed, Sir George said that one of the greatest obstacles to the resumption of business had been removed, and he hoped to see it reopen in the near future.

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SUFFRAGE CONGRESS BARS BLACKLIST

Campaigns Against Would-Be Legislators Subject to Consent of State Associations.

WORK NOT TO BE LIMITED

Constitutional Amendment Not to Absorb the Association's Efforts—Dr. Shaw to be Re-elected.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Nov. 13.—By a vote of almost 2 to 1 the convention of the National American Woman's Suffrage Association late today decided that its work before Congress during the coming year should not be limited to efforts to obtain the passage of the Bristow-Mondell Suffrage amendment to the Federal Constitution. At an earlier session the association decided by a decisive majority that its Congressional Committee should not conduct campaigns against candidates in any State without the consent of the suffrage associations in that State.

That the opposition to Dr. Anna Howard Shaw for re-election as President of the association had been dropped was revealed when nominations for officers were submitted to the Executive Committee. The time for presenting nominations expired at 8 o'clock tonight. Dr. Shaw's is the only name on the list as candidate for President.

The list of other candidates follows: First Vice President—Miss Jean Gordon, New Orleans; Mrs. Jeanette Breckenridge, Kentucky.

Second Vice President—Miss Katharine P. Davis, New York; Mrs. Medill McCormick, Chicago.

Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. Orton H. Clark, Michigan; Mrs. Jeanette Rankin, Montana.

Recording Secretary—Mrs. Susan V. Fitzgerald, New York; Mrs. Anne H. Martin, Nevada.

Treasurer—Mrs. Henry Wade Rogers, Massachusetts.

First Auditor—Mrs. Helen G. Miller, Missouri.

Second Auditor—Mrs. Nellie N. Somerville, Mississippi; Miss Zona Gale, Wisconsin.

Election of officers will be held next Monday.

The action of the association on these matters settled two of the most important questions before the present convention. Each had given rise to much division of opinion among the suffragists during the last few months and each has a significant bearing on plans for next year's campaign.

The debate on both issues was decidedly spirited and at times was characterized by factional bitterness. Much of the opposition to the administration plan of working before Congress for other measures besides the Bristow-Mondell resolution came from the "State's rights" suffragists.

Two Motions Presented.

Mrs. Harriot Stanton Blatch of New York, one of the leading champions of the one legislative measure plan, presented the initial motion. That the Bristow-Mondell amendment be not proceeded with by the National Association in the next session of Congress.

A sub-motion, offered immediately by Mrs. Raymond Brown of New York, declared that "it is in the sense of the convention that the policy of the National Association shall be to support by every means in its power in the future the amendment known as the Susan B. Anthony amendment; and, further, that we support such other legislation as the national board may authorize and initiate to the end that the Susan B. Anthony amendment may become law."

Mrs. Barton Jenks of Rhode Island moved to strike out the last sentence of Mrs. Brown's substitute.

Mrs. George W. Bass of Chicago vigorously protested against limiting the

association's efforts to one measure.

Miss Kate M. Gordon of New Orleans, President of the Southern States Suffrage Association, spoke for Mrs. Jenks's motion, declaring she did not favor allowing the national board too great powers in initiating legislation.

"My idea of the object of the association," said Mrs. Medill McCormick of Chicago, Chairman of the Congressional Committee, "is that we want to pass national legislation to give women the ballot. Among the ways open to us to obtain the vote are the passage of the Bristow-Mondell resolution, which is similar to the resolution drafted four years ago by Susan B. Anthony, and which requires ratification by thirty-six States to become effective; or pass the Shaforth amendment, which provides for submitting the suffrage question to the voters of each State through initiative petitions, and to go before State Legislatures for amendments of the State constitutions. The Shaforth amendment is designed to assist the States to give women the ballot by going around the State Legislatures. The more suffrage States we have, the easier it will be to pass the Bristow-Mondell to a referendum."

Mrs. Funk's Appeal.

Argument in behalf of the Shaforth resolution was made by Mrs. Antonette Funk of Chicago, a member of the Congressional Committee. She appealed the delegates not to tie the hands of the committee.

Many suffragists seem to think that the Shaforth amendment is a "logjam" slide into suffrage, but they are in misapprehension. "One of my reasons for objecting to working for it is the fact that funds and workers are limited, and, besides, we will have to resort to the Susan B. Anthony resolution to give the referendum vote to the people of the United States. The Bristow-Mondell amendment gives us a chance to avoid the referendum and with the foreign element of voters in this country, I believe it is not well to risk our cause to a referendum."

Miss Mary Winsor of Pennsylvania said that the Pennsylvania suffragists would support the Shaforth amendment laid down. "Whenever the committee says 'blacklist,' a Congressman we will 'blacklist' him," she declared.

Miss Burnham, also from Pennsylvania, however, declined to subscribe to what she called Mrs. Winsor's "sweeping approval of the Congressional Committee's action."

Mrs. Grace Wilbur Trout and other members of the Illinois delegation declared emphatically their desire for a policy which would prevent the publication by the National Committee of information relating to Congressmen without the consent of the State associations.

Mrs. Medill McCormick and Dr. Anna Shaw, President of the association, both asserted that the Congressional Committee was designed to serve the State organizations and had no intention of attempting to overrule the State associations' wishes in its work.

Sharp replies were called forth from members of the Congressional Committee and their supporters when Miss Mabel Vernon, of Delaware, criticized the committee. "There are only a few more States which would be helped by the Shaforth amendment," she asserted.

"Why didn't the Congressional Committee get out in the campaign States and help them, instead of putting in their time on something that could not be accomplished in Washington?"

"They did help," came from all over the hall, and Mrs. Funk and Mrs. McCormick were allowed to tell of the committee's work in the recent campaign.

Several Southern delegates said their States would not care to accept the Shaforth amendment, but would grant more quickly woman's suffrage through the State Legislatures.

Mrs. Helen Hill Weed of Connecticut, and Mrs. Rosalie Jones of New York, and Mrs. Francis Burns of Michigan were among the ardent advocates of the Bristow-Mondell measure.

Mrs. Jenks's amendment to strike out was lost by a viva voce vote, and Mrs. Brown's substitute motion adopted by a vote of 194 to 100.

A motion by Mrs. Trout authorizing the National Board to support a Federal amendment for national initiative and referendum law was defeated.

After disposition of the legislation measures the convention voted to give seats to both the contesting Tennessee delegations.

The Southern delegates at a conference tonight decided to concentrate their efforts toward winning one Southern State for woman suffrage within the next two years. It was said Alabama probably would be selected. It is proposed to introduce a suffrage initiative petition in the next Alabama Legislature.

NEGROES REPUDIATE PRESIDENT'S CRITIC

Send Letters to the White House Saying Trotter Is Only Seeking Political Notoriety.

WILSON'S AID TO THE RACE

Recently Advanced Two Colored Employees—Others in Departments Alarmed.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—Politicians were much interested today regarding the final outcome of the Administration's policy for the segregation of negroes in the Government departments, which led to the clash yesterday at the White House between President Wilson and W. Monroe Trotter of Boston, spokesman for a delegation of negroes representing the National Independent Equal Rights League. Telegrams and letters were received at the White House today from negroes repudiating Trotter, whose language gave offense to the President. Some of these communications were from negro employees of departments.

President Wilson is not in the least concerned as to the effect the Administration's policy may have on the national election in 1916. He told the dele-

gation yesterday that it was a matter of entire indifference to him how the negroes of the country voted, provided he was convinced in his own mind that what he was doing was the right thing to do. The President, it was recalled today, had been advised by the individual negro employees of the departments in cases where he believed that long and faithful service should be regarded.

Within the last few months the President signed orders advancing two negro messengers to clerkship grades because he considered that their loyalty to the Government deserved recognition. These men were Richard Green, for many years messenger to the Secretary of the Treasury, and Eddie Savoy, who has guarded the door of the Secretary of State for forty-five years.

Wade H. Carter of Oakland, Cal., employed in the General Land Office, sent a letter to the White House informing Secretary Tumulty that Trotter did not represent the opinion of the negro employees of the Government. Other letters intimated that Trotter was an agitator seeking political capital, and that hard-working and thoughtful negroes in the departments deplored the manner in which the question has been handled.

In some quarters the fear was expressed that the Equal Rights League would continue to legislate the subject having the Administration's segregation policy discussed on the floor of the Senate and House.

RECOUNT ON LONG ISLAND.

Lathrop Brown Gets Writ in His Fight to Hold Congress Seat.

Supreme Court Justice Jaycox at Riverhead yesterday granted the writ of mandamus asked for by Congressman Lathrop Brown and a recount of the ballots will be begun next Thursday.

The unofficial figure given the Congress election to Frederick C. Hicks, Republican, by fifteen votes.

The canvass of the votes in the Fourth Assembly District of Queens has been completed by the Assembly with the result: George Polhemus, 7,138; James Eadie, 7,068. Polhemus's plurality is 78.

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Skates	Former Price	Sale Price
HALF LEVER CLUB SKATES	\$1.20	89c
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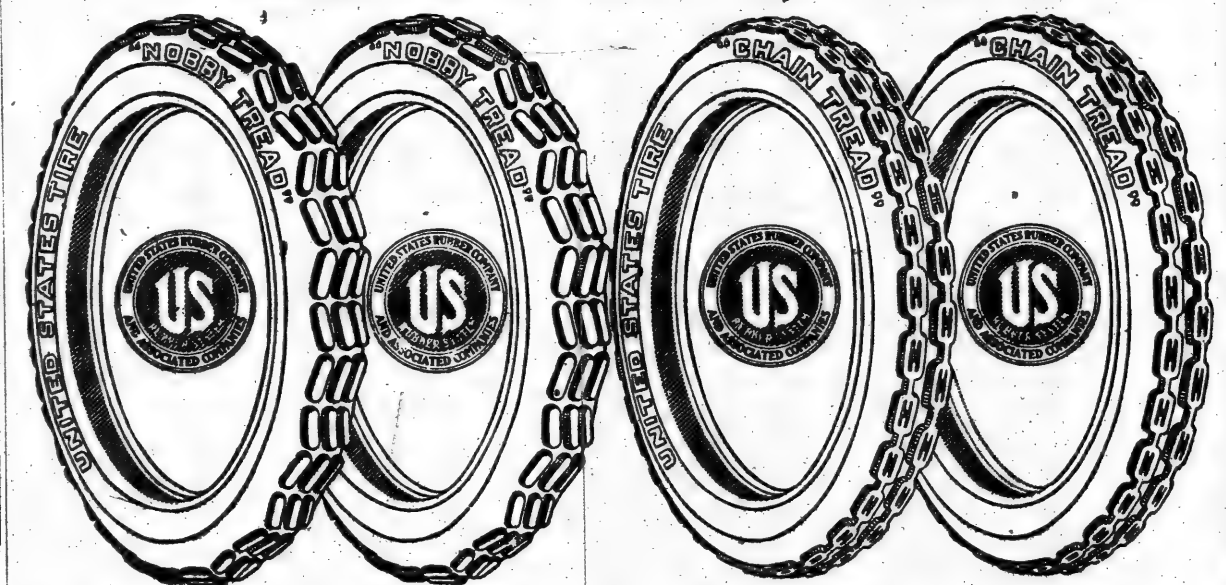
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HORGAN RESIGNS TO SAVE RICHARDS

Gov.-Elect Whitman Made the
Accountant's Record a
Campaign Issue.

MAN WHO EXPOSED SULZER

Writes to Bank Superintendent He
Doesn't Want to Cause Fur-
ther Embarrassment.

Eugene Lamb Richards, State Superintendent of Banks, announced last night that he had received and accepted the resignation of Matthew T. Horgan, an expert accountant who has been attached to the Liquidation Bureau. Owing to certain incidents in his past life, Mr. Horgan was made an issue in the campaign by John A. Hennessy, William Sulzer, and Gov.-elect Charles S. Whitman, all of whom severely criticized Supt. Richards for employing and retaining him.

Mr. Richards last night gave the correspondence which had passed between Mr. Horgan and himself. Mr. Horgan tendered his resignation on Nov. 5, two days after the election of Mr. Whitman as Governor. Mr. Whitman had severely criticized Mr. Richards and threatened to take steps for his removal largely on account of his employing Mr. Horgan. It is suggested by the letters made public that Mr. Horgan resigned in order to save his chief embarrassment.

For the Department's Sake.

Here is Mr. Horgan's letter of resignation:

Eugene Lamb Richards, Superintendent of Banks of the State of New York, New York City:

Dear Sir: I hereby resign my position in the Liquidation Bureau of the Banking Department to take effect on the 15th day of November, 1914. I do so fully conscious that there can be no possible criticism of the work that I have performed in the department. I am governed entirely by what I regard as the welfare of the department, and my own welfare.

During my connection with the Liquidation Bureau the department and myself have been severely criticized for matters in which such criticisms are unreasonable, malicious, and untruthful. I can no longer consent to a continuation of these attacks upon my family, myself, and upon your department.

As you know, I voluntarily expressed my willingness to resign when these attacks were made last summer, and I certainly would have done so had my work in the Liquidation Bureau been the subject of the criticism, but, inasmuch as there was no criticism of that work and as I felt that these attacks were reasonable criticism, I continued my work until the present time. However, for the reasons above stated, I now feel that it is due to my personality, to the department, to myself, and to my family that I be released immediately of my duties in the department.

Very truly,
MATTHEW T. HORGAN.

Horgan's Resignation Accepted.
Mr. Richards did not accept the resignation of Mr. Horgan until yesterday, when he sent him the following letter:

Dear Sir: Your letter of Nov. 5 resigning your position in the Liquidation Bureau of the Banking Department, to take effect on Nov. 15, 1914, has been duly received. Note your expressed desire to avoid further criticism of this department and of yourself by longer continuing your connection here, and in this connection that I accept your resignation. I feel bound to say, in justice to yourself, that all matters pertaining to your official duties you have been both diligent and efficient. While you have been severely criticized for events claimed to have occurred long ago, you have at no time been charged with any capacity of misconduct in the performance of your official duties in connection with this department, nor have any one familiar with the facts made such a charge.

Realizing, however, the importance of keeping this department free from public criticism, unjust or otherwise, and conceding your right to protect your name and your family from a further continuance of such criticism, your resignation is accepted. Very truly,
EUGENE LAMB RICHARDS,
Superintendent of Banks.

Horgan on the Island.

The attack on Horgan grew out of the fact that he at one time had been sent to Blackwell's Island on conviction of ill-treating his wife. He had also been charged with falsifying records in one of the city's departments. These charges were openly made against Horgan at a meeting of depositors in the office of Mr. Richards at 61 Broadway.

Supt. Richards went Horgan over to Blackwell's Island to investigate and the latter reported to his chief that the liquidation had been conducted in a careful manner and recommended reductions in the fees and salaries of those concerned aggregating some \$30,000.

When the charges were made against Mr. Horgan, he himself warmly showed that his Blackwell's Island experience grew out of a matrimonial tangle which ended with the courts giving him a divorce and awarding him the custody of his two children. He also declared that he had been exonerated from the charge of falsifying records and that a certified copy of the court record embodying his exoneration was on file at Albany.

Sulzer's Friend and Enemy.

During the campaign John A. Hennessy made the charge that Supt. Richards sent Horgan to take charge of the affairs of the Union Bank in order to liquidate the bank's assets.

Mr. Horgan went to Albany with Gov. Sulzer after having acted as a confidential agent of Sulzer at his New York law office in the 1912 campaign for the Governorship. His first employment was as an expert accountant for the Sulzer Committee on Inquiry. Later, when the Department of Efficiency and Economy was established, Mr. Horgan became the first deputy in that department.

He was the expert accountant for the Frawley Committee, of which Mr. Richards was counsel, and was active in advising the committee on which William Sulzer was impeached and removed from office.

PRISONER STABBED IN TOMBS; MAY DIE

"Hudson Duster" Gangster
Wounded Dangerously Under
the Eyes of Keepers.

REFUSES ASSAILANT'S NAME

Supposed to be Result of Feud
Within the Gang Over Dis-
position of Spoils.

Animosities arising from the division of spoils among members of the "Hudson Duster" gang cropped out yesterday in the Tombs, where several members are imprisoned for different offenses. Before the prison authorities knew of the hatred among the gangmen one prisoner was stabbed several times under the very eyes of the keepers and was taken to Bellevue in a critical condition.

The injured man is Richard Harrison, twenty-one years old, of 439 West Seventeenth Street. He has two bad wounds, one on his left elbow and one just below his left shoulder, near his heart. He retained consciousness after he got to the hospital, but efforts to bring him back to life have failed.

There were about 125 prisoners in line, waiting to be taken to various courts, when the attack was made. Some of them had already passed through and Deputy Sheriff Miller was watching the prisoners. Suddenly there was a scuffle at the back of the line and the sound of a body falling.

The wounded man had no outcry and Miller at first thought he was dead. At the feet of a prisoner known as "Kid Burns" lay a pen knife with a long sharp blade.

Miller shouted for help and several keepers ran up and held the prisoner back while Drs. Maguire and Lichtenstein examined Harrison's injuries. He was taken to Warden Hanley's office and later an ambulance carried him to Bellevue.

Warden Hanley notified Deputy Commissioner of Correction Burke C. Lewis, who went to the prison and began an investigation. All the prisoners were questioned but no one would tell how the knife got into the Tombs, in view of the careful watch for weapons and drugs.

Late in the afternoon a bit of information reached Assistant District Attorney Walter R. Deuel, which caused him to send for several prisoners who were nearby when the stabbing occurred. He questioned them, but about the stabbing, but about a gun fight of the "Hudson Dusters" on Oct. 24 at Fourteenth Street and Eighth Avenue, it developed that one man who had

been shot in the leg was arrested with several others after the gun fight and was in the Tombs awaiting trial. Mr. Deuel learned further that Harrison was near the scene of the fight. He was not among the gangsters arrested at that time, but twelve days later he was locked up with two others on the charge of stealing a truck load of drugs consigned to Thomas P. Donagan & Co. Rightly or wrongly, the gangster who was shot in the leg suspected Harrison of doing it, and for several days Mr. Deuel said, he was looking for a chance to get even. The chance did not come until yesterday when Harrison and the other "Dusters" happened to find themselves in the same line on their way to court.

Supposition for the murderous attack on Harrison has narrowed down to three men. The cases of these men will be held up pending further investigation and the outcome of Harrison's wounds.

REFUSES TO OUST REFEREE.

Justice Davis Sets Aside Charges
Against Donnelly's Appointee.

Francis P. Burns, counsel for Dr. Anna Kuehne Walter, who is defending a suit brought for the annulment of her marriage to Herman Walter, a rich carpet manufacturer, applied to Supreme Court Justice Davis yesterday to remove James O. Farrell, who was appointed referee by Justice Donnelly. The suit was brought by the brothers and nephews of Mr. Walter, who alleged that he was incompetent to enter into a marriage contract.

After hearing the lawyers Justice Davis refused to remove Mr. Farrell.

George Brister was the first counsel retained by Mrs. Walter. He had a contract with her by which she was to pay him 25 per cent. of the money received from her husband pending the action. Mrs. Walter was allowed alimony of \$250 a month during this period. In an affidavit presented to the court yesterday Mr. Brister replied to an attack made upon him that he had unnecessarily prolonged the action. Part of his affidavit read:

"It appears by the evidence taken before a referee that because of repeated accusations against the integrity of one of the Justices of this court made to me by Mrs. Walter and charges that I was acting collusively with the attorneys for Mr. Walter's relatives and committee, I asked Mrs. Walter to pay me for my services and find another lawyer."

In contesting the application for his removal Mr. Farrell said that on Nov. 1 he telephoned to Mr. Burns to inquire about his fees that he and Mrs. Walter had received.

"I asked Mrs. Walter to read my report, which was secret. I refused to do this, of course. By repeated questions he endeavored to get information from me as to the contents of my report. I declined to give it. Mr. Burns then told me he would not buy a pig in a poke."

Mr. Burns said he had called on the referee to discover what his report would be, he heard the referee refer to the court to sign, and that Mr. Farrell told him that was not the way the law was practiced.

The referee's report is ready to be filed.

GIRL SAVES WOMAN FROM SUICIDE LEAP

18-Year-Old Julia Nigro Held
Insane Widow, Who Tried to
Jump from Window.

FOUGHT ON FOURTH STORY

Crowd in Street Shouted Encour-
agement Until Policemen
Effectively Rescued.

The shopping crowds in 124th Street near Park Avenue were startled yesterday afternoon by the shrieks of a woman and, racing around into Park Avenue, they halted amazed in front of the apartment house at No. 1,811 where, from a window on the fourth floor, a woman hung out over the sidewalk, kept from falling only by the grasp of a slender girl who clutched the other's arm.

It was the girl who screamed for help and the stunned crowd realized that the woman she held was struggling to break the girl's grip.

The woman squirmed and twisted, contorting her body and jerking spasmodically, so that each instant the girl who held her was yanked from side to side of the window and each instant her grasp made less secure.

Several men started for the entrance to the house, but ahead of them were Policemen Doyle of the East 126th Street Station and Policeman Bligh of the Traffic Squad.

They ran to the fourth floor, found the door of the apartment unlocked, and rushed into the front room, grabbing the struggling woman just as the girl's strength was failing. She fell exhausted as her burden was released.

The girl told the policeman she was Miss Julia Nigro, 18 years old, and that she lived in the rear apartment on the same floor. For some time, she said, Miss Ellen Kayser, a young widow, had acted somewhat strangely. Yesterday she heard Mrs. Kayser muttering to herself and entered her apartment to investigate. She saw Mrs. Kayser had climbed onto the window sill. Just as Miss Nigro clutched her, the woman jumped and the weight of the falling body came heavily on the girl's arm. She had clutched Mrs. Kayser around the wrist, however, and she held her grip until she could reach down and catch some of the woman's clothing in her other hand.

Midday Service in Synagogue.
The Trustees of Temple Emanuel, Fifth Avenue and Forty-third Street, have unanimously adopted the suggestion of Rabbi Joseph Silverman that the Temple be open every day and that a service be held at 12:30 o'clock daily. The first of the midday services will be held Monday.

GIBBS THREATENED OFTEN.

Judge Received Many Letters Dur-
ing White Slave Trial.

Judge Gibbs referred yesterday to the bomb outrage at the Bronx County Court House when he was discharging the jury for the present term.

You have had a most extraordinary experience," he said. "For the first time in the history of the United States an attempt has been made to destroy a building housing the administration of justice. When I became County Judge I was under the impression that this was an unusually law-abiding community, but now I am satisfied that in this county we have to deal with some of the most lawless criminals of the country. The hand of God alone averted a terrible tragedy, planned by the men tried in this court or their sympathizers."

Almost from the first day, in which the trials of white slaves, gunmen and racketeers began in this court, I have been receiving threatening communications. I propose to pursue the same policy of dealing with the element as heretofore, and no threats will deter me from imposing the maximum penalty for all crimes of an outrageous nature."

CITY BREVITIES.

Detectives Reed and Kienan yesterday arrested Dominic Caputo, 31 years old, 205 North Eighth Street, Brooklyn. He was remanded in the Manhattan Avenue Court by Magistrate Nash on a charge of selling drugs.

Sampson Schreier, 16 years old, a brother of 1,800 Washington Avenue, the Bronx, sustained a fractured leg yesterday when he accidentally ran his motor cycle into the rear wheel of an automobile wagon owned by the American Express Company.

Max Wertheim of 148 Norfolk Street and Rubin Mendelson of 47 Attorney Street, bakers, were arrested yesterday on complaint of Nathan Manning of 14 Lewis Street, who charged the men, out of revenge, had destroyed several thousand dollars' worth of bread the past few months by throwing kerosene on the loaves.

Inspector Purot believes that two of five burglars arrested in Indiana recently participated in the hold-up of the Strand Theatre here on May 17 and got away with \$7,000 in cash. Martin Mitchell, the night watchman, identified yesterday their photographs.

Laurence Blyden will deliver a lecture on "Japanese Prints—An Art of the Future" to the Japan Society in the Metropolitan Museum of Art, Monday, Nov. 30.

POLICE LAUNCH RAMMED.

Sent Adrift in River and Engineer
Knocked Unconscious.

A tugboat towing floats loaded with equipment of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad headed toward Police Launch No. 1 of the Harbor B station, which was at anchor in the East River in Hell Gate, opposite Ninety-sixth Street, at 10:40 o'clock last night.

Policeman John Friedenberg, the engineer, tried to lift the anchor in order to avoid the tug, and Policeman John Sheehan, the pilot, blew his police whistle. The tug veered to one side, but the first float behind it struck the launch. At the moment of collision Sheehan jumped aboard the float, but Friedenberg was knocked off his feet in the launch, which was not overturned, but broke loose and drifted down stream.

The tug stopped at East Eighty-sixth Street, but Sheehan sat there and sounded a distress whistle. Police launches and other boats started out in search of the police launch and found it drifting in the river opposite East Seventy-fourth Street. Policeman Friedenberg was taken off unconscious, but was soon revived and found to be not badly hurt.

LACK WATER AT NEWARK FIRE.

Flames from Meadows Destroyed
Part of Paper Box Plant.

Fanned by a high wind, a meadow fire swept into the Waverly district of Newark yesterday afternoon and set fire to five small buildings of the Waverly Paper Box Board Company in Weston Avenue. The loss is estimated at \$30,000. The Newark fire fighters were hampered in fighting the blaze because of lack of water. Previous to the sounding of the two fire alarms, workmen of the paper plant had fought the burning meadow grass. By the time the firemen arrived huge piles of scrap paper were burning and the flames had communicated to the five buildings. The lack of water pressure seriously handicapped the firemen.

James C. Bogg, Superintendent of the paper company, complained that he had called the attention of Chief Paul J. Moore to the burning meadow grass two hours before the plant was attacked.

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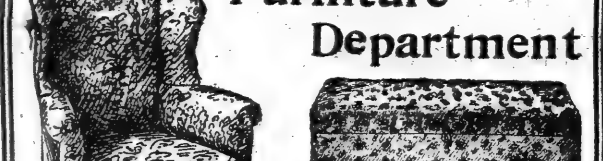
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Slips Unconscious from Partner's Arms in Martinique Palm Room.

WEAK HEART, SAYS DOCTOR

Other Dancers, Thinking She Had Slipped on Waxed Floor, Laughed as She Dropped.

While dancing in the Palm Room at the Hotel Martinique, Thirty-second Street and Broadway, last evening, Miss Mabel Norton of San Francisco suddenly slipped through the arms of her partner, fell to the floor unconscious, and died of heart disease before Dr. Lewis, the house physician of the Martinique, arrived.

A score of more couples dancing at the time, thought at first that Miss Norton had simply slipped on the waxed floor, and were inclined to treat her with an amusing mishap.

Miss Norton's partner was Richard Corbett, chief engineer of the steamship Washingtonian, of the American-Hawaiian Line, now at the Bush Terminal.

Yesterday afternoon he went to the Martinique for tea and dancing with Miss Norton and Mrs. Dorothy Kearney of 233 East Kingsbridge Road, the Bronx, whom Miss Norton had been visiting since last July. She had never complained of being ill, Kearney said afterward, and appeared in high spirits all the afternoon.

Dr. Lewis gave the cause of death as heart disease, and Dr. Otto Schultze, Corbett's physician, who was summoned, agreed with him. Her heart must have been weak, they said, and unable to stand the strain of continued exertion. The police recorded the death as accidental and no one was held as a witness.

Corbett's physician gave permission to Mrs. Kearney to have the body removed to an undertaking establishment in East Twenty-third Street, where it will await shipment to San Francisco.

Mrs. Kearney said that Miss Norton, who was 35 years old, had worked as a clerk in a San Francisco business house before coming to visit her. Her parents, who live at 170 Pine Street, that city, were notified by telegraph last night. In Miss Norton's purse the police found \$25, and she wore jewelry valued at \$1,000, including several diamonds.

There was no more dancing in the Palm Room after Miss Norton's death. The night dancing in the Martinique is in the Dutch Room, and it opened at 10 o'clock as usual last night. Few who danced knew of the death of Miss Norton, for although there was little excitement in the Palm Room at the time, most of those who saw her fall left immediately afterward.

BENNETT HEIRS WIN.

\$158,000 Estate Will Be Divided Among His Relatives.

As a result of a report made yesterday by Transfer Tax Appraiser James J. Monahan, the estate of \$158,000 left by Adolphus Bennett of Bay Ridge is to be divided among his relatives. Mr. Bennett and his wife were both found dead in their home at Shore Road and Seventy-ninth Street on Feb. 3, 1908. The aged couple had been ill for some time.

As an important point to be considered in the distribution of the property, the question of which of the two died first was raised. Mr. Bennett left a will dated Oct. 16, 1907, in which he left all his estate to his wife.

After an investigation, the Transfer Tax Appraiser reached the conclusion that Mr. Bennett died after his wife had passed away. By this finding, any interest the heirs of Mrs. Bennett might have had in the estate of her husband reverts to his heirs and next of kin.

These are William R. Bennett, a brother; Mrs. Cecelia H. Soydan; Miss Katherine R. Bennett; and Mrs. Anna R. Bennett, sisters, and the heirs of Mrs. Mary F. Purdy, another sister.

STILL STRIVING FOR PEACE.

Prominent Generals Going for a Conference with Carranza.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 13.—A telegram from Leon says that as a result of an interview between Gens. Pablo Gonzalez

TROOPS RECALLED FROM VERA CRUZ

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the harbor there, and the American Consul at San Luis Potosi has arranged to notify the Consul at Tampico so that American troops can withdraw to places of safety with the advance of the Villa army.

VERA CRUZ, Nov. 13.—Information received here does not indicate that the struggle between the troops representing Gen. Carranza and the army of Gen. Villa for the possession of Tampico will be nearly so great as when the Federal forces of Gen. Huerta were driven out by the Constitutionalists. The reports do point, however, to a preliminary conflict on the railroad between San Luis Potosi and Tampico.

General Villa's forces occupied San Luis Potosi yesterday without resistance, and 700 men were sent toward Tampico, where there is a garrison of only 300 men. Almost the entire defensive force of Tampico has moved toward the interior to meet the followers of Gen. Villa. They have with them twelve cannons, it is said, and a number of machine guns. Gen. Luluy Caballero, commanding the forces at Tampico, said today that he could call to his aid additional forces from Victoria, nine miles south of San Luis Potosi.

Foreigners in case they are endangered by an attack may take refuge on merchant ships under direction of the American battleship Rhode Island, which is now in Tampico Harbor. There are now in Tampico 300 American, 300 British, 200 Germans and perhaps 1,000 Spaniards and Mexicans, who are temporarily taking refuge in the city.

One is said to be at Puerto Mexico.

Special to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

EL PASO, Nov. 13.—Villa has taken San Luis Potosi, the capital of the State of Coahuila, and without any opposition from the Carranza garrison. This gives Villa the key to the entire northern, central, and southwestern Mexico, including Saltillo, Monclova, Monterrey and the other important towns. It cuts off Carranza's great source of supplies and revenue, as it is in the heart of the richest agricultural districts in Mexico.

Agents of Villa here say that Villa is moving his troops eastward toward Tampico.

THREAT TO DE LA BARRA.

He Gives Up Mexican Legation in Paris and Will Go to Switzerland.

PARIS, Nov. 13.—Francisco Leon de la Barra, the Mexican Minister to France, who resigned his post when Gen. Carranza assumed the Provisional Presidency of Mexico, has handed over the archives of the Mexican legation to Louis Quintanilla, who has been appointed to succeed him by the acting Government of Mexico.

After Señor de la Barra had transferred the Mexican Legation to Señor Quintanilla, he received a message from Isidro Fabela, Mexican Minister of Foreign Affairs in the Constitutional cabinet, speaking in the name of the de facto Government of the Republic, saying that Señor de la Barra would be held responsible for his immediate compliance in the usurpation of power by Gen. Victoriano Huerta.

To this communication Señor de la Barra replied as follows:

"I have given possession of the archives and the funds of this Legation to Señor Quintanilla. The accusation of which you speak in your message has no importance for me. My conscience is tranquil, and I have the fullest confidence in the opinion of my fellow countrymen. I hope in the near future for justice, peace and concord among good Mexicans under the guidance of true liberty, and that my country will now enjoy happiness after the present era of anarchy and persecution."

Señor de la Barra has taken a residence at Lausanne, Switzerland, but he will spend a good deal of his time in Paris.

DEFENDS BOLTING GENERALS.

Carranza Agent Tells Why They Disavow the Convention.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—The Constitutionalist Agency here received the following telegram today from Gen. Carranza in Cordoba:

"The delegates who attended the convention in Mexico City adjourned its session to Aguascalientes on the request of Villa, with the sincere purpose of establishing harmony in the ranks of the Constitutionalists. Villa, on the contrary, as events have shown, attended with the one end of enlarging his domain of military control and of bringing Zacoatecas and Aguascalientes into his dominion."

"As soon as the convention convened in Aguascalientes the delegates were subject to insults from Villa's soldiers, who occupied the city at night. The sessions of the convention were never freely conducted because the pit galleries were crowded with Villa's soldiers, who constantly threatened the delegates unless they acted according to their wishes."

Under these conditions the greater portion of the military and gubernatorial authorities entitled to representation withdrew the authorization that they had given their representatives to attend the convention. Notwithstanding this fact the convention, backed by bayonets of Villa's soldiers, insisted that these delegates take part in the deliberations of the convention although they had actually withdrawn from it."

The convention never had the authority to accept the resignation of Mr. Carranza because it was never before the convention. Carranza suggested to the convention a means of solving all the personal difficulties by proposing that Villa and Zapata retire and that he would follow their example."

CROWD CHASED REAL LAMBS

Surrendered Before New-Fangled Skirts After 42d St. Gambol.

The sight of a big dray load of lambs in Forty-second Street, between Fifth and Madison Avenue, a little before 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon was enough to attract the interest of those who were just issuing from the numbers eating places that line the way, but when the dray bumped into a wagon, and the tallboard was thrown out, traffic soon began to suffer from congestion.

The lambs saw the opening as soon as the dray and the wagon and the two of them jumped and landed in the street. The driver began to yell the lambs began to fill the air with baa's, and the two that had escaped began to frisk and gambol just as if De Wolf Hopper had happened along with a crook and told them to do it.

Lots of husky citizens, fearful that an oncoming trolley car would get in the way of the lambs, or for other reasons, gave chase. The lambs started in the direction of Broadway, but before they got to Fifth Avenue they caught sight of some of the new-fangled skirts and with helpless bleats they surrendered to their pursuers.

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FEAR FOR AMERICANS HELD IN MEXICO.

NOGALES, Ariz., Nov. 13.—Friends of T. W. Carraway, J. C. Wilson, and J. R. McInerney, Americans arrested a month ago by Mexicans and charged with complicity in destroying railroad bridges, appealed today to the State Department at Washington to safeguard their lives. The three men, after being held in jail a month in Nogales, Sonora, were taken to Hermosillo yesterday under a military guard.

Lorimer Pleads Not Guilty.

CHICAGO, Nov. 13.—Ex-Senator William Lorimer pleaded "not guilty" today to a charge of wrecking the La Salle Street Trust and Savings Bank, of which he was past owner.

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State Commissioner Attacks Methods and Conditions at Bedford Reformatory.

CITES HARSH DISCIPLINE

Investigator Was Imposed Upon, Says Superintendent—Dr. Davis Denies Cruelities in Her Term of Office.

Special to The New York Times.
ALBANY, Nov. 13.—Dr. Rudolph F. Diebling, a member of the State Commission of Prisons, in an official report which he has just made, attacks conditions in the State Reformatory for Women at Bedford Hills, Westchester County. Dr. Diebling criticizes severely the disciplinary measures of the institution. He asserts that the institution is failing to accomplish the purposes for which it was established, and in support of his assertion describes the system of punishment which he found in vogue, the study of which was the chief object of his visit.

"I found one girl, 18 years of age, in one of the cells in Rebecca Hall, she told me she had been placed in a sitting posture on a mattress on the floor with her hands handcuffed behind her back and fastened to the iron-barred door, and her feet, extending along the floor, bound by shackles, and that she was kept in this position continuously for more than two weeks, during which time she was given nothing to eat but bread and water."

"Other girls told me of similar experiences, and assured me that such punishments were not infrequent. The Superintendent, who overheard these complaints, did not attempt to defend this barbarous treatment, but offered as an excuse that she merely continued a system that was in vogue when she assumed charge."

"Of the 400 inmates in the institution on the day I was there (Oct. 23) nearly one-fourth were in what is called Rebecca Hall. I understood from the Superintendent that the girls committed to this building are confined in cells during the greater part of the day and short time each morning."

"The girls were in their cells at 2 P. M. and nearly all of them were in bed. On being questioned by me they claimed it was so cold they could not remain in the cells without being chilled, and therefore they went to bed. Just think—these girls locked up from noon until the next morning! Such disciplinary measures would obviously be unnecessary were the inmates provided with work such as would distract them from the breaches of rules and regulations which are quite naturally entailed by enforced idleness. A reform here is imperatively needed."

"Like 'Medieval Dungeon.'"

"Apart from Rebecca Hall is another building known as the Disciplinary Building, a one-story brick structure used expressly for the purpose of a

jail or lock-up. It contains ten cells, arranged in a solid block, five in a row, back to back, with a corridor on three sides. Each of the cells has an opening on the corridor and these openings are guarded by double doors, the inside one made of iron bars and the outside one of solid wood. No other openings except a small skylight in each cell are provided to admit light or air, and not only the inside doors but also the solid outside ones are usually kept closed while the cells are occupied.

The inmates, therefore, are deprived of a proper supply of air and of all light except that which enters through the small skylight. This is a condition of affairs better suited to one's ideas of a medieval dungeon than to a disciplinary building in a modern reformatory for women in the great State of New York.

Absolutely the only furniture ever allowed in these cells is a mattress slipped in at night and taken out in the morning, as not even a chair is allowed, the inmates being obliged to stand, sit or lie on the bare floor during the greater part of the time."

Miss Davis denies the cruelty.

A copy of Dr. Diebling's report was shown yesterday to Miss Katharine B. Davis, who was Superintendent of the Bedford Reformatory for thirteen years before becoming Commissioner of Correction ten months ago. In so far as it reflected upon her management of the reformatory, she denied its accuracy.

Referring to Dr. Diebling's statement that the present Superintendent of the reformatory, Miss Mary Rebecca Moore, did not attempt to defend this barbarous treatment, but offered as an excuse that she merely continued a system that was in vogue when she assumed charge, Dr. Diebling said:

"In the thirteen years that I was Superintendent of the reformatory, I have never known of any girl being punished in the manner described in the report. What has happened in the last ten months I do not know, but if the punishment system was followed there has been no cruelty during that period of time."

Continuing to discuss the report, Miss Davis said:

"Rebecca Hall is an antiquated building, and should be replaced. The report, however, also notes that it should be, but it is a better building than the confinement house of the Federal District Court before Judge Rudkin of having taken fees from sailors for finding them berths. Three sailors testified that McNamara had charged them \$2 each for getting them to a sailing ship bound for Australia."

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thing as a bread and water diet in the reformatory. No matter how incorrigible the girls are we also give them plenty of good food. Some of the girls are deprived of their shoes when put in the Disciplinary Building, and we make noise with them when allowed to wear them. Each girl, though, is supplied with a pair of warm, heavy, woolen stockings."

Miss Moore said that Dr. Diebling had based his report on the untrue statement of the seven worst girls among the 450 in the institution. Also, she said, he declined to visit the institution and question other girls, saying that he wanted to see only Rebecca Hall and the Disciplinary Building, the two most inadequate buildings of the institution.

EATON SENT TO SING SING.

Robber of Women, Shot Trying to Escape, May Serve Long Term.

Herbert J. Eaton, who was shot by detectives in attempting to escape following his arrest for the theft of \$1,500 in jewels from Mrs. Gustave Pike of 648 Riverside Drive, and subsequently pleaded guilty to the theft of \$1,500 in jewels from Marie A. L. Kohn of Sheepshead Bay, was sentenced to Sing Sing yesterday by Judge Mullen in General Sessions for not less than two years or more than nine years and six months.

Eaton made a practice of cultivating the acquaintances of wealthy women and then robbing them. He was indicted for both the Pike and Kohn robberies, but Mrs. Pike was ill in a Connecticut sanatorium and did not come to press her charge. Miss Kohn was in court yesterday and identified the jewels which were taken in Eaton's possession.

Eaton was in the hospital for nearly a month before he was taken to the Tombs for a few days. He was thought he would die from the wounds he got trying to escape.

GAINED BY LOSING JOBS.

Sailors Convicted McNamara, and Fees Exceeded Wages They Gave Up

James J. McNamara, a shipping employment agent, was found guilty yesterday in the Federal District Court before Judge Rudkin of having taken fees from sailors for finding them berths. Three sailors testified that McNamara had charged them \$2 each for getting them to a sailing ship bound for Australia.

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ELECTION MAY SPLIT DEMOCRATIC CLUB

Collector Malone to Run Against John M. Riehle for President.

TAMMANY MEN MAY QUIT

Judge O'Dwyer's Health Precludes Another Term—Club Losing \$1,000 a Month but is Wealthy.

Another stormy chapter may be added to the history of the National Democratic Club, which was founded by Richard Croker, and which occupies a pretentious site on Fifth Avenue in the shadow of St. Patrick's Cathedral.

In the election of officers, which will occur at the annual meeting of the club on the first Tuesday of December, there will be two tickets in the field. One ticket will be headed by Dudley Field Malone, Collector of the Port of New York, a pronounced pro-Wilson and anti-Tammany Democrat, and the other ticket will be headed by John M. Riehle, an insurance broker of 88 William Street, who in all probability will have behind him the Tammany element in the club.

It is expected that there will be developed all the bitterness which marked the meetings of the club last Spring when, on initiative taken by its President, Chief Judge Edward F. O'Dwyer of the City Court, an attempt was made to read Tammany Leader Charles F. Murphy out of the club for non-payment of dues.

Mr. Riehle entered the race against Collector Malone only after Thomas F. Smith, Secretary of Tammany Hall, and a member of the Board of Governors of the club, had declined to become a candidate for President. Until a few days ago it was understood that Chief Judge O'Dwyer, who had been confined to his home by illness for many weeks, would be a candidate to succeed himself. There was a strong element in the club which did not favor his reelection for many reasons. They asked Mr. Smith to enter the race against him, and Mr. Smith replied that even though he felt he would prevail in the fight he could see no glory in defeating a sick man and strongly

urged united support for the re-election of Judge O'Dwyer.

At a meeting of the Governors, which was held last Tuesday, Judge O'Dwyer put in an appearance for the first time since his illness and said that his physician had absolutely prohibited him from accepting a nomination as President of the club or any other place on the ticket.

Under the constitution of the club, the President names the Nominating Committee. Ex-Tax Commissioner Thomas L. Feltner, who had stood with Judge O'Dwyer throughout the anti-Murphy fight, was named as the head of a Nominating Committee composed entirely of Judge O'Dwyer's friends. The committee has not as yet made its nominations, but under the constitution will be compelled to post the names of its candidates on the bulletin board at the clubhouse not later than Monday. Mr. Malone has declared his willingness to run for President and his friends expect him to win.

Since the fight on Mr. Murphy was started, the club, which was composed very largely of Tammany men, who joined it in the Croker days, has been run at a loss of from \$1,000 to \$1,200 a month. It is said, it is rarely that more than a couple of hundred can be mustered in the spacious and elaborately furnished clubhouse any night.

Judge O'Dwyer, when he assumed the Presidency, did so with the pledge that he would add 1,000 to the membership of the club. There have been only twenty-two new members elected since he took hold, including Mr. Malone, Fire Commissioner Robert Adamson, and Stuart C. Gibbons. There have been many resignations and a number of the Tammany members are said to be awaiting only the word of Tammany leader Murphy to quit the club in a body and form a new social organization with an atmosphere more congenial.

The total membership now is about 700. The club is wealthy and the equity in its Fifth Avenue property is unusually large for an organization of its kind. Recently the club had an offer of \$500,000 for its property. The mortgage against it is only \$125,000.

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WOMEN TEACHERS
MISS STRACHAN

District Superintendent, Criticizing the Teacher-Mothers, Arouses Storm at Meeting.

MISS RODMAN SUSPENDED

But Both She and Mrs. Wagner Will Present Themselves for Duty at Schools on Monday.

Miss Grace Strachan, District Superintendent of Schools in Brooklyn, who endeavored herself to the women teachers of the city by the effecting the passage by the Legislature several years ago of the Equal Pay bill, was jeered at and hissed last night by a group of 400 or more of these women teachers and their supporters who assembled in the auditorium of the Washington Irving High School to hear a discussion of the teacher-mother question.

Disapproval of Miss Strachan's expressed views was so pronounced that the Chairman, Prof. Howard Woolston of the College of the City of New York, formally apologized to the attitude of the teacher-mother. Miss Strachan, however, was not perturbed. She thanked the Chairman for his introduction and then replied:

"I expected a hostile demonstration and came prepared for it."

The meeting had been called at the instigation of the League for the Education of Women, and was generally known that both sides of the question raised by the dismissal by the Board of Education of teacher-mothers would be heard. There were thirteen speakers on the platform, including Miss Strachan, and a number of them, all speaking against the action of the Board of Education in dismissing teacher-mothers, had been heard before Miss Strachan's turn came. When she took the platform she scanned the audience critically and commented on the fact that it was the first time in her life when she must address an unfriendly reception from teachers.

Referring to the charges preferred against Mrs. Wagner, who was suspended from her position as a teacher in the State Island teacher, whose suspension was ordered several days ago because of her refusal to sign a statement, Miss Strachan said that she would have voted with the majority in the Board of Education for her suspension if she had been a member of the board. Immediately the hissing began. Her own observation of the hissing was an experience of many years and the study of the 1,000 teachers and the 34,000 children directly under her supervision, she said, gave her reason for believing that the Board of Education was right.

"And if the women of the city were to vote on the question," said Miss Strachan, "I am sure they would stand by the Board of Education."

No, no, no! came from all parts of the auditorium.

Children's Welfare First.

The welfare of the 700,000 children in the public schools, Miss Strachan argued, and not the welfare of a handful of teacher-mothers, was to be considered first in the teacher-mother controversy. The city, she said, "hired" women to teach, and expected efficient service from them.

Miss Strachan stopped at this point and her next sentence gave rise to the most pronounced hissing of the evening. She warned her words carefully as she said:

"Women teachers, as well as other teachers, contract with the city to teach, and it is a part of the contract to maintain good order in the classroom. The faithful performance of duty, to understand the curriculum, to know the child, and to be an efficient teacher, is an immoral thing."

Immoral, in moral, was echoed all over the room, and the hubbub of disapproval. In a moment Miss Strachan went on:

"I believe it is immoral," she said, "because a teacher is pretending to be a mother."

Miss Strachan regretted the notoriety given to the few teachers who had been dismissed after giving birth to children. There was no need to mention the names of the teachers, she said, and she maintained that the board of education was right.

The board of education was right, she said, and she would have voted with the majority in the Board of Education for her suspension if she had been a member of the board.

There was one member of the Board of Education on the platform who was not with Miss Strachan, and at other times was at odds with the Brooklyn Superintendent.

Dr. H. S. Wile, another member of the board, in a vigorous speech at the meeting, declared that the board of education was right in suspending teacher-mothers.

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TEACHER-MOTHERS' ALLY.

Mrs. Hale. Congratulates Mayor Mitchell on His Policy.

Mayor Mitchell gave out yesterday a copy of a letter he received from Mrs. Hale, congratulating him on his policy in the case of the teacher-mothers. The letter, which was signed by Mrs. Hale, was a deep appreciation of the Mayor's letter to President Churchill of the Board of Education in regard to the teacher-mother question.

"Any educational system which tends to create a large class of teachers, who are not only inefficient but who are also untrained, is bound to fail. The profession of teaching is one in which women are especially needed. It will always remain a woman's profession and women will always bear children. No woman who has borne a child can be a teacher. It is a natural law of nature which cannot be changed by the present board, can readily be reconciled by the use of a little common sense, and has been done in France, where teachers not only receive leave of absence for maternity but are also paid for the same."

The present policy of the Board of Education creates a feeling of deep resentment among the teachers and their friends, for it not only penalizes maternity and removes many of the finest teachers from the schools, but it also indicates an autocratic attempt to regulate the private lives of citizens by the use of public power. To grant leave of absence for illness, but not for childbirth, is a discrimination which is a negation of humanitarianism, but a negation of democracy."

MISS HELEN RICH'S WEDDING.

Attendants for Her Marriage to F. B. Patterson on New Year's Day.

The wedding of Miss Helen Blagden Rich, the daughter of Mrs. Frank L. Stratton, and Frederick Beck Patterson, son of the late Frederick Beck Patterson, was celebrated at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Frank L. Stratton, at 100 West 11th Street, on Saturday afternoon, Nov. 13, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Dr. J. C. Gorman, of the Episcopal Church, St. George's Church, Stuyvesant Square. The bride was attended by her mother, Mrs. Frank L. Stratton, and her sister, Mrs. J. C. Gorman. The groom was attended by his mother, Mrs. Frederick Beck Patterson, and his sister, Mrs. J. C. Gorman. The wedding party consisted of the bride, the groom, the bridesmaids, the groomsmen, the best man, the maid of honor, the ring bearer, the flower girl, and the ushers.

MacIntosh-Delamater Wedding.

The wedding of Miss Adelaide Delamater, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Morris Delamater, of 290 West Seventy-second Street, and John MacIntosh, son of Mr. and Mrs. John MacIntosh, of 100 West 11th Street, was celebrated at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Victor Morris Delamater, on Saturday afternoon, Nov. 13, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Dr. J. C. Gorman, of the Episcopal Church, St. George's Church, Stuyvesant Square. The bride was attended by her mother, Mrs. Victor Morris Delamater, and her sister, Mrs. J. C. Gorman. The groom was attended by his mother, Mrs. John MacIntosh, and his sister, Mrs. J. C. Gorman. The wedding party consisted of the bride, the groom, the bridesmaids, the groomsmen, the best man, the maid of honor, the ring bearer, the flower girl, and the ushers.

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BUTLER-BRIDGE.

Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell Evans Butler of 100 West 11th Street, South Orange, N. J., announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Vera Butler, to Mr. Roy Bridge, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bridge, of 100 West 11th Street, South Orange, N. J. No date has been set for the wedding.

Miss Kent to Wed J. F. Kibbourn.

The engagement of Miss Clara Kent, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Kent, of Brooklyn, and Jonathan F. Kibbourn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan F. Kibbourn, of Brooklyn, was announced. Mr. Kibbourn is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Kibbourn of Yale, class of '11.

SOCIAL NOTES.

Mrs. James Bliss Townsend will give a reception on Saturday afternoon, Dec. 1, at her residence, 200 Lexington Avenue, New York City. The guests will include Mrs. Bliss, Mrs. Townsend, and their families.

Mrs. Josephine B. Wells will make her debut at the Metropolitan Opera House on Monday, Dec. 21, at her home, 623 West 11th Street, New York City. The guests will include Mrs. Wells, Mrs. Wells, and their families.

Mrs. J. Rich Steers is to entertain at Fairport, her country home at Port Chester, N. Y., tonight with a dance. The guests will include Mrs. Steers, Mrs. Steers, and their families.

Mrs. Margaret W. Jones of Philadelphia. Miss Clementine Garrison Rees and her niece, Miss Virginia R. Scully, who were in Europe when they were married, and remained there until recently, have arrived in New York and taken up their abode at 100 West 11th Street for the winter.

Mrs. John E. Alexander will give a dinner on Monday, Dec. 1, at her home, 100 West 11th Street, New York City. The guests will include Mrs. Alexander, Mrs. Alexander, and their families.

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Mrs. William G. Wilcox, while married to the view of the new building, was suspended from duty. She was suspended from duty because of her refusal to sign a statement.

Mrs. Rodman in private life is Mrs. Henrietta Rodman, and she is so called in the Board of Education. She is a teacher in the Washington Irving High School, and has been suspended from duty. She has shown particular activity in the case of Mrs. Wagner.

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Marie Lohr, Irene Vanbrugh, and Godfrey Tearle to be Seen in Chicago First.

Charles Frohman will leave for Chicago this morning to arrange what he says are the most novel plans of his career. Mr. Frohman goes West to see if he cannot carry out in Chicago the Spring and Summer theatrical schedule which he had originally intended for London, and which was when the war put England indefinitely off the theatrical map.

Mr. Frohman's Duke of York's Theatre in London is now closed except for matinee performances. A number of English actors and actresses under long-term Frohman contracts are still on his hands. Some of these plays and even more who are engaged to play in New York, but the bulk of the intended London season will have to be made up of new material.

For one thing, the Chicago season cannot be so well transferred to New York as to Chicago. Mr. Frohman has his extra outlet during the coming Spring and Summer, just after the war, and he is not sure that the last two years London has been his field for extra theatrical operations.

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THE NEW YORK SYMPHONY.

Harold Bauer's Notable Performance of Brahms's First Concerto.

What gave the concert of the New York Symphony Orchestra yesterday afternoon at the Academy of Music distinction was the performance by Harold Bauer of Brahms's first piano concerto, Op. 15, in D minor. Not that any comparisons are necessary between this and Weber's "Oberon" overture and Mozart's C major symphony, but these we have, perhaps, at least, always with him only upon rare occasions do we have the concerto, and only by an unusual and happy conjunction of favorable circumstances so magnificent a performance of it.

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COTTON EXCHANGE

TO OPEN MONDAY

Announcement Yesterday by Board of Governors Greeted with Enthusiasm by Brokers.

TRADING SUSPENDED JULY 31

As Soon as Possible Trading Will Be According to New Standards Under Cotton Futures Law.

The New York Cotton Exchange will reopen for unrestricted dealings next Monday. At the same time the New Orleans Board will reopen, and as the Liverpool Exchange has been in operation for several days, next week will see the three primary future markets of the world in action for the first time since the local board was closed on July 31.

The Board of Governors held a long meeting yesterday morning, a part of the time being devoted to a discussion of the meeting at Washington on Thursday between officers of the Department of Agriculture and cotton men. When word was received that the Governors had agreed to the proposed new standards in large numbers on the floor, and when the formal announcement of the reopening came, the cotton market broke forth.

In a more detailed notice later in the day the Governors requested that trading in old-style contracts be confined to the period of the reopening. In the new contracts, the cotton market is expected that considerable leeway will be given brokers during the early stages of business.

The Governors Board desires that until further notice trading on calls be in the open market, and that the November and December option, in new and old style for January to May delivery, and in the later contracts, later positions. All trades except on the calls will be, as far as possible, in the open market, unless otherwise specifically stated.

The syndicate of banks which has arranged to advance \$1,000,000 to carry something like 200,000 bales of cotton comprised in contracts outstanding in the Exchange closed, until they are liquidated, will begin its operations as soon as the Exchange opens.

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NATION'S GREAT GROWTH.

Foreign and Domestic Bureau Issues Report for Period of 1800 to 1914.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—The enormous growth of the United States during the last half century was shown in a report issued today by the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce. While the report is for the period 1800-1914, the measure statistics for the first half of the century makes them comparatively unimportant.

The report points out that since 1850 the population of the country has more than quadrupled, being now more than 100,000,000, the report says:

"In the same period, however, foreign commerce has grown from \$318,000,000 to \$2,438,000,000, and the per capita value of exports from \$16.98 to \$23.27. National wealth has increased from \$7,000,000,000 in 1870 to approximately \$140,000,000,000; money in circulation, from \$720,000,000 to \$3,419,000,000, and New York bank clearings from approximately \$1,000,000,000 to \$1,000,000,000, while for the entire country bank clearings have grown from \$3,000,000,000 to \$1,000,000,000, for which figures are available, to \$174,000,000,000 in 1913.

"The improved social conditions among the people are also found in the statistical record. In 1870 there were 1,000,000 children and over 100,000 students in public schools and about 200,000 students in colleges and other higher institutions of learning, and the total expenditures on behalf of education approximately \$100,000,000. There has been a rapid increase in general intelligence and a marked decrease in illiteracy.

"Over 22,000 newspapers and periodicals are published and the report shows that the number of libraries in the country is 1,000,000. In 1850 depositors in savings banks numbered 1,000,000, and the number of those in other savings institutions, exclusive of those in other savings institutions, numbered 1,000,000, or more than one hundred times as much as at the middle of the last century.

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IMPORTS DROP A LITTLE.

Some of the More Notable Items for Week Ended Nov. 7.

Imports of general merchandise here in the week ended Nov. 7 show a falling off compared with the previous week. They amounted to \$12,992,428, compared with \$14,153,024 the week before and \$12,948,810 in the week before that. Imports of aniline colors during the week had a value of \$42,384, or a total for the last three weeks of \$93,922. Dye-stuffs were valued at \$9,084, while dyedwood extract entries were appraised at \$104,612. Indigo brought in was worth \$8,280.

Included in the Custom House report are \$202,807 worth of precious stones, jewelry, and watches, while coffee entered at \$1,066,741. Imports of fresh beef, mutton, and lamb, were valued at \$5,122,800 pounds, valued at \$544,897. Imports of leather, hides, and fowlings were appraised at \$724,591. Wool imports totaled 2,571 bales, worth \$215,635. Fur imports were returned at \$170,443.

India rubber, manufactures, substitutes and other goods valued at \$1,009,853. Imports of dry goods for consumption totaled \$1,877,497, silk entries being appraised at \$375,755. The week before and at \$245,232 in the same week last year. Withdrawals of dry goods from bonded warehouses last week amounted to \$1,575,755, while at \$1,188,049. Withdrawals had a value of \$1,188,049. The week before and at \$1,188,049. The week before and at \$1,188,049.

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COTTON TARIFF AGAIN CUT.

Another Decision by the Appraisers on Jacquard Goods.

Another customs case involving the Jacquard section of the Tariff act of 1913 was decided yesterday when the Board of General Appraisers sustained a protest by H. Bauer. The merchandise covered by the protest is cotton table damask and cotton damask table cloth, valued at \$1,000,000. The Board of General Appraisers sustained a protest by H. Bauer. The merchandise covered by the protest is cotton table damask and cotton damask table cloth, valued at \$1,000,000.

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MATANAZES NOT YET IN.

Boat Carrying Dyestuffs Is Expected to Show Up Today.

The elusive steamship Matanzas, laden with a cargo of dyestuffs consigned to color firms in this city, again disappointed the expectant merchants yesterday by failing to arrive. The vessel was due on Monday and, every day since, anxious inquiries have been received at the office of C. H. Ruhl, the consignee. The day after yesterday, Mr. Ruhl telephoned to the customs office, but to all the same answer was given that nothing had been heard from the ship since she left Rotterdam Oct. 30.

Mr. Ruhl, himself, seemed to think the Matanzas would get in this morning. In order that a steady supply of dyestuffs and other German products may be assured, the day after yesterday, Mr. Ruhl telephoned to the customs office, but to all the same answer was given that nothing had been heard from the ship since she left Rotterdam Oct. 30.

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SALES AT AUCTION.

Several Held Yesterday Were Marked by Good Attendance.

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THE REAL ESTATE FIELD

Louis Rosenblum to Hy. Heide, 19th St. Nov. 13, 8 years, 5½ p. c. 1905; Amend & A., 119 Nassau St. \$7.00. C. # 250 file of 2d Av. 37.6x23.1

BROOKLYN—FOR SALE OR TO LET.
PETER J. COLLINS' NEW

Of chief interest in the realty market yesterday was the purchase by Edward W. Browning of the four-story

Street, covering a plot 25 by 102.3, between Central Park West and Columbus Avenue. The property was acquired from Lucius M. Stanton, who is one of the veteran west side residents, and had occupied the house for the last twenty-five years. LeRoy Coveney was the broker in the transaction.

Mr. Browning has been an active buyer and operator in the Seventy-second Street section of the west side, and

Deal On West 25th Street.
An investor has purchased from the estate of Henry V. Mead, 342 W. Twenty-ninth Street, a three-story

\$210,000 Bronx Sale.

Another important deal in the Hudson River section of the Bronx, which has been remarkably active this Fall, is being considered general market conditions, was reported yesterday by the Podoloff Realty Company, who sold to an investor the five-story apartment house on the northeast corner of South Broadway and Aldus Street.

The structure was completed about

ing 100 feet on Southern Boulevard and 110 feet on Aldus Street. The site for part of a larger plot, measuring 100 feet on Aldus Street, which the company purchased August, 1912.

In June of last year it disposed of 84 feet on Aldus Street, which it improved with an apartment house. The property sold yesterday was for \$220,000.

\$18,000 For Fifth Avenue Store

The lease was recorded yesterday from Ida L. Frese to James L. Ross.

at 379 Fifth Avenue, 24.6 front, between Thirty-fifth and Thirty-sixth Streets, for \$18,000. The term of lease is twenty years and seven months from Nov. 1, 1914.

A Recent Buyer.

Charlotte Harrison is the buyer of apartment house at the southwest corner of Northern Avenue and 180th Street sold recently by the M. Morgenthau & Company for the Haven Constructive Company. She acquired title, taking property subject to a mortgage of \$9

Bronx Borough.
Kurz & Uren have sold for the Thomas D. Malcolm Construction Company 3, 4 Park Avenue, the six-story, new apartment house, having a frontage on Park Avenue of 62 feet by an average depth of 80 feet.
The M. Morgenthau, Jr., Company has sold for Teresa Wallace the vacant lot on the east side of Washington Avenue, adjoining the southeast corner of East 185th Street and Washington Avenue.

New Jersey.

Morris Friedlander has purchased the Lawyers' Building, on corner of Morris and Academy Streets, Passaic. It occupies a plot 51 by 100, and was held for \$150,000.

The four-story apartment houses with stores at 354 to 358 Springfield Avenue, Newark, have been purchased by Benjamin M. Weinberg for investment.

Branch.
The Corn Exchange Bank has leased space on the ground floor of the Trust Annex, now under construction, 6 to 10 East Forty-third Street, connecting with the main building at 5 and 7 East Forty-second Street, where the ground floor is occupied by the bank's Grand Central Branch. The extra space will be the bank room for ladies' use. There will be an arcade entrance from Forty-second to Forty-third Street.

Business Leases.
Nelson, Lee & Green have leased
Jesse W. Ehrlich, lessee from Kline
Jackson of the property at the south
west corner of Broadway and Ninth
Sixth Street, the store there to Oscar
E. Abbott. Alterations will be made
for a restaurant.
Porter & Co. have leased for Dr.
J. H. Tonjes to Emil Lifshitz the store
located at 306 West 125th Street.
Ernest F. Hafner has leased for M.

Madison Avenue House Leases
The four-story dwelling at 301 Madison Avenue, adjoining the northern corner of Forty-first Street, has been leased by the Douglas Robinson (Charles S. Brown Company for Ida

Real Estate Notes.

A meeting of the Real Estate Owners Protective Association has been called for Monday evening at the Hotel Majestic, Seventy-second Street and Central Park West.

A building loan of \$115,000 has been made by the City Mortgage Company to P. McMorroo Sons for a new building on the south side of 123d Street, 240 feet west of Lenox Avenue, a

RESULTS AT AUCTION.
 AT 14 VESEY ST.
 By Joseph P. Day.
 37th St. 207 and 208 West, n. s. 162.5 ft w of 1st Ave, Amsterdam Av. 62.6x100.8, two five-story flats; adjourned to Nov. 20.
 104th St. 312 East, s. s. 425 ft w of 1st Ave, 25x100 ft., four-story brick tenement; adjourned to Nov. 20.
 By James J. Wells Company.
 Madison Av. 1,885, e. s. 20.11 ft w of 122d St. 20x100, three-story dwelling; Title Guaranty and Trust Co. against E. K. Brown and others; Harold Swain, attorney; John Da

By Henry Brady.
1234 St. 463 to 457, n w corner of Pleasant
Av. 77.11x100.11 four-story frame building
and vacant; United States Trust
trustee, against Pleasant Avenue Realty
and others; Harold Swain, attorney; L
Stedier, referee, etc. \$59,100; taxes, A
\$850; to the City Real Estate Co. for \$
000.

AT 3.206 3D AV.
By Joseph P. Day.
Prospect Av. 2,054, e.s. 126.0 ft n of 11
St. 22.6x150.8 two-story frame dwelling
Tax Lien Co., New York, against J.
Rogers and others; August Weymann, at

THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT
114th St. 24 to 28 West, for a one-story
basement synagogue, 83,493.5; Congrega-
Zot Israel Anchi Poland, (Israel) Le
President, premises, owner; Sommerfeld
Stecker, 31 Union Square, architects; c
\$75,000.

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with name and address of purchaser or attorney. When attorney's name is omitted, address party of the second part.

Manhattan.

CANAL ST., s w corner of Church St. 24 46.8; Harris Mandelbaum and others United States Savings Bank, 606 Madison Av. No. 5, (mtg \$30,000); attorneys, 3 Mill & R., 100 Broadway.

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ASSIGNEE SALES.

Kings County.—In the matter of the general assignment for the benefit of creditors of **ABE FELDMAN**, Assignee, Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Assignee will sell at public auction, through **D. S. Bell**, Auctioneer, on Monday, the 18th day of November, 1914, at 10:30 A. M., at 86 Graham Avenue, Borough of Brooklyn, City, of New York, property and assets of the above estate, consisting of assorted shoes and rubbers, and fixtures.

ARCHIBALD PALMER, Assignee,
320 Broadway, New York City.

SAMUEL N. HABERMAN, Attorney for Assignee, 320 Broadway, New York City.

the assignment of MORRIS J. SYDNEY to WILLIAM HENKEL, Jr., for the benefit of creditors. Notice is hereby given that I will sell at public auction through Daniel Greenwald Auctioneer, the assets of Morris J. Sydney, consisting of watches, jewelry, cut glass, rings, lockets, stick pins, clocks, cutlery, safe, fixtures, &c., on Friday, Nov. 27th, at 10:30 A. M., at 180 E. Broadway.

WILLIAM HENKEL, Jr., Assignee.

MATTHEW HENKEL, Atty., 64 William Street, N. Y. C.

THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—The depression center Thursday evening in Iowa has moved rapidly to the northeast, and is now located by westerly gales in the lake region and southerly gales along the Atlantic Coast from Delaware Breakwater to Eastport.

The second disturbance in Texas has made but little progress to the eastward, and the North Pacific storm has passed inland to Montana.

Rain has fallen in a narrow belt along the northern boundary from the Atlantic to the Pacific and in the Gulf States. It is warmer in the Middle Atlantic States and New England.

Rain is indicated Saturday in the East Gulf and South Atlantic States, and in the upper lake region.

Maximum temperatures will continue in the East and South.

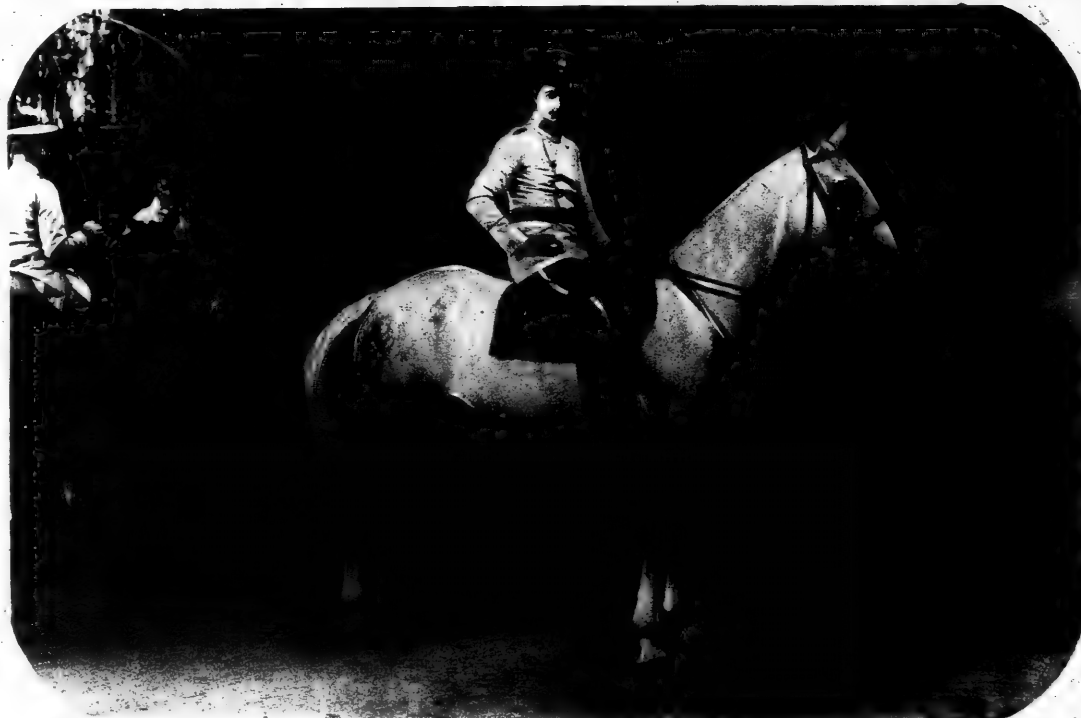
Winds along the North Atlantic Coast will be from the northwest, diminishing to light; Middle Atlantic Coast, fresh west to north; South Atlantic Coast, light, variable.

FORECASTS: TODAY AND SUNDAY.
Eastern New York, New Jersey, New England, and Eastern Pennsylvania, fair, with occasional showers. Sunday, fair.
Western New York, New York, and New Jersey, fair.

The temperature record for the twenty-four hours ended at midnight, taken from the thermometer at the Central Post Office, is as follows: Nov. 13, 1914, 4 P. M., 51; 5 P. M., 50; 6 P. M., 49; 7 P. M., 48; 8 P. M., 47; 9 P. M., 46; 10 P. M., 45; 11 P. M., 44; 12 M., 43; 1 P. M., 42; 2 P. M., 41; 3 P. M., 40; 4 P. M., 39; 5 P. M., 38; 6 P. M., 37; 7 P. M., 36; 8 P. M., 35; 9 P. M., 34; 10 P. M., 33; 11 P. M., 32; 12 M., 31; 1 P. M., 30; 2 P. M., 29; 3 P. M., 28; 4 P. M., 27; 5 P. M., 26; 6 P. M., 25; 7 P. M., 24; 8 P. M., 23; 9 P. M., 22; 10 P. M., 21; 11 P. M., 20; 12 M., 19; 1 P. M., 18; 2 P. M., 17; 3 P. M., 16; 4 P. M., 15; 5 P. M., 14; 6 P. M., 13; 7 P. M., 12; 8 P. M., 11; 9 P. M., 10; 10 P. M., 9; 11 P. M., 8; 12 M., 7; 1 P. M., 6; 2 P. M., 5; 3 P. M., 4; 4 P. M., 3; 5 P. M., 2; 6 P. M., 1; 7 P. M., 0; 8 P. M., -1; 9 P. M., -2; 10 P. M., -3; 11 P. M., -4; 12 M., -5; 1 P. M., -6; 2 P. M., -7; 3 P. M., -8; 4 P. M., -9; 5 P. M., -10; 6 P. M., -11; 7 P. M., -12; 8 P. M., -13; 9 P. 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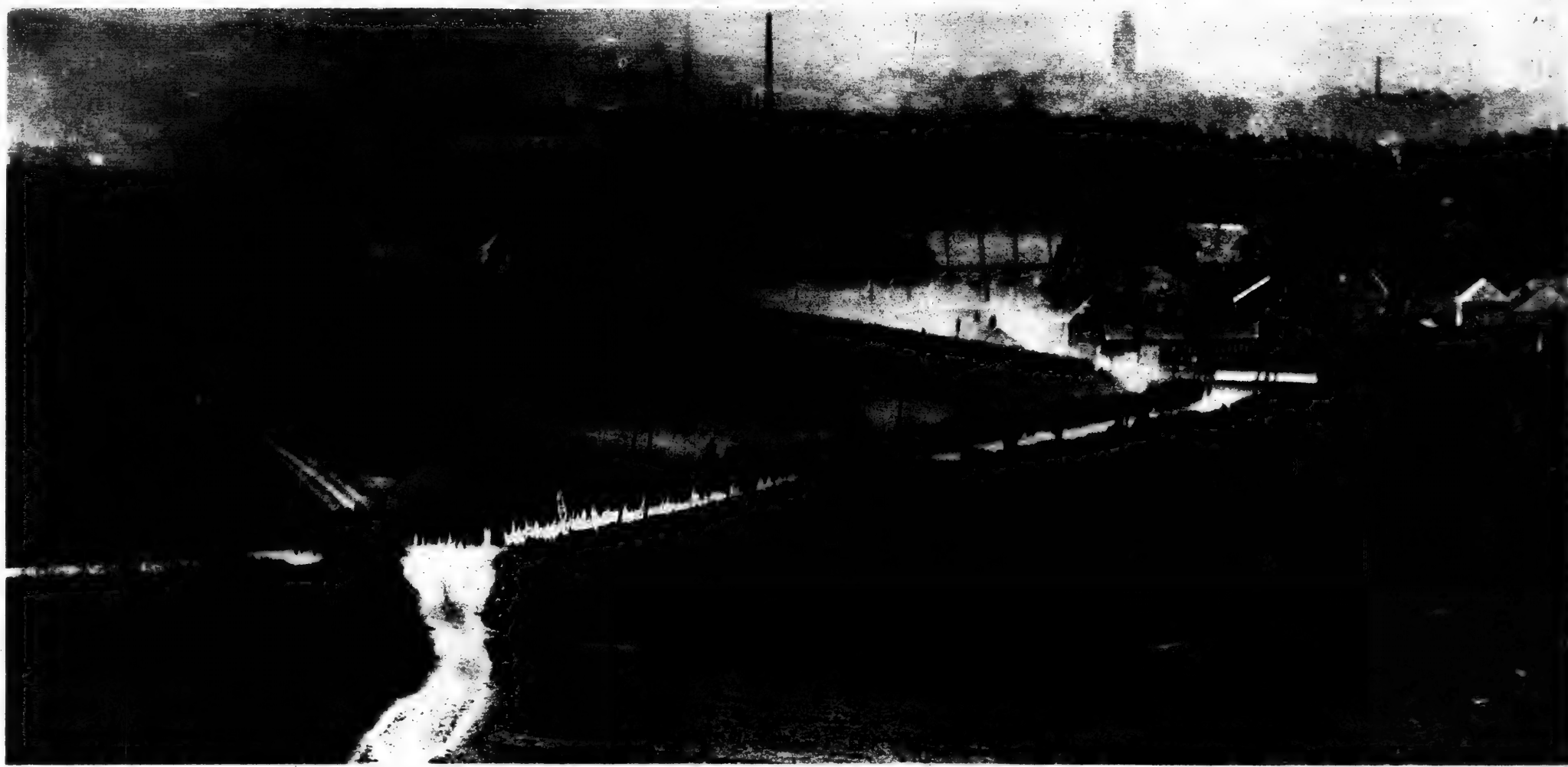
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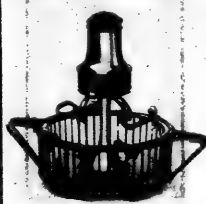
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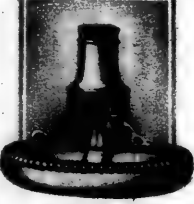
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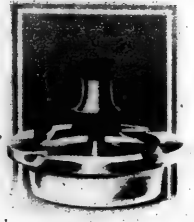
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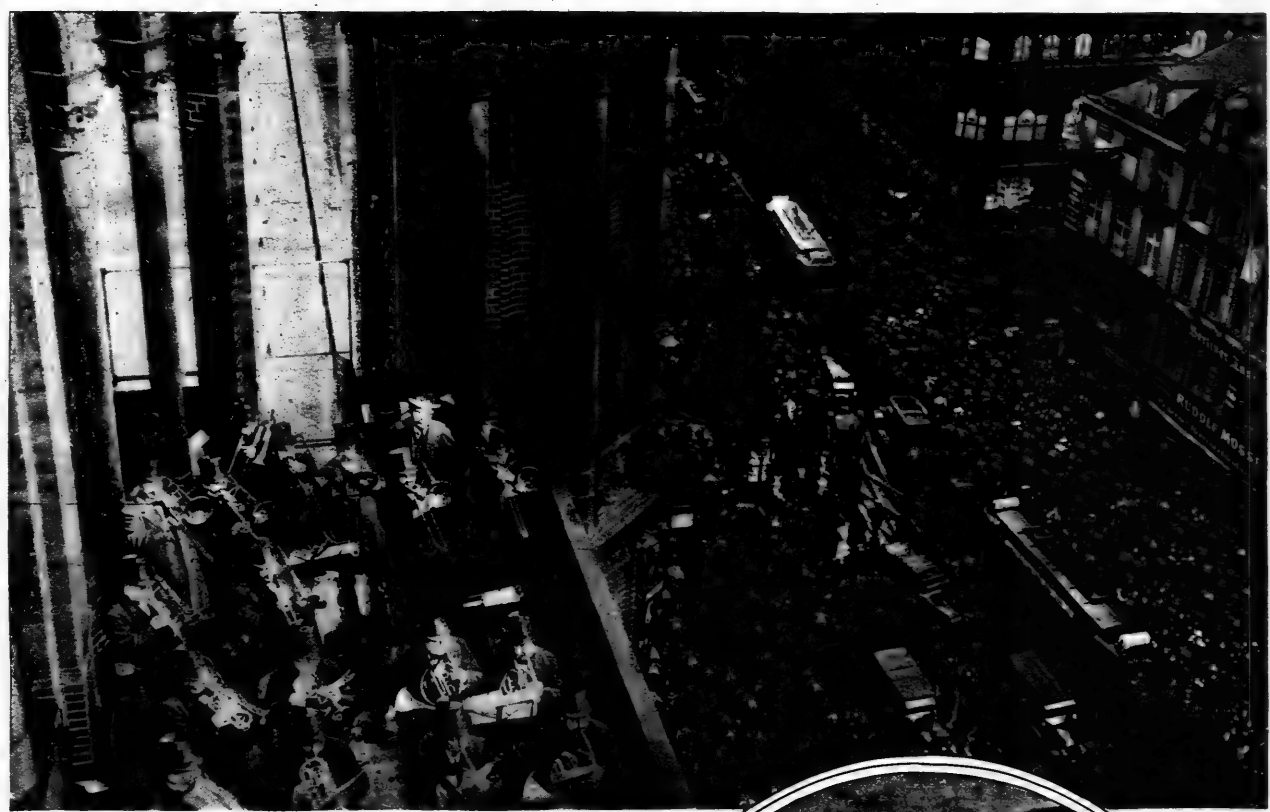
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GERMAN ENGINEERS EXCAVATING A TUNNEL BLOWN UP BY THE BELGIANS ON ONE OF THE MAIN RAILWAYS TO CHECK THE GERMAN ADVANCE.
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FRENCH AND BELGIAN CONVOYS IN THE MARKET SQUARE AT FUMES ON THEIR WAY TO THE FLANDERS BATTLE LINE

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A WOUNDED GERMAN OFFICER IN OSTEND GIVES INSTRUCTIONS TO HIS ORDERLY WHILE WAITING FOR AN AMBULANCE

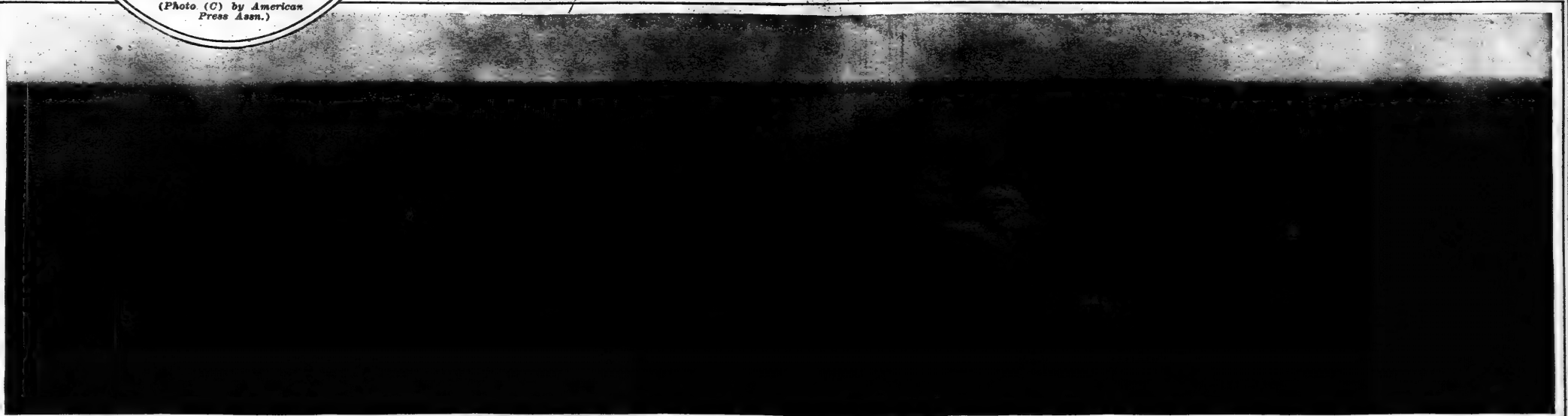
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SIR PERTAB SINGH, An East Indian Chief Who Is Aiding the British Cause With Arms and Men.
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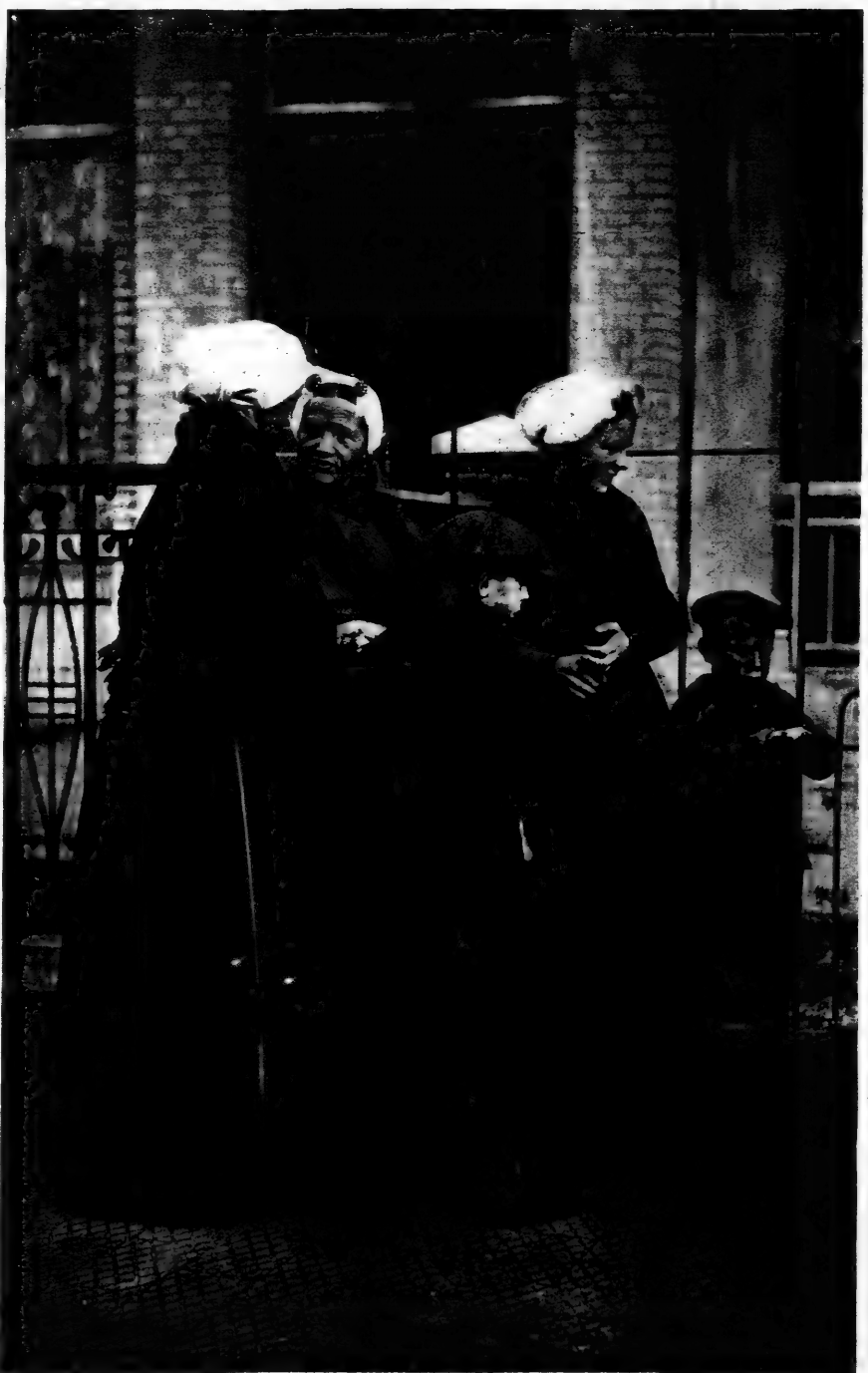
MARINES ON A BRITISH MONITOR IN A FRENCH PORT SUCCESSFULLY REPEL AN AEROPLANE RAID
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A REMARKABLE PHOTOGRAPH TAKEN ON THE FIRING LINE AT ERNECOURT. ONE MAN LIES DEAD, ANOTHER IS BEING TENDED BY A RED CROSS SURGEON AND THE SECOND SOLDIER FROM THE LEFT HAS JUST BEEN HIT



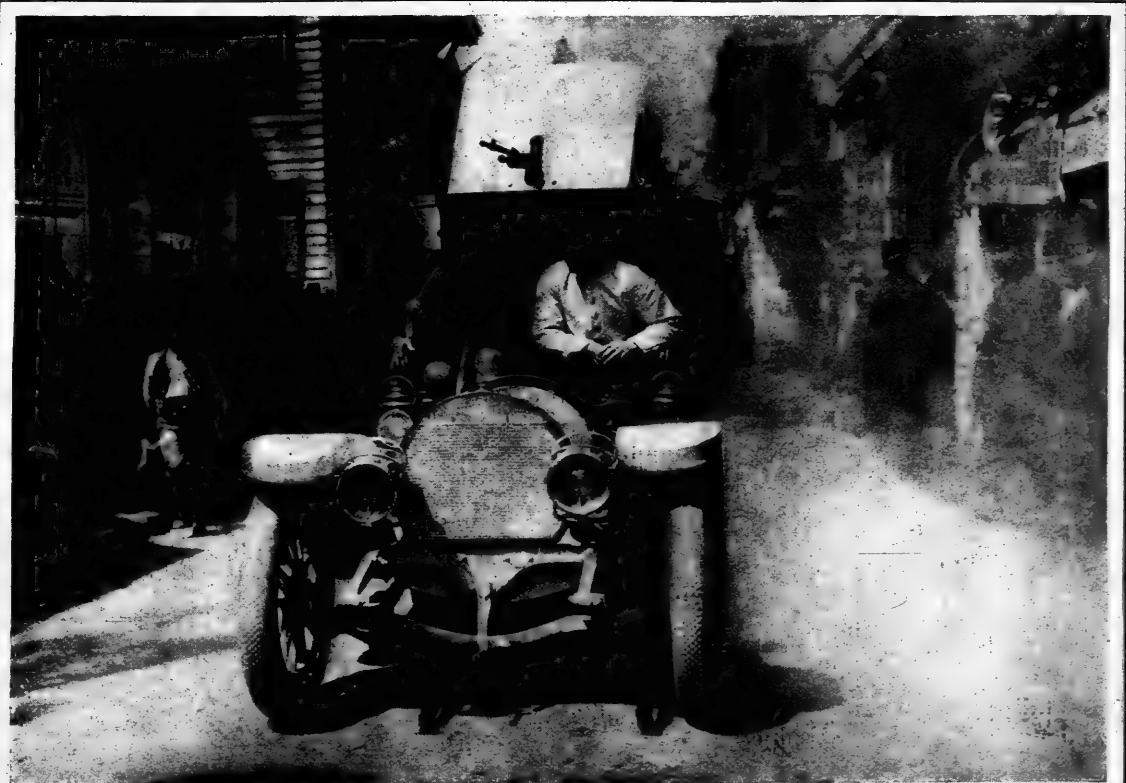
THE BRITISH COMMISSARY DEPARTMENT GETTING TO WORK IMMEDIATELY AFTER DISEMBARKATION.
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WOMEN OF HOLLAND DISCUSSING THE TEMPORARY ADOPTION OF ORPHANED BELGIAN CHILDREN.
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REFUGEES SEARCH FOR THE NAMES OF LOVED ONES THAT HAVE FLED INTO HOLLAND BEFORE THEM.
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THE TURKS ARE USING ARMORED MOTOR CARS SIMILAR IN CHARACTER TO THOSE OF THE ALLIES.
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THE INDIAN REINFORCEMENTS FOR THE BRITISH MARCHING NORTH FROM ORLEANS.



FRENCH MILITARY CYCLISTS EQUIPPED TO REPAIR TELEGRAPH WIRES DESTROYED BY THE ENEMY.

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DESTROYED RAILWAY BRIDGE BETWEEN AMIENS AND ROUEN RECONSTRUCTED TEMPORARILY BY BRITISH ROYAL ENGINEERS.

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A DETACHMENT OF GERMAN INFANTRY AT BERENDRECHT ON THE DUTCH-BELGIAN FRONTIER.

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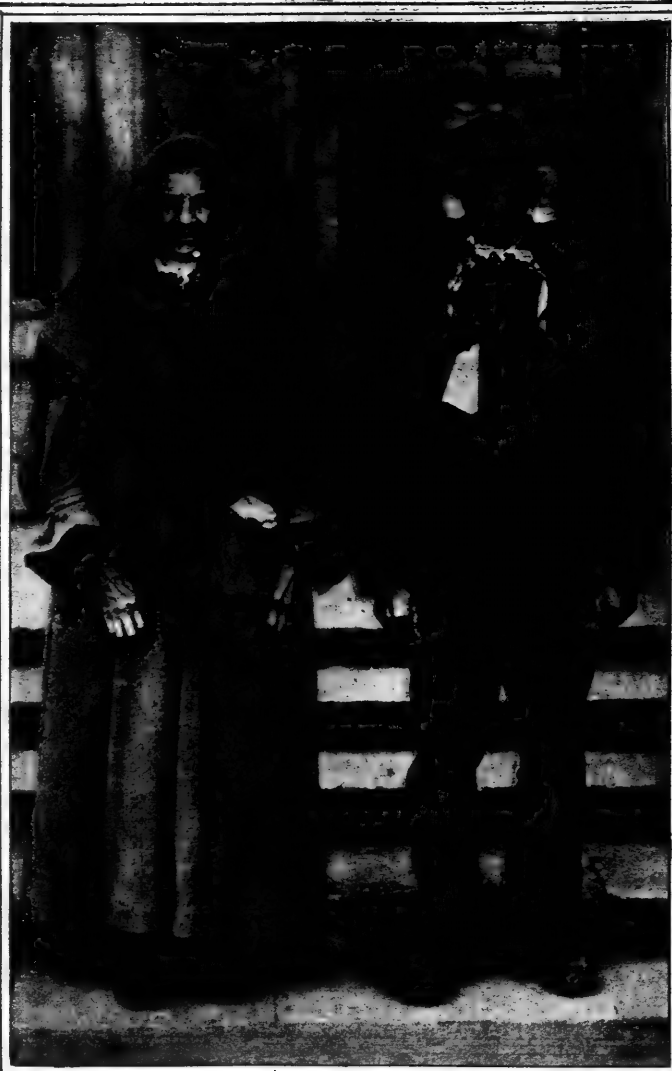


AT FORT ERTBRANDT, BLOWN UP BY THE BELGIANS AT ANTWERP. A Gun Was Blown Across a Canal by the Explosion.



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BELGIANS BRINGING THEIR MACHINE GUNS IN DOG CARTS TO THE NEW BATTLE LINES IN FRANCE

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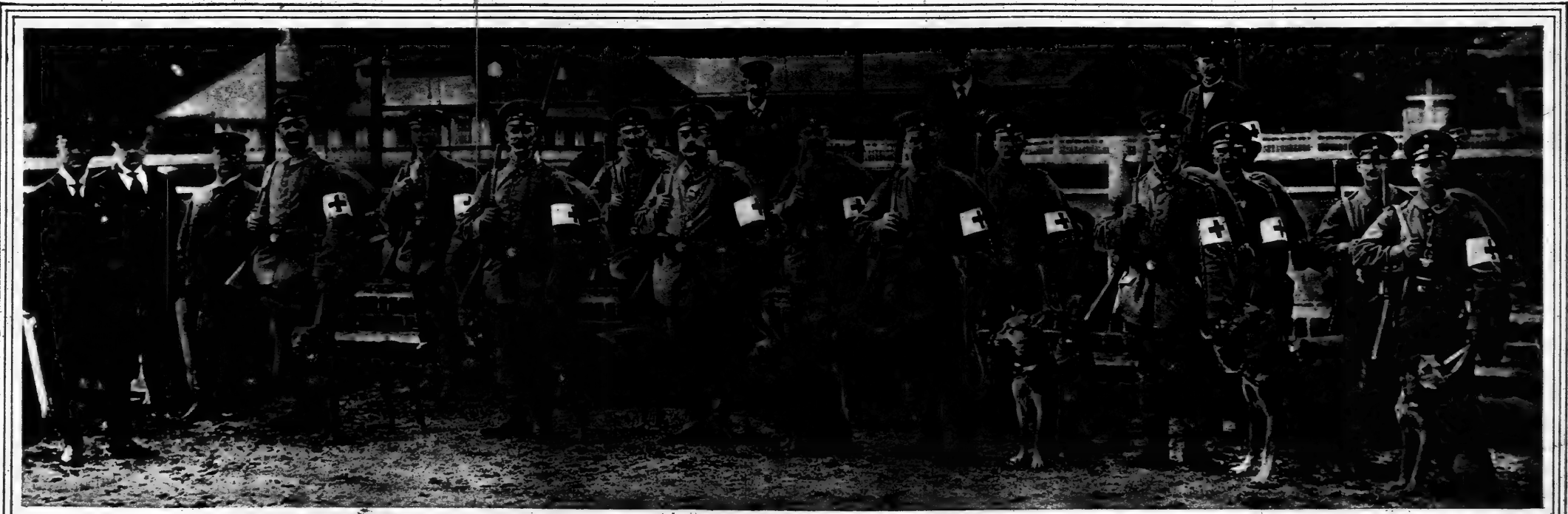
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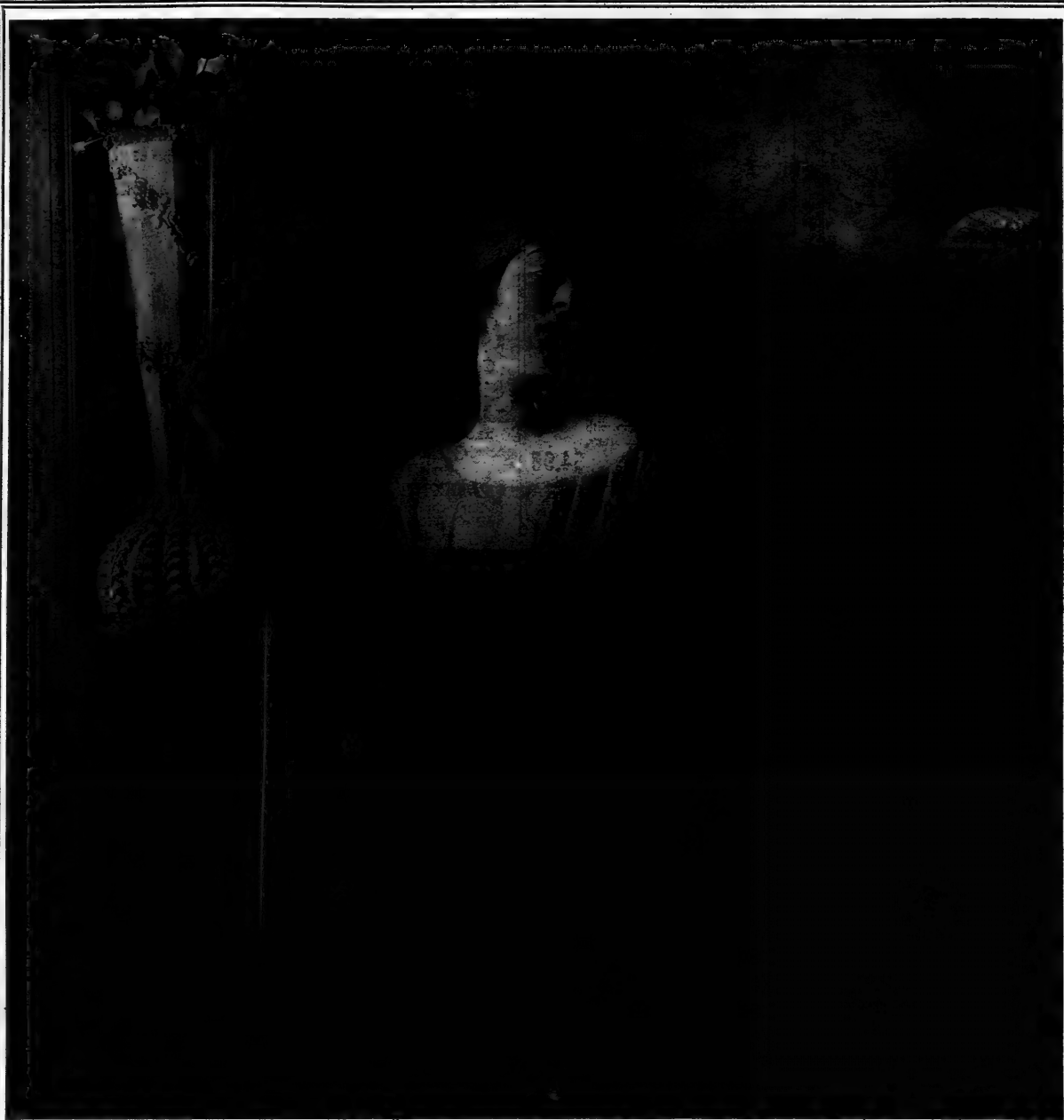
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Germans Said to be Concentrating at Thorn to Flank Cracow Advance.

NOW VERY NEAR THAT CITY

Russians Cross River About 15 Miles Away—Continue Advance in East Prussia.

SOLDAU STILL CONTESTED

Berlin Announces That Servians Are Being Driven Toward Interior of Their Country.

PETROGRAD, Nov. 14.—The General Staff of the Russian Army has given out an official announcement as follows:

In East Prussia we continue to make progress. We have captured five German howitzers near Soldau. In Germany we forced the Germans to retire from Rybin. Between the Vistula and the Warthe we have had encounters with advance detachments of the enemy.

In the direction of Cracow Russian troops have crossed the River Schrenna, (about fifteen miles from Cracow). We have occupied Tarnow in Galicia.

Leaving the defenses of Cracow mainly in the hands of the Austrians and attempting to hold the Russian advance along the Polish frontier only by desultory rear guard action, the Germans, according to the view of the situation held in Petrograd, are today withdrawing their main forces into the interior. The enemy are being sent north to the region between Thorn and the River Warthe. In this territory the Germans, taking advantage of the small numbers of Russian troops, are attempting an energetic advance at the same time that the Russians move forward on both banks of the lower Vistula.

This new grouping of German forces is regarded here as an attempt on the part of the Germans to threaten the Russian advance upon Cracow by a side flanking movement. Military operations in this district is composed mostly of troops thoroughly seasoned in the fighting in Belgium. On the other hand, an officer who has returned to Petrograd from the East Prussian front reiterates the report that the Germans are sending whole companies of infantry forward almost exclusively of very young men into the first battle line.

"One of the saddest features of the fighting that I witnessed," this officer said, "was the sight of these youngsters, some of them 15 and 16 years old, moving forward shoulder to shoulder like automatons and being mowed down by the machine guns of the enemy."

Continuing, this officer said it was apparent to the Russian commanders at the front that the Germans in East Prussia were putting forth all their strength. He described East Prussia and the Russian territory adjoining it on the east as being a scene of fire.

While the Germans are concentrating elsewhere the defense of Cracow is being provided for by two Austrian armies officered by Germans. These two armies are converging from Galicia and the Kielec region in Russian Poland, and their rear guards, according to Russian reports, are being constantly hounded by the advancing Russians.

Successes Reported by Berlin.
BERLIN, Nov. 14. (By Wireless to London).—Military Headquarters today gave out the following official announcement:

The fighting continues in East Prussia, and at Stalupönen we took 500 Russian prisoners. No decision yet has been reached at Soldau. In the district of Vloclawek a Russian army corps has been repulsed, and 1,500 prisoners and twelve machine guns fell into our hands.

BERLIN, Nov. 14. (By Wireless to Sayville, L. I.).—In Galicia, according to official information given out in Berlin today, the Russians continue to advance, and have occupied Tarnow, Jaslo, and Kroeno.

The Austrian campaign against the Servians is proceeding rapidly, the statement continues. "The Servians are retreating from Koscijewa and Valjevo toward the east, evidently not only to avoid the pursuing western army, but also to avoid being cut off by the northern western forces, which are advancing on Valjevo. The Servian headquarters are reported as having been moved hurriedly from Valjevo to Miladenovatz. The Servian losses are said to have been heavy. The number of prisoners of war interned in Austria is over 93,000."

The Ukrainian delegates, (from a portion of Russian Poland), who were sent to Sofia, have now left Bulgaria. They are greatly disappointed in the understanding reached with the Bulgarian Premier, M. Radoslawoff, and the President of both Chambers of the Bulgarian Parliament, providing for the separation of the Ukrainian district from Russia.

"Snow is reported in the Vosges Mountains, and in the Black Forest and the Thuringer Forest. In the latter it is twelve inches deep."

DENY DANGER OF INVASION.
Berlin Press Seeks to Allay Anxiety for Eastern Provinces.

BERLIN, Nov. 14. (via The Hague and London).—The Nord Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung, referring to the situation in the eastern arena of the war, says:

"For some days past the people generally have been discussing the dangerous situation on the frontier of the provinces of East Prussia, Posen, and Silesia. Easing our information on official statements, we can say that only a few of the border regions in East Prussia have been penetrated by Russian detachments on the frontier of the provinces of East Prussia, Posen, and Silesia. There is no reason to fear for East Prussia, and the provinces of Posen and Silesia are entirely out of the danger zone."

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assurances that there is not the slightest danger, and even intimating that Gen. von Hindenburg soon will turn the tables on the Russians.

AUSTRIAN CITY STORES FOOD.

Some Alarm Felt in Trent—Embassy Denies Vienna is Suffering.

VENICE, (via Paris) Nov. 14.—Food is reported as becoming very scarce and dear in Trent, the chief Austrian city in the Italian Tyrol. Flour already costs 35 per cent. more than it does in Vienna.

The Trent Communal Council, which is greatly concerned over the outlook, has expended \$60,000 in buying supplies of grain, flour, and potatoes, and has appropriated another \$100,000 so as to stock the communal storehouse with food sufficient to last until the end of April.

The military bands at Trent are practicing the Turkish national tune in preparation for a large public demonstration to be held for the purpose of applauding Turkey's action in entering the war on the side of Austria and Germany.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 14.—The Austrian Minister for Foreign Affairs today communicated to the Austrian Embassy, by wireless via Berlin, a denial that famine conditions exist in Vienna. His dispatch said:

"Contrary to reports divulged in America that a dreadful famine prevails in Vienna, communications published by Vienna Burgomaster concerning economic situation state that business situation is satisfactory. Provisions perfectly sufficient. Extraordinary want of employment not observable. Sanitary conditions entirely satisfactory. Our offensive action in Serbia is favorably progressing. Nothing important yesterday in northeastern theatre of war. Total number of Russian captives arrested in monarchy, 93,000."

RUSSIANS SEEK LOAN HERE

Preliminary to Transferring Trade from Germany to U.S.

PETROGRAD, Oct. 27.—It is reported on good authority in Petrograd that definite steps have been taken toward placing a loan in the United States. This project is regarded here as of particular significance because it is the outgrowth of an agitation for new trade relations with the United States.

If the United States is to offer herself as a candidate for the Russian loan, which Germany has lost, as is hoped by Russian merchants, it is agreed by Russian officials that she will have to adjust herself to the Russian system of six months' credit, accompanied by the placing of a foreign loan in the United States. The interest on and payment of bills to American merchants and manufacturers is to be guaranteed by the Russian Government.

It was said in the financial district yesterday that no definite Russian loan has been taken in regard to a Russian loan. It has been reported from time to time, since the intimation from Washington that the Russian Government was planning to advance to Russia, but such rumors have been regarded as mere speculation. It is said that the Russian Government has been unable to secure a loan from the United States.

RUSSIANS BUY LAST LIQUOR.

Prohibition Becomes Absolute on Monday on Wine and Beer.

PETROGRAD, (via London), Nov. 14.—Thousands of men, women, and children stood today at 4 o'clock this morning in a driving snowstorm before the doors of the liquor shops on this last day in which it is possible to purchase light wine and beer, under the prohibition act of the Russian Government, which on Monday becomes absolute. Applicants for final supply of beverages came with baskets, sacks, carts, and wheelbarrows, many having pawned their last belongings to procure means to purchase.

This final prohibition act is the last of the Russian liquor reforms, the first curtailing the sale of vodka and the second prohibiting the sale of wine and beer. The third measure extends the prohibition to every form of alcoholic drink in all portions of the empire under martial law. Cities included under the prohibition are Odessa, Riga, Warsaw, Moscow, Kiev, and many other cities of Western Russia. Virtually all cities of Western Russia.

CZAR TO AID CATHOLICS.

Funds Will Be Given to Rebuild Ruined Churches.

LONDON, Nov. 14.—A Petrograd dispatch to Reuters' Telegram Company says:

"The Russian Emperor, who today (Saturday) visited Ivanigorod, announced his intention to grant the necessary funds for the reconstruction of the Catholic churches in villages around the city which were destroyed by German aircraft. He also ordered that pecuniary aid be given to the people who have suffered by the temporary occupation of the country by the German troops."

TAKE TROOPS FROM FINLAND.

Russians Apparently Have Ceased to Fear a Swedish Invasion.

LONDON, Nov. 14.—A Copenhagen dispatch to The Star says:

"News from Helsinki, Finland, states that the Russians have withdrawn troops from the east and west of Finland to join the main Russian Army, indicating that in fear of a possible Russian invasion of Finland has vanished. This withdrawal of the military strength from Finland has made a good impression in Sweden."

AIR RAID ON ANTIVARI.

Bomb Damages Residence of Montenegrin Crown Prince.

LONDON, Nov. 14.—Two Austrian aeroplanes today dropped five bombs on Antivari, Montenegro, according to a Cetinje dispatch to Reuters' Telegram Company. One exploded in front of the residence of the Crown Prince, breaking the windows.

The Austrians, adds the dispatch, attacked the city in fear of a possible Russian invasion of Montenegro, but were repulsed with considerable loss.

RUSSIANS ROUT KURDS.

Cavalry Fight in Armenia—Turks Continue to Report Victories.

PETROGRAD, Nov. 14.—An official communication issued from the Caucasus army headquarters says:

"There has been nothing new during the day of Nov. 13. On Nov. 12 a number of detachments of Kurdish cavalry made their appearance south of Kara Kilissa and Alashkerd and came into collision with our cavalry."

Overwhelmed by the force of our horsemen the Kurds were routed. Another statement issued by the General Staff of the Russian army in the Caucasus says:

"The fighting in the region around Koprucki continues. There have been no engagements on the frontier of the provinces of East Prussia, Posen, and Silesia. Easing our information on official statements, we can say that only a few of the border regions in East Prussia have been penetrated by Russian detachments on the frontier of the provinces of East Prussia, Posen, and Silesia. There is no reason to fear for East Prussia, and the provinces of Posen and Silesia are entirely out of the danger zone."

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The German attacks near Ypres and La Bassee show a continuation of their efforts to find some weak spot in the Allied defenses. When their attacks have led the Allies to rush troops to one threatened point, the Germans make a rapid shift of forces to some other part of the line and plunge forward there in the hope of catching the Allies napping.

It is in this sort of fighting that the aeroplane service has accomplished the greatest changes in the art of war. Heretofore the commander in chief has had little chance of detecting such a move on the part of the enemy until the attacking troops had already come in contact with his advanced line. In the present war, however, the air scouts soon discover any movement of large bodies of troops. Consequently the defenders have a sufficient notice of coming attacks to shift their troops to the point of danger. Even where the new troops do not arrive in time to save the first line, they come against the enemy further to the rear, where his attack has partly spent its force and either check his troops on the ground, or drive them back by the way they have come.

The suspension of ordinary traffic on the German railroads means a new concentration of troops, but it cannot yet be told whether this means new vigor is to be put into their campaign in France, or whether they are lining up their forces to make a new move against the Russians.

Germany still has a large number of hidden reserves that have been doing garrison duty at the forts and depots throughout the empire. By stripping these posts of their detachments of Landwehr the Germans can obtain 500,000 former soldiers for service on the border, when their arrival will best fit in with the German plan of operations. Germany also has another large source for replenishing her armies, which has been drawn upon only to a small extent. When her annual contingents are taken into the army in October of every year, only about half the young men are needed to fill up the army to the strength that she can afford to maintain in peace times. The rest are listed for possible military service, and can be called in the case of need. No news has come out as to the extent to which she has called the men of these classes away from their normal occupations, but the presence in the fighting in Belgium of the oldest classes of reserves shows that Germany must have called to the colors at least enough of the untrained men to take the place of trained reserves in garrison and depot duty.

According to dispatches from Russia, the Germans have attempted a new strategic move against Warsaw. Troops, withdrawn from East Prussia and the Vistula fortresses were sent across the border east of Thorn in an effort to hamper the Russian operations by threatening their lines of supply. The Russian troops, which had advanced to Nieszwara, were forced back toward Warsaw.

Apparently the Russians have mustered sufficient strength in the north-west corner of Poland to check this move.

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If the new movement of troop trains in Germany means an attempt to shift their troops to the point of danger, it is likely that this will be shown by a renewed activity of her armies based on Thorn. If the Germans can force an advance into Poland along the valley of the Vistula, the general effect on the Russian armies to the south would be the same as that caused by the advance of the Germans in October.

In East Prussia the Germans have checked the Russian advance on a line fifteen miles west of the border. The Russians are now concentrating their principal efforts in this field along the railroad that leads from Kovno to Königsberg. An advance by this route would enable them to avoid the railway region, in which they were tangled up and defeated by the Germans under Gen. von Hindenburg in September.

Along the Silesian border the Russians have slowed up their operations to strengthen their armies at the front before they seek a decisive battle. The railroads in Western Poland were all destroyed by the Germans during their retreat. Consequently the Russians have only the country roads to depend on and must spread their armies in long columns during their advance. The moving to the front of their full strength and their employment along the battle line can hardly be accomplished in less than a week. They have now been confronting the Germans for five days along the line between Kalisz and Gzostochowa, as the next few days should bring news of a battle in this district.

The district in which this fighting is taking place is in the same latitude as Manitoba and has a very similar climate. The ground is already frozen and the marshes are beginning to get hardened. Consequently the approach of Winter has just the opposite effect to what might be expected. Instead of the snowfall obstructing military operations, it makes traffic easier than normal.

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PARIS, Nov. 14.—The Temps reports from Nor Maritime a letter from Mgr. Lebbeux, Bishop of Arras, written, says the paper, "on Oct. 31, when the town was without gas, electricity, telephone, or proper postal service." The letter arrived at its destination on Nov. 11. It runs:

"Yesterday was the fourth terrible bombardment. Arras is now merely a vast necropolis. Churches are destroyed; whole streets have disappeared. The remnant of the inhabitants are living in cellars."

"Yesterday the St. Jean Hospital was shelled for the tenth time. The occupants were removed to cellars. A hotel was riddled by a shell, which caused thirty deaths and seventeen wounded. Every one demands my help, which I am unable to give, but I will remain until the last, if God wills. 'Vive la France.'"

Superdreadnought California to be Driven by Motors.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 14.—The superdreadnought California, one of the three huge new ships just ordered, will be driven by electric motors. Secretary Daniels authorized this type of power plant for the vessel today on recommendation of the Chief of the Navy, R. S. Griffin, engineer in chief of the navy. If it is as successful in the battleship as it has been in the naval collier Jupiter, navy officers foresee the complete displacement of direct steam drive in future American warships.

The California, which will be built at the New York Navy Yard, will be the first electric-driven warship ever built, as the Jupiter was the first deep sea vessel of any type to be fitted with motors. The decision to install the new system aboard the battleship was arrived at only after exhaustive study of the performance of the Jupiter.

As in the Jupiter the main power plant of the California will be steam turbines driving dynamos, which will generate electricity to give the ship a speed of at least twenty-one knots. The Jupiter far exceeded her speed requirements.

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Mutiny, and Numerous
Arrests Alleged.

BRITISH THINK PERIL OVER

Muslim Religious Leaders in Egypt
and Sheikh in the Sudan Ignore
Turkey's War Declaration.

BERLIN, Friday, Nov. 13, (By Wire-
less Telegraphy to Sayville, L. I.)—
Reports reaching Berlin from Milan
state that in Egypt fighting has already
taken place near the Suez Canal. This
information was given to the press to-
day from official quarters.

Four wagonloads of British wounded,
it is asserted, arrived at Cairo, the
men having been landed in fighting
between Suez and Ismailia.

There has been a mutiny of the native
troops, it is added, while many well-
known Egyptians have been arrested.

LONDON, Nov. 14.—It is asserted by
observers of the political situation that
Turkey's threat to preach a holy war
is a cause of uneasiness in Germany
well beyond the Rhine, because of
the possibility of its effect on Italy.

So far as Egypt is concerned, the
danger mark seems to have passed, as
the chiefs of the Ulema, (Mohammedan
hierarchy), composed of the leading
Muslim religious societies, have issued
a proclamation urging the Muslims to
remain calm, while the Sheikh in the
Sudan has refrained from taking any
action regarding Turkey's proclamation
of war on the Allies.

TOLSTOY FAMILY ALL AIDING RUSSIAN ARMS

Widow and Daughters at Hos-
pitals; Sons and Grandsons
In Active Service.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
PETERSBURG, Nov. 14. (Dispatch to
The London Standard).—Nearly the
whole of the family of the late Count
Leo Tolstoy is taking some active part
in the war. Some are at the front, and
included among the first victims are
two sons. Count Ilya and Count Leo
are at the front as Commissioners in the
Russian Red Cross. Count Leo was
wounded during a train collision near
the firing line. Another son, Count Mi-
chael, is a reserve officer with an active
army, and has received the St. Stanislaw
Medal for bravery.

A daughter of the famous writer,
Countess Alexandra, is a Sister of Mercy
at the base hospital at Bieloostok.
The widow, Countess Sophia, with an-
other daughter, Countess Tatiana, has
established a hospital for wounded sol-
diers at Yasnaya Polyana.

Three grandsons of the Count are also
with the active forces. One is a private
in the volunteers, another an officer in
the army. The latter has been made a
prisoner by the Austrians. A third is a
Lieutenant in the Baltic fleet. These
grandsons are sons of Count Ilya.

URGES FOOTBALLISTS TO WAR.

Government Official Shocks British
Professional Players.

LONDON, Sunday, Nov. 15.—Followers
of professional football in England, who
are numbered by hundreds of thousands,
are agitated over the statement issued
tonight by H. J. Tennant, Under Secre-
tary of War, relative to the attitude of
the military authorities toward this
sport.

Asked whether football should be
played in time of war, said the state-
ment, "Under Secretary Tennant re-
plied that the military authorities have
no objection to the game as an occa-
sional recreation, but professional foot-
ball is not within that category, and it
is more desirable that professional foot-
ball players should find employment in
His Majesty's forces."

FRENCH SUGAR FAMINE.

Government Is Petitioned to Allow
Unlimited Importations.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
PARIS, Nov. 13. (Dispatch to the Lon-
don Standard).—The French Society of
Agriculture is petitioning the Govern-
ment to permit the unlimited importation
of sugar into France. Sugar now
costs exactly double what it did before
the war, and is very difficult to obtain.
Speculation is accused of being the main
cause, but, on the other hand, the fact
remains that the French sugar crop this
year will not exceed 216,000 tons as
against 700,000 tons last year, to provide
for an average annual consumption of
800,000 tons.

The present high price of sugar is re-
garded as especially regrettable at the
moment when the Government is mak-
ing great efforts to grapple with the
cash problem, for sugar is indis-
pensable for the flavoring of coffee,
tea and other comforting, but non-in-
dicator beverages.

SUBMARINES IN BELGIAN PORT.

Civilians Excluded from Zeebrugge,
Where Work Is Being Rushed.

LONDON, Sunday, Nov. 15.—The Am-
sterdam correspondent of the Exchange
Telegraph Company telegraphs:

"New troops have been arriving at
Ostend from Bruges. Troops are con-
tinually passing Ostend on their way
to and from Roulers. Bad weather has
made the battlefield a vast swamp and
the trenches are filled with water and
mud. Weather conditions are im-
peding transportation and causing a
shortage of food supplies."

No civilians are allowed at Zee-
brugge, presumably because work is
being rushed on more submarines at
that seaport.

LOYAL TO GREAT BRITAIN. Chief of Kelantan, a Siamese Mos- lem State, Gives Assurances.

LONDON, Nov. 14.—Official an-
nouncement was made here this after-
noon that the Sultan of Kelantan, a
Siamese native State in Siam, had given
assurances of the loyalty of his people
and that there would be no local dis-
turbances as a result of the war between
Great Britain and Turkey.

Kelantan is a State on the eastern
side of the Malay Peninsula, with an
area estimated at 5,800 square miles
and a population of 200,000. The pre-
vailing religion is Shaffa Mohammedan-
ism. A treaty signed at Bangkok be-
tween Great Britain and Siam in 1909,
transferred to Great Britain the rights
of suzerainty and such rights of
protection, administration, and control
as she had possessed over a certain
part of territory, which also embraced
all but the northeast corner of Kelantan.

SMOKY CEILINGS AND DINGY WALLPAPERS

Repaired and guaranteed restored to their
former whiteness and brilliancy in few hours
time. No streaks, dust, or dirt of any kind.
No dismantling of rooms. \$2.00 per room up.
References in Manhattan,
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James McCreery & Co.

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5th Avenue

Extraordinary Offerings

Unprecedented Values

WOMEN'S FUR COATS, MUFFS & NECKPIECES

A most unusual assortment of Choice Furs and Fur combinations, with
many new and attractive models from which to make a pleasing selection.

Hudson Seal Coats for Misses and Small Women	85.00
Hudson Seal Coats,—Extra large sizes, ranging from 46 to 50-inch bust measure	125.00
Persian Lamb Coats,—made from lustrous pelts; 40 inches long	125.00
Persian Lamb Coats,—made from selected skins, with collar of Natural Skunk	145.00
Russian Ponymskin Coats	29.50
Natural Skunk Muffs,—large size; made from extra quality skins	32.50
Natural Skunk Neckpieces	16.50
Black Fox Muffs	18.50
Black Fox Neckpieces	15.00
Dyed Skunk Muffs	14.50
Dyed Skunk Neckpieces	10.50

Important Offering

MISSES' SUITS, COATS & DRESSES

Misses' Suits,—new fur trimmed models in Gabardine, Broadcloth or Velveteen. Navy Blue, Black, Green or Negre Brown. Size 14 to 18 years.	26.50 and 29.50
Misses' Coats,—for college, motoring or general wear; made of Wool Plaid materials, Zibeline, Fancy Mixtures or Chinchilla. Size 14 to 18 years.	7.50, 12.75 and 18.50
Misses' Evening Dresses,—very chic, effective models in Chiffon, Crepe de Chine, Satin or Taffeta combined with laces. Size 14 to 18 years.	18.50, 24.50 and 29.50

Remarkable and Opportune Sale

AFTERNOON, DANCING & EVENING GOWNS

WRAPS & COATS

At about 1/2 and less than 1/2 regular prices.

Representing the sample lines and surplus stocks of several
of New York's prominent manufacturers, also about
four hundred garments taken from the regular stock
and offered at the following extremely low prices.

AFTERNOON, DANCING AND EVENING GOWNS

16.50 Regular Value 25.00 to 35.00	24.50 Regular Value 45.00 to 65.00	38.50 Regular Value 70.00 to 90.00
Evening Wraps		Afternoon Coats
49.50 Regular Value 75.00 to 100.00		29.50 Regular Value 48.00
Walking Coats		Utility Coats
19.50 Regular Value 39.50 to 48.00		9.50 Regular Value 22.50 to 29.50

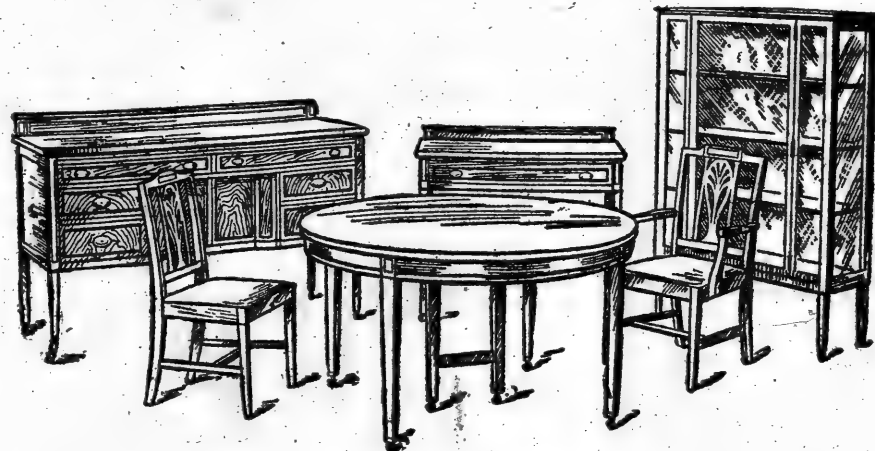
BLANKETS, COMFORTABLES & BED SPREADS

A Seasonable Offering Presenting Unprecedented Values

400 Pairs Winter-Weight California Wool Blankets,—full size	pair 3.75, 5.00 to 9.00
	value 5.00, 6.50 to 11.00
Figured Silkoline Comfortables, Cotton Filled	value 2.00, each 1.65
Silk Mull Comfortables,—new patterns; plain mull back and borders; wool filled	value 7.50, each 5.50
Japanese Silk Comfortables,—Wool filled; solid colors; Pink or Blue	value 10.50, each 8.50
Extra Fine Quality Satin Comfortables,—Wool filled; solid colors,—Pink, Blue, Old Rose, Green, Gray or Lavender.	value 20.00, each 15.75
Bed Spreads,—White, Satin Finish; hemmed	values 3.00 and 4.00, each 2.25 and 3.25

Special Sale—"McCreery" Master-Made Furniture

In the Furniture offered in this sale are many exact reproductions of
English Period Furniture at Unusually Low Prices.



Dining Room Suite as Illustrated

Ten-Piece Suite,—Sheraton model; including Buffet, with handsome crocheted Mahogany
fronts; China Closet, Serving and Extension Tables, five Side Chairs and one Arm Chair. Seats
upholstered in Haircloth, Tapestry or Leather. regularly 450.00, 365.00

The above illustrates but one of the several models offering a
highly satisfactory selection.

Sample Brass Beds Considerably Reduced

Usual price 18.00 to 20.00	12.75	Usual price 26.00 to 30.00	18.75
Usual price 21.00 to 25.00	14.75	Usual price 31.00 to 42.00	22.50

In connection with the above Springs and Mattresses have been marked
at exceptionally low prices.

REAL LACES

One-Half Regular Values

This most important event has been made
possible by a recent large purchase comprising
unequaled assortments of beautiful designs,
many of which will never be duplicated.

Real Duchesse Laces	yd., 95c. 2.50 to 10.00
Real Rose Point Laces	value 2.00 to 20.00
Real Point Applique Laces	yd., 1.50, 2.95 to 42.50
Real Duchesse with Point	value 3.00 to 85.00
Real Point de Venice Laces	yd., 95c. 3.50 to 12.50
Real Point Bruges Laces	value 2.00 to 25.00
Real Point Flanders Laces	yd., 2.95, 4.75 to 24.00
Real Filet Laces	value 6.00 to 48.00
Real Limerick Laces	yd., 1.10, 3.50 to 22.50
Real Carrick-ma-Cross Laces	value 2.25 to 45.00
Real Point Milan Laces	yd., 75c. 1.95 to 7.50
Real Cluny Laces	value 1.50 to 15.75
Real Valenciennes Laces	yd., 1.95, 4.50 to 10.00
Real Binche Laces	value 4.00 to 20.00
	yd., 25c. 95c to 7.25
	value 50c to 14.50
	yd., 1.50, 4.75 to 19.00
	value 3.00 to 38.00
	yd., 1.45, 4.95 to 17.50
	value 3.00 to 35.00
	yd., 45c. 2.95 to 5.95
	value 1.00 to 12.00
	yd., 15c. 50c to 7.25
	value 30c to 14.75
	yd., 25c. 75c to 6.75
	value 50c to 13.50
	yd., 30c. 85c to 4.25
	value 60c to 8.75

Ecclesiastical Laces in a large variety of Venetian and
Filet makes, in both modern and antique designs.

WOMEN'S "SOROSIS" GAITER BOOTS

Special at 3.95

value 6.00

Fawn, Gray and Black Top Boots

Patent or Dull Calf Vamps, Light Welted
Soles, Spanish Louis Leather Heels.

WOMEN'S HOSIERY

Exceptional Values

Thread Silk Stockings,—fine gauge; extra reinforced heels,
toes and soles. value 2.00, 6 pairs 8.50 pair 1.50

Thread Silk Stockings,—lisle tops and soles. Black or White.
value 90c, 6 pairs 3.75 pair 65c

FINE TABLE LINENS

Special for Thanksgiving

Table Cloths and Napkins in the new round
and oval patterns, at unusual price concessions:

2 x 2 yds.	regularly 6.00	4.25
2 x 2 1/2 yds.	regularly 7.00	5.25
2 x 3 yds.	regularly 8.00	6.25
2 1/2 x 2 1/2 yds.	regularly 9.00	6.75
Napkins,	regularly 6.50 and 9.00	doz. 4.75 and 6.75
Monograms, Initials and Crest Work at Moderate Prices.		
Hemstitched Damask Tea Cloths	1.00, 1.50 and 2.50	
	values 1.50, 2.25 and 3.50	
Hemstitched Damask Tea Napkins	doz. 2.25, 2.75 and 4.50	
	values 9.00, 3.75 and 6.00	
Real Madeira Hand-embroidered Tea Napkins		
	values 6.00, 9.00 and 10.00	doz. 4.25, 5.50 and 6.50
Real Madeira Hand-embroidered Luncheon Sets		
	values 6.00, 9.00 and 12.50	Set 3.65, 6.00 and 9.00
To Close Out—1200 Pieces Decorative Linens, in- cluding Embroidered and Lace Trimmed Centrepieces, Tea and Banquet Cloths, Bureau and Buffet Scarfs, at Radical Reductions.		

Mid-Season Sale

STANDARD DOMESTIC RUGS

Marked Reductions on several lots of this
season's most attractive patterns, offering
special inducements for immediate purchases.

9x12 feet Extra Quality Royal Wilton Rugs	31.00
regularly 37.50 to 44.00	
Size 8.8x10.6 feet Extra Quality Royal Wilton Rugs	29.00
regularly 35.00 to 40.00	
Size 9x12 feet Heavy Royal Axminster Rugs, in choice Oriental colorings and patterns	regularly 27.50, 21.50
Size 9x12 feet Seamless Wilton Velvet Rugs	18.50
regularly 27.50	

Specially Priced

SMALL ORIENTAL RUGS

At 1/3 Less Than Actual Values

Shirvan Mats for doorway or table	value 10.50, 5.75
Persian Mosoul Rugs	value 25.00, 15.00
Kurdistan and Fereghan Rugs,—exceptionally heavy	17.50
	value 35.00
Silky Iran Rugs,—sizes range from 3 1/2 to 4 x 6 to 7 feet	value 42.50, 25.00

Large and carefully selected assortment of fine Persian
Carpets, in a variety of sizes; from 95.00 to 900.00

TOUCH OF CZARINA LIKE MIRACLE CURE

Soldiers Leave the Imperial
Hospital in a State of Religious Exaltation.

DAUGHTERS ARE NURSES

With Their Mother, the Empress,
They Perform the Ordinary Duties
in Caring for Common Soldiers.

PETROGRAD, Oct. 28.—Almost in the shadow of the Imperial Palace in Tsarskoye-Selo, the Winter home of Emperor Nicholas, there is a low building half hidden behind villas, artificial ruins, and triumphal arches, which is perhaps the most remarkable hospital improvised during the present war. Soldiers come out not only healed and sound, but with a strange sort of exaltation that one might expect to find in a patient who had been cured by a miracle.

The building was formerly the barracks of the Imperial Guards, but during the absence of the troops it has been converted to the use of the wounded, and is supported by funds at the disposal of the Minister of the Imperial Court. At the special request of the Empress, a part of the building has been set aside as the Court Hospital, where the Empress and her two eldest daughters, the Grand Duchesses Olga and Tatiana, work among the other Red Cross nurses from 10 o'clock every morning till late in the afternoon. There is nothing either in the nature of their work or in the appearance of their gray uniform and white nunlike hoods to distinguish them from the others. They attend lectures on surgical and general nursing with the other student-nurses, dress wounds with their own hands, assist in operations, make the rounds with the medical staff, and participate in the general life of the hospital in all its details. Their rank is not made the excuse for any escape or respite from the hardships or unpleasantness of the daily routine. At all the most difficult operations her Majesty acts as head nurse, handling the operating surgeon's instruments, while the two Grand Duchesses pass the necessary cloths and bandages. It has been the desire of the Empress that her two daughters work exclusively in the ward for private soldiers, and instructions have been issued to all nurses and orderlies that the incognito of the Imperial nurses be kept a strict secret, notwithstanding their identity has become known. The effect of this Imperial presence on the simple peasant mind cannot be fully appreciated without understanding the religious awe which the peasant feels toward the Imperial family. The actual presence of members of the family at the bedside strikes him in itself as nothing less than a miracle.

This semi-religious exaltation of the wounded soldiers has, according to the surgeons in the hospital, noticeably hastened their return to health. One reservist from Northern Russia had to be restrained from disturbing the ward by his joyful repetition of the fact that "The Little Mother talked to me and gave me my medicine." Another patient declared with apparent conviction that he had grown five years younger, because the bandages on his arm had been changed by one of the Grand Duchesses. Once a week the Emperor himself visits the hospital, with his young son and his two youngest daughters, Marie and Anastasia. During these visits it is his custom to make the entire rounds of the 121 beds for privates and twenty-nine for officers and to question the men as to how they received their wounds. All the hospitals in Tsarskoye-Selo and Pavlovsk are under the patronage of the Empress and the wounded are conveyed from the hospital in the automobiles of the Imperial garage. At present the ordinary ceremonial life of the court is suspended, while the high officials, many of whom serve on hospital committees, and ladies of the court vie with one another in contributing time and money to improving the conditions which surround the wounded Russian soldiers.

ENGLAND WANTS LUMBER.

Heavy Cargo Orders Expected in the Northwest.

SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 14.—Inquiries for 9,000,000 feet of large timbers received during the last ten days, have stimulated the Northwestern lumber situation, and local exporters look for heavy cargo orders. The inquiries come principally from the United Kingdom. The supply for England has heretofore been furnished from the region of the Baltic. Seattle lumbermen said it was the English custom to buy large timbers and saw them into boards in English mills.

PROCLAMATION BY ENVER.

Says Turks with Allah's Help Will Destroy Their Enemies.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Nov. 14. (via Berlin and London).—Enver Bey, the

Mme. June
FRENCH MODEL GOWNS
500 FIFTH AVENUE
at 42nd St.



"LUCILLE"
A Charming Replica
of
An Imported Model.
Very Special

\$2.95

Made from heavy Habutai Silk. Perfectly tailored. Chic new collar, which may be worn high or low. The collar and cuffs of rich white Bengaline silk.

Colors—Black or White, also beautiful stripes of Navy, Black, Lavender and Copenhagen.
Sizes 32 to 46.
Mail Orders Promptly Filled.

Turkish Minister of War, and leader of the Young Turk Party, has published a proclamation to the Turkish Army, as follows:

"Comrades: I have the honor to announce to you a noble trade from the Sultan. Our army will destroy our enemies with Allah's help and the assistance of the Prophet, and by the pious prayer of the Sovereign.
"Forward, always forward! Victory, glory, and paradise are before us; death and disgrace behind. Long live our Padishah!"

RUMANIANS FOR THE ALLIES.

Senator Jonsco Says German Money Cannot Win Their Support.

SPECIAL CABLE TO THE NEW YORK TIMES.
PARIS, Nov. 14.—That Rumania may

soon actively join the Triple Entente seems probable, according to a letter addressed to the Temps by Dr. Thomas Jonsco, member of the Rumanian Senate and Rector of Bucharest University, who says:
"The allegations of the Hungarian Premier, Count Tisza, who recently in-

formed an Italian newspaper that Rumanian opinion was being influenced by Russian bribes, are utterly absurd and without foundation. On the other hand, the Germans have spent large sums in buying Rumanian newspapers, but have been unable to alter the public desire to establish an alliance with the Triple Entente. All the independent press, all

the Conservative Democrats, and a majority of the Conservatives have declared openly for such a policy. Recently the Professors of Bucharest University presented a petition to the King, begging that Rumania might achieve her national ideals by a resort to arms. They left the royal audience very well contented."

TO KILL THREE FOR ONE.

Turks Threaten to Slay Foreigners at Syrian Ports.

LONDON, Nov. 14.—A dispatch to The Times from Cairo, dated yesterday, says:
"The British and French Consuls

from Damascus and Aleppo, who reached Cairo with American assistance, assert that before being allowed to leave they were obliged to sign a document agreeing, in the event of an attack by the Allies on the Syrian ports, to the shooting of three British, French, or Russian residents for every Turk killed."

Broadway Saks & Company at 34th Street

An important sale tomorrow of
Women's Fancy Fur-trimmed Suits
conservative value \$40.00
special at \$24.00

Reproductions of six stunning new models that are
the latest creations of the foremost foreign designers

Irrespective of price, a suit cannot be distinctive unless it possesses originality in its design and is perfectly tailored. Those are the two cardinal attributes of a smart suit. They are also the cardinal attributes of the six models featured in this sale, plus the economy of a price which is nothing less than remarkable. And the woman who wants an attractive fur-trimmed suit is here afforded an opportunity to purchase for twenty-four dollars a suit which would ordinarily be priced at forty.

Fourth floor

No. 1—Medium Coat Suit of ripple cloth

New pleated back and belt, new flare cuffs, and large square collar of skunk opossum buttoning close to neck. The skirt is a circular model, kick pleat at side.

No. 3—Short Coat Model of broadcloth

Straight drop back coat, with wide belt in front, and standing collar and cuffs of skunk opossum. Can be worn close to neck or open to form revers. Yoke ripple skirt.

No. 5—Military effect in Chiffon broadcloth

Designed with fur collar and fur-trimmed flare cuffs, the back also fur-trimmed, and braided frogs on both the coat and the double ripple skirt.

No. 2—Box Coat Suit of Chiffon broadcloth

Buttons close to neck with self buttons and loops, and has yoke front, with high choker collar and cuffs of skunk opossum. Circular flare skirt with yoke.

No. 4—Semi-tailored Suit of broadcloth

Short coat model, with choker collar of fur, buttoning close to the neck, straight back with inset pleats, and circular flare skirt buttoning down the front.

No. 6—Pleated Coat Suit of broadcloth

A belted effect, with fur-trimmed flare collar, which can be buttoned close to the neck or worn to form revers. The skirt is a full circular flare style.

All models in black and the wanted colors

Extraordinary values in Coats for Women

Involving a special and restricted distribution of the celebrated "Salts" fabrics, tailored into the newest plain and fur-trimmed models,

at these splendid economies tomorrow

Coats of "Salts" Astratex.....	value \$25.00	special at \$15.00
Coats of "Salts" Esquimette Plush.....	value \$29.50	special at \$19.50
Coats of "Salts" Arcadian Lamb.....	value \$35.00	special at \$22.50
Coats of "Salts" Pomoire.....	value \$39.50	special at \$25.00
Coats of "Salts" Plutex Seal.....	value \$39.50	special at \$25.00
Coats of "Salts" Arcadian Lamb.....	value \$45.00	special at \$29.50
Coats of "Salts" Meritex.....	value \$75.00	special at \$45.00

A timely sale tomorrow of black, and white

Satin Evening Slippers at \$3.95

This is a hand-sewn slipper and is regularly sold at \$6.00

\$1.00 per pair extra in colors to
match your gown—at 24 hours' notice.

This is an innovation in satin slipper values. A very distinctive model, made on a new last which hugs the foot comfortably but firmly and obviates gaping at the heel. And, being wholly hand-sewn, it is a slipper of unusual lightness and flexibility. Made of a fine quality satin, and full kid lined.

Second floor

Fine values tomorrow in Fine Blouses

Four special groups which embrace the newest
arrangements in the nebulae of blousewear.

Very special at \$3.95

Blouses of crepe de Chine, Oriental lace, and combinations of crepe and lace, in a splendid array of new styles.

Very special at \$5.95

Blouses of Pussy Willow taffeta, fine crepe de Chine and silk shadow lace, in models that are entirely new and superlatively pretty.

Very special at \$5.00

Blouses of hand-embroidered crepe de Chine, Oriental lace, shadow lace and Georgette crepes, with the new collars.

Very special at \$6.95

Blouses of silk shadow lace, shadow lace combined with satin, fine crepe de Chine, chiffon, and combinations of taffeta and lace. Beautiful models.

Women's Underwear

broken assortments at reduced prices tomorrow

Union Suits & Vests, cotton and wool.....	Were up to \$2.00—79c
Union Suits, silk and wool, and cotton and wool.....	Were up to \$3.50—\$1.75
Black Wool Tights, knee length.....	Were \$2.00—\$1.25
Black Heavy Cotton Tights.....	Were \$1.50—95c
Cotton Vests, assorted styles and weights.....	Were 59c—35c
Heavy Glove Silk Vests, handsomely embroidered.....	Were \$1.95—\$1.59

Tomorrow—a very attractive offering of

Regular \$4.00 Silk Petticoats special at \$2.60

An exceptional opportunity to purchase a heavy messaline petticoat, in any one of three new models which have been specially designed for this sale. Splendidly made and finished and shown in the newest street shades.

Third floor

Tomorrow—an
unprecedented offering of
6,000 pairs of
Silk Stockings
cut substantially in prices

\$1.50 Silk Stockings at 85c

or 3 pairs for \$2.50

Plain and embroidered, full fashioned, double sole, heel and toe stockings, with silk and lisle tops. Medium weight. Black and colors.

\$1.00 Silk Stockings at 62c

Full fashioned stockings, in various seasonable weights. Black, white and colors.

59c Stockings at 42c

Boot silk stockings, full fashioned, double soles, and lisle tops. Black, white and colors.

25c Silk Lisle Stockings at 18c

Fine, sheer, seamless, double sole, high spliced, double top hosiery, in black and white.

Special—Monday

Boys' \$8.00 Mackinaw Sport Coats at \$4.95

A smart patch pocket Norfolk model, with shawl collar, made in handsome mackinaw cloths, in a handsome, efficient manner. Ages 7 to 18 years.

Boys' \$7.50 Chinchilla Overcoats at \$4.95

Double breasted, Balmacaan and half belted models, with convertible collar and wool plaid lining. Well made garments that will give a maximum of warmth and wear. 3 to 10 years.

Second floor

Tomorrow—\$5 and \$6 Wavy Switches at \$3.95

Fine switches with a natural wave, mounted on three short stems, and made of a superior quality hair. In all colors and gray.

Third floor

Gray Switches.....26 inches
Other shades.....30 inches

A sale of surpassing interest tomorrow!

Misses' Fur-trimmed Short Coat Velvet Suits special at \$35.00

New-to-the-minute models, stamped with the
indelible impress of fine tailoring—value \$50.00.

The vogue of the short coat in tailored suits finds admirable expression in this latest collection of abbreviated coat styles. They are superbly tailored in a fine imported velvet, skunk opossum trimmed, and are strikingly select and distinctive. Designed with the new wide circular flare skirt, and shown in black, Russian green, navy and seal brown. 14 to 18 years.

Second floor

100 Misses' Coats at \$15—value \$29.50

Of imported zibeline, double faced plaid back cloth, chinchilla and Kersey: full ripple or straight line models, with broad self belt, deep inset sleeves, and large self collar, plush or skunk opossum collar, fastening close to neck. Lined as to body and sleeves, or lined throughout. Black and colors. 14 to 18 years.

137 Misses' Tailored Suits \$15.00

Formerly \$29.50 to \$35—reduced to

Long, medium and short coat models, one or two of a style. In imported broadcloth, men's wear serge, gabardine and rough chevrons. 14 to 18 years.

207 Misses' Dresses

Were \$22.50 \$29.50 \$35.00

Now \$12.50 \$14.50 \$18.50

Street, afternoon and dancing dresses, of charmeuse, crepe de Chine, silk chiffon, all-over laces, nets and combinations of satin with velvet and serge. The season's most attractive modes. Sizes 14 to 18 years.

Second floor

Children's French Hats Reduced

\$7.95 to \$16.50 Hats
reduced to \$5 95

French Felt Hats
Special at \$1.95 to \$4.95

A collection of inexpressibly pretty French styles, in beautiful colors. Felt hats, in attractive shapes, and in white and pastel colorings.

Children's Broadcloth Coats \$10.95

\$12 to \$15 Values, Special at

Three engaging little models, in fur and velvet trimmed styles, the colors being rose, gray and blue.

FAMINE THREATENS BELGIUM ALREADY

In Little Town of St. Nicholas
Alone 20,000 Face Starvation
—Same Story from Malines.

ATTACK GERMAN FOOD TRAIN

Hunger-Maddened People Near
Charleroi Desperate—Americans
Implored to Hurry Relief Supplies.

LONDON, Nov. 14.—Capt. T. F. Lacey, active in the distribution of American relief in Belgium, has sent a message to the American Relief Committee in London saying that the supplies available are insufficient to meet the urgent needs of the Belgian people, and requesting further assistance.

The American Consul at Antwerp has written to Henry van Dyke, the American Minister at The Hague, as follows: "It seems that Belgium will have to face the danger of famine much earlier than any of us thought it would. I have been called upon by the Mayor of St. Nicholas, imploring me to hasten, if possible, such help as the American people could and would render, as they had over 20,000 people without bread and without work in this little town, and no means of providing for them. An equally strong appeal has come from the Mayor of the stricken city of Malines, and I learn that down in the coal district, near Charleroi, a number of poor people, maddened with hunger, attacked a German military train laden with provisions."

HIER HOSPITAL FOR BELGIANS.

Mrs. H. P. Whitney's Organization
Assigned to King Albert's Army.

PARIS, Nov. 14.—The flying hospital organized in France by Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney of New York is to be assigned to work with the Belgian Army in Belgium. M. de Broqueville, the Belgian Premier, has suggested waiting a few days before taking the field—"until such time as the Belgian Army occupies Ostend"—and the establishing of the hospital at that place.

Robert Bacon, ex-Ambassador to France, has interested himself in the success of Mrs. Whitney's undertaking, and has gone to the front to arrange for a suitable location, possibly elsewhere than at Ostend. The hospital staff desires to get into action immediately, and not to await the outcome of military operations against Ostend.

The news of the arrival of this American hospital has been received gratefully by the Belgian Government. The American Ambulance Corps, with headquarters in Paris, has received a cablegram from Maryland, saying that fifty more automobile ambulances were to be sent to France from America.

QUEEN MARY GRATEFUL.

Wants American Women to Know
She Appreciates Aid to Troops.

LONDON, Nov. 14.—Americans have been liberal in response to Queen Mary's appeal for 300,000 quilts and pairs of socks for the soldiers at the front. Through Lady Arthur Paget, prominent in the relief work in behalf of the soldiers, the need of a fund for the supply of these articles was brought especially to the attention of American women. Lady Paget said today: "The generosity of my countrywomen

and countrymen is most gratifying. Every day I receive parcels from all parts of America. Already 15,000 pairs of socks have been sent to me, many accompanied by touching letters from women, children, and shopgirls. Some say there is nothing they could spare except an hour of daily knitting, but that they gladly yielded their leisure time to help the men in the trenches. "Many business houses also sent socks. The gifts are forwarded immediately to the men at the front, with the explanation that they are from American friends. The soldiers are duly grateful for the gifts. Lady Paget has received this letter from Queen Mary: Buckingham Palace, Nov. 7. Dear Lady Paget: The Queen is much touched at the very large number of socks, belts, and shirts being made and sent to you for our troops by friends and well-wishers in the United States. Can you find some opportunity of expressing to them her Majesty's very grateful thanks for this practical mark of sympathy? The things will be of the greatest use. It is with real pleasure and gratitude that her Majesty accepts them and hopes that your friends will continue their gifts through you. Believe me, yours truly, MARY TEFUSIS, Lady in Waiting.

MISSING WERE INCLUDED.

57,000 British Casualties Were Not
Only Killed and Wounded.

SPECIAL CABLE TO THE NEW YORK TIMES. LONDON, Nov. 14.—Some uncertainty existed as to whether the announcement of British casualties made in the House of Commons yesterday by Premier Asquith included the missing, or referred only to the killed and wounded. It is now officially stated that the former is the case.

This total of 57,000 casualties for about nine weeks of war, for the British expeditionary force got into action toward the end of August, is at the rate of about 25,000 per month.

The Westminster Gazette says the record is not greater than was expected by those in the best position to know, adding: "Bearing in mind the heavy character of the fighting, the number of casualties cannot be said to be surprising. To get the number of dead we should not be far wrong if we divided it by ten."

In addition to these casualties there is the wastage by sickness, though up to the present this, happily, has been inconsiderable. As winter comes on and the weather becomes worse we must expect a considerable amount of sickness, though we shall be surprised and disappointed if our record in this respect is not a vast improvement on what took place in the South African War, when for every one wounded soldier admitted to hospital twenty-three were admitted for sickness.

TURKEY BLAMES BRITAIN.

Issues a Statement Regarding the
Origin of the New War.

LONDON, Nov. 14.—Turkey has issued a statement through Rome placing the blame for the war between the British and Ottoman empires on England, which power, she says, complains of Turkey's acquisition of the German cruisers Goeben and Breslau, but does not mention anything of her seizure of the two Turkish battleships which were building in England at the outbreak of the war. Turkey also charges that England did all she could to wreck Turkey and that the British guarantee of integrity could not be regarded seriously because of her occupation of Egypt.

DR. VAN DYKE COMING HOME.

Constant Work Has Hurt His Eyes,
and He Must Have Rest.

THE HAGUE, Nov. 14.—Dr. Henry Van Dyke, American Minister to the Netherlands, sailed tonight on the steamer Rotterdam for New York. Dr. Van Dyke has received a brief leave of absence on account of serious injury to his eyes owing to continuous work since the beginning of the war. He has been advised that rest is essential. He expects to consult his physician at home before returning to The Hague next month.

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42nd and 43rd Streets, West of Fifth Avenue.

Maillard Luncheon and Tea Room on the Fifth Floor



Will hold, commencing tomorrow, a particularly noteworthy sale of

Women's, Misses' and Children's Fur Garments, Neckpieces, Muffs, Motor Apparel, Fur Robes and Floor Rugs

At remarkably low prices, affording a rare opportunity to effect a saving of at least one-third the usual prices quoted on similar high-grade, reliable furs.

WOMEN'S COATS

French Seal, - - -	at \$45.00 and 55.00
Caracul, - - -	at \$49.50 and 59.50
Hamster, - - -	at \$42.50 and 75.00
Bisam Seal, - - -	at \$64.50 and 85.00
Genuine Sealskin, - -	at 195.00 and 375.00
Scotch Moleskin, - -	at 100.00 and 150.00
Persian Lamb, - - -	at 135.00 and 195.00

FUR SETS

Natural Raccoon, - -	at \$10.00	\$4.50
Black Fox, - - -	at \$16.50	\$12.00
Bisam Seal, - - -	at \$19.50	\$15.00
Beaver, - - -	at \$24.00	\$17.00
Black Lynx, - - -	at \$25.00	\$25.00
Natural Skunk, - - -	at \$27.50	\$12.50
Dyed Blue Fox, - - -	at \$37.50	\$30.00



And in addition we will offer, at fully 40% less than original prices, our entire stock of

High Cost Imported and American-made Coats

Including models of Hudson Bay Sable, Ermine, Moleskin, German Fitch, Bisam Seal and Breitschwanz, - Ranging in price from \$295.00 to 2000.00
Originally \$485.00 to 3250.00

The Silk Department

Will offer very exceptional values on Monday
and Tuesday, in the following desirable weaves
and widths:

Black Satin Duchesse, 86 inches wide,
high lustre, suitable for sleeves and skirts, at 85c
Regularly \$1.50 a yard

Satin Charmeuse and All Silk Canton Crepe,
40 inches wide, in a full range of light and
dark shades, also white, ivory and black, at \$1.25
Regularly \$2.50 a yard

Metal Broches, 27 to 42 inches wide, on chiffon and
satin grounds, in gold, silver and steel effects,
all this season's colorings and designs, at \$7.50
Regularly \$18.50 to 27.50 a yard

Women's Smart Blouses

DECIDED reductions have been made in our
entire collection of high cost Imported Blouses,
which afford a remarkable opportunity to secure
the season's choicest models, reflecting the best
ideas of the foremost Parisian modistes.

Very notable price inducements for Monday:

Women's Crepe de Chine, Chiffon
and Lace Blouses
at \$3.50 and 4.25

Representing an unusually advantageous purchase
of this season's smartest models and colorings, at
One-Third Less Than Regular Prices.

The Lace Department

HAS prepared specially for Tomorrow, these very
remarkable values:

Black Chantilly and La Tosca Nets, 75c, 85c
44 inches wide, Value \$1.75 a yard, at

Steel and Silver Brocaded Nets, at \$1.78
Regular Value \$2.35 a yard

Black and White Demi-Flouncing, 75c, 98c
Regular Values \$1.35 to \$1.65 a yard, at

Lace Flouncing, 14 and 18 inches,
wide, in black, white and cream, at 25c to 75c
Regular Values 55c to \$1.25 a yard

Metal Laces, 3 to 15 inches wide, 45c to 95c
Regular Values 65c to \$1.60 a yard, at

A Thanksgiving Sale of Dinnerware, Glassware and Bric-a-Brac

Monday, at price reductions that cannot fail to attract our patrons and the public

Decorated Dinner Sets

Austrian China Dinner Sets, 100 pieces, rosebud border, gold line edges; value \$21.00, at \$16.75
Limoges China Dinner Sets, 100 pieces, choice of two borders, gold handles; value \$31.50, at 24.50
Limoges China Dinner Sets, "Old Abbey," 107 pieces, solid gold handles; value \$68.60, at 55.00

English Porcelain Dinner Sets, 107 pcs., blue Meissen, at 15.65 Value \$20.90
"Rosenthal" China Dinner Sets, 107 pieces, Dresden flower design; value \$69.70, at \$50.00
"Ginori" Italian China Dinner Sets, 107 pcs., orchid design, new shape, solid gold handles; value \$112.00, 85.00

Imported and American Glassware

Colonial Pressed Glass Table Service, 72 pieces; value \$6.70, at \$5.00	Bohemian Glass Table Service, 72 pieces, optic iridescent, at \$18.00 Value \$26.50
Plain Blown Optic Glass Table Sets, 72 pieces; value \$14.50, at \$9.85	French "Baccarat" Table Service, 72 pcs., etched glass; value \$31.00, 23.75
Hungarian Glass Table Service, 72 pieces, Roman gold band design; value \$18.25, at \$14.25	English Rock Crystal Table Service, 60 pieces; value \$96.00, at \$68.00

In our Bric-a-Brac and Art Object Sections

We have made decisive reductions on all desirable articles, particularly acceptable for Xmas gifts. Special values, tomorrow, will include
Solid Mahogany Candlestick, complete with candle, holder and shade, at \$1.00 | Solid Mahogany Floor Lamp, Two lights, large silk shade; value \$21.50, \$15.00

Oriental Rugs and Carpets

WE will continue, during the ensuing week, the
extraordinary clearance sale of the most desir-
able weaves and sizes taken from regular stock, at
prices greatly below their real values.

Small and Medium Size Rugs,
in Moussouls, Kurdistans, Belooch-
istans, Bokharas, Hamadans, etc., at \$5.00 to 19.75
Formerly \$9.50 to 35.00

Oriental Hall Runners,
including many narrow widths, at \$17.50 to 49.50
Formerly \$30.00 to 78.00

Room Size Rugs, consisting of Persian Serebends,
Mahals, Bidjars and Ghorovans,
Formerly \$145.00 to 375.00, at \$95.00 to 258.00

Room Size Rugs, comprising
Sarouks and Kirpanshahs, at \$165.00 to 1950.00
Formerly \$257.00 to 2850.00

Coral and Cameo Jewelry

A RARE and exquisite collection of pink coral
and shell cameos is shown artistically mounted
or in unmounted specimens, appropriate for Scarf
Pins, Rings, Pendants, Earrings, Bracelets, Bar
Pins and Necklaces, ranging from \$5.00 to 300.00

Tomorrow, acceptable gift suggestions for
Men and Women in

14-kt. Gold Jewelry at \$5.00

Arranged in the following groups:

Bar Pins, Handkerchief Holders, Onyx Earrings, Pendants,
Lace Pins, Hat Pins, Ivory and Amber Cigarette Tubes, Rings,
Monocles, Pencils, Knives, Link and Stud Sets, Velvet Collars
and Bracelets.

Also, during the month of November,

Platinum, Diamond Encrusted Pendant and
Wrist Watches, at 25% Less Than Usual Prices

Women's Fine Silk Hosiery

Extraordinary values will be offered tomorrow,
consisting of

Pure Silk Stockings, at 75c a pair
in black, beige, fawn, suede and bronze:
Value \$1.25 a pair.

Also a large collection of the highest cost

French Silk Stockings

Taken from our regular stock, in black, white and
colors, comprising openwork, embroidered, fancy
side clocks and novelty effects.

Value \$3.50 a pair, at \$1.75	3 pairs, \$5.00
" \$6.50 a pair, " \$2.69	3 pairs, \$7.75
" 10.00 a pair, " \$4.95	3 pairs, 14.50

Misses' and Small Women's Tailored Suits and Coats

We have arranged for Tomorrow these very unusual values, involving the most distinctive and
authoritative styles, materials and colorings, at incomparable price concessions:

Smart Tailored Suits, in broadcloth, gabardine and un-
finished worsteds, in seal, brown, Russian green, navy and
black; fur and velvet trimmed, circular flare, yoke
and pleated skirts, Value \$85.00, at \$19.75

Handsome Tailored Suits, of velveteen, broadcloth,
corduroy and gabardine, in the most desirable colors;
short and medium length coats, at \$34.75
many fur trimmed; Value \$47.50, at

Misses' Dressy Coats, charming models of zibeline, black plush, corduroy and mixtures;
silk lined throughout and interlined; included are many fur trimmed, yoke, belted and flare styles, Value \$46.00, \$29.50

Also a Very Special Offering of Women's Tailored Suits

Tomorrow, will comprise the following entirely new models not heretofore shown,
at these exceptional price inducements:

Suits of Wool Velour, - at \$29.50
in black and desirable street shades, very smart short coat with
fur collar, wide flare skirt.

Suits of Broadcloth, - at \$47.50
in black, navy, brown, plum and taupe, new ripple three-
quarter coat, fur trimmed; wide flare skirt.



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Importers

GOWNS MILLINERY FURS
FIFTH AVENUE & 43rd STREET
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Announce Their Regular

Semi-Annual Clearance

Beginning Monday, November 16

THIS sale is in line with the usual
Maison Maurice policy, which
demands that each and every model
be sold, regardless of original cost,
before the season is too far advanced.
Exclusive, high class apparel and
millinery are closed out at unpar-
alleled reductions. As these twice-
a-year events are widely attended,
we advise an early selection.

Hats for Street and Dress—Values \$15—\$18
Hats from \$20 up at equal reductions. Now \$5.

Suits Tailleur—Formerly \$55 to \$75.
Suits formerly \$85 to \$295 at equal reductions. Now \$35.

Afternoon Frocks, were \$40 to \$65.
Frocks priced at \$75 to \$200, now \$25 to \$95. Now \$18.50

Evening Gowns and Dance Frocks—
\$45 to \$65.—Now \$25.
Evening Gowns and Dance Frocks, \$75 to \$375, at equal reductions.

Evening Wraps (fur trimmed)—
\$150 to \$185.—Now \$95.
Evening Wraps formerly \$195 to \$295, decisively reduced.

Motor and Sport Coats, \$45 to \$55 values.
Now \$25.
Motor and Sport Coats, formerly \$65 to \$95, also greatly reduced.

French Blouses, value \$12 to \$18. Now \$5.
French Blouses, formerly \$22 to \$49, now \$12.50 to \$22.

Salons will Open at 8:30 A. M. During Sale.

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Comprising all styles of the same high class foot-
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Second Floor

Sale of Women's Dresses

A Manufacturer's Line of Sample Dresses
For Dinner, Afternoon or Evening Wear

Twenty-five Different Models
in the New Styles, Materials and Colors
Odd Sizes—at the Very Special Price of

\$25.00

Values to \$55.00

Fine Showing of Serge Dresses

In many different styles of both tailored and the
more dressy models

\$12.50 & \$17.50

Values \$22.00 to \$37.50

Third Floor

Women's Exceptionally Clever Blouses

For Present Wear

At Unusually Attractive Prices

Cream Lace Blouses

Bound with silk braid, combined with flesh
color chiffon cloth, military collar finished
with rosebuds. \$5.00

Chiffon Cloth Blouses

Elaborately trimmed with broad bands of
lace, over chiffon lining. Black, dark navy,
green, tete-de-negre and white. \$7.95

Satin Blouse Combined with Cream Lace

Copy of an Imported Model
Navy, green, black and white; also black
with black lace. \$8.75

Cream Lace Blouses

Over bodice of black and colored silk net
with satin girdle to match—exact
copy of an imported model. \$15.75

Crepe-de-Chine Blouses

Buttoned to the chin collar, several models to select from
in white, sand and black.
\$5.00, \$6.95 & \$10.75

Third Floor

Attractive Values in

Millinery

200 Semi-Dress & Tailored Hats

Black and colors, a number being fur
trimmed. Formerly \$6.00 and \$7.00 \$3.95

Fur Trimmed Hats,

\$5.95, \$10.00, \$15.00, \$20.00

Embodying the newest ideas. Velvet, velour, and felt and
velvet combined, in sand, black and white.

New Untrimmed Shapes,

\$5.95 & \$9.95

Smart sailor and Continental shapes of velvet, hatter's
plush, and velvet and felt combined, in sand, black and
white.

125 Semi-Dress & Tailored Hats

For Children & Misses

Velvet, felt, plush and velour in black and
colors. Formerly up to \$7.00 \$2.95

Fourth Floor

Annual Sale of "Selected Furs"

Women's Fur Coats, Muffs & Neckwear
Authoritative Styles for Winter 1914-1915

At Very Low Prices

We wish to make New Friends and to these this Sale will appeal as well as to our Old Friends who know we serve
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"Lord & Taylor"—the synonym the world over for style and quality—particularly when it costs less than is
generally asked.

Tomorrow, Monday, and Throughout the Week.

Women's Fur Coats

Exceptional Qualities at Extraordinarily Low Prices

Seal-Dyed Muskrat Coats

The latest models
\$92.50, \$110.00, \$125.00, \$175.00
Usually \$110.00, \$135.00, \$155.00, \$210.00

Black Pony Coats,

Light weight Moired Skins
\$26.50, \$32.50
Usually \$31.50, \$38.50

Black Pony Coats

With contrasting Fur Collars
\$29.50, \$35.00
Usually \$35.00, \$41.50

Seal-Dyed Coney Coats

New models, handsomely lined
\$62.50, \$85.00
Usually \$85.00, \$100.00

Black Caracul Coats

Fine quality lustrous skins
\$57.50, \$85.00, \$110.00
Usually \$72.50, \$110.00, \$135.00

Persian Lamb Coats

40 inch length. Usually \$200.00, \$165.00
45 inch length. Usually \$260.00, \$210.00

Model Fur Coats at Very Special Prices

Of seal-dyed Muskrat, Broadtail, Mole, Caracul, Squirrel, Persian Lamb and other Fashionable Furs,
Plain and Fancy Trimmed.

Fashionable Fur Neckwear

About 1/3 Less Than Usual Prices

Black Fox	\$16.50, \$21.00, \$31.50
Seal-Dyed Muskrat	\$12.50, \$21.50
Natural Beaver	\$19.50
Skunk	\$17.50, \$24.50, \$37.50
Black Lynx	\$24.50, \$31.50, \$47.50
Seal-Dyed Coney	\$7.50
Silvered Kitt Fox	\$18.50, \$25.00
Red Fox	\$16.50
Black Caracul	\$10.00
Natural Raccoon	\$9.50, \$13.50, \$21.50
White Moufflon	\$12.50
Pointed Fox	\$27.50, \$42.50
Persian Lamb	\$17.50, \$27.50
Dyed Skunk	\$16.50
Civet	\$12.50
Silvered Kitt Coney	\$7.50
Black Coney	\$7.50
Persian Paw	\$3.50
Dyed Raccoon	\$12.50, \$16.50

Third Floor

Fashionable Fur Muffs

About 1/3 Less Than Usual Prices

Black Fox	\$17.50, \$22.50, \$35.00
Seal-Dyed Muskrat	\$17.50, \$22.50
Natural Beaver	\$24.50, \$29.50
Skunk	\$27.50, \$32.50, \$42.50
Black Lynx	\$32.50, \$41.50
Seal-Dyed Coney	\$11.50
Silvered Kitt Fox	\$23.50, \$36.50
Red Fox	\$18.50
Black Caracul	\$18.50
Natural Raccoon	\$12.50, \$17.50
White Moufflon	\$15.00
Pointed Fox	\$32.50, \$47.50
Persian Lamb	\$28.50, \$38.50
Dyed Skunk	\$16.50, \$27.50
Civet	\$22.50
Silvered Kitt Coney	\$12.50
Black Coney	\$13.50
Persian Paw	\$9.50
Dyed Raccoon	\$12.50, \$17.50

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Women's Tailored Suits & Coats

Every Fashionable Model, Fabric and Coloring Represented

200 Fancy Tailored Suits

Taken from Regular Stock

Comprising the season's smartest models and ma-
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Black, Navy Blue, Tete-de-Negre, Russian Green

Usually up to \$39.50

\$22.50 & \$25.00

Distinctive Fancy Tailored Suits

In New and Exclusive Models

Chiffon Broadcloths, Sharkskin Velour and Broad-
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Special Prices According to Materials

\$34.50, \$39.50, \$45.00

Handsome Fur Trimmed Suits

The latest models with short, medium and long length coats

Elegant materials—Velveteens, Broadcloths and Peau-de-Soie Cloths in Black, Navy Blue,
Tete-de-Negre and Russian Green. Every Suit is beautifully lined and warmly interlined.

Usually to \$75.00

\$50.00

Fur Collared Corduroy Coats

Smart models in Russian Green, Black,
Navy Blue, Sand and Brown, all lined
throughout and interlined. Usually \$39.50

\$25.00

Black Velour Coats

In the new flare model for street, after-
noon or dressy wear, lined with an ex-
cellent quality of Peau-de-Cygne and
warmly interlined. Usually \$39.50

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Corduroy Coats

For street, afternoon or dressy occa-
sions in Black, Navy Blue, Tete-de-
Negre, Russian Green and Sand; lined
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\$19.50

Fur Collared Broadtail Cloth Coats

For street, afternoon or evening wear,
made of a splendid quality of Broadtail
Cloth in two exclusive and exception-
ally smart models, lined and interlined.
Usually \$65.00

\$45.00

75 Smart Chinchilla Coats

For Street and Touring Wear

In a large selection of the best Winter colorings
at the exceptional price of

\$12.50

Usually \$22.50

Wraps for Theatre or Opera

Greatly Reduced in Price

Exclusive models, (only one of a kind,) includ-
ing the new Beaded and Spangled effects. Chiffon
Velvet, Satin and Brocade, trimmed with the most
fashionable furs of the season.

\$100.00 to \$195.00

Formerly \$150.00 to \$285.00

Third Floor

House Gowns, Negligees, Kimonos and Dressing Sacques

A great and varied assortment of Crepe-de-Chine,
Messaline, Flowered Satin, Albatross and Novelty
Crepes. Also a large variety of comfortable and
warm robes—exceptionally desirable models in zan-
nanas, silk quilted, eiderdown and flannel.

Novelty Crepe and Jacquard Silk	\$1.25, \$1.95 & \$2.95
Flowered Silk or Satin	\$2.95, \$3.95 & \$6.95
Albatross	\$3.95, \$5.95 & \$6.95
Crepe-de-Chine	\$3.95, \$6.95 & \$7.95
Eiderdown or Blanket Robes	\$2.95, \$3.95 & \$4.95
Quilted Japanese Robes	\$5.95 & \$6.95

Dressing Sacques

Crepe-de-Chine	\$4.45, \$5.95 & \$7.95
Albatross	\$1.95, \$2.95 & \$3.45
French Flannel	\$1.95, \$2.95 & \$4.95

Silk Petticoats & Knickers

Extraordinary Values

Special Lot of Silk Petticoats

Consisting of messaline, silk Jersey and Crepe-de-Chine,

\$1.95, \$2.95, \$3.95 & \$4.95

Wool Jersey Top Petticoats

Flounce of messaline in black only \$2.95 & \$3.95

Silk and Wool Jersey Knickers

Silk Jersey Knickers, in white, pink and

black \$2.95 to \$5.00

Wool Jersey Knickers in Black Only

Knee length \$2.95 | Ankle length \$3.45

Muslin Underwear

Attractive Assortments & Unusual Values

Night Gowns

Sheer Nainsook	98c, \$1.25 & \$1.95
Crepe-de-Chine	\$3.95, \$4.95 & \$6.95
Albatross	\$3.95 & \$4.45
Cotton Crepe	98c & \$1.25

Discontinued Models in Odd Sizes

At Greatly Reduced Prices, as follows:

\$1.95, \$2.95 & \$3.95

Underbodices of Crepe-de-Chine

Lace trimmed 98c, \$1.50 & \$1.95

Extraordinary Values in Corsets & Brassieres

Discontinued Styles in Up-to-Date Models
(The range of sizes not being complete)

At About 1/2 Usual Prices

\$1.25, \$1.95, \$2.95 & \$3.75

Usually \$2.50 to \$8.00

Several Models of Brassieres

85c to \$1.75

Usually up to \$3.50

Second Floor

Maids' Dresses & Aprons

In a Large Variety of Models and Materials

Dresses

Black Dresses of percale, alpaca and mohair, prices according
to materials.
\$2.25, \$3.00, \$5.50 & \$8.50

Striped or checked percale, high

or low neck 95c, \$1.25 & \$1.50

Chambray or Seersucker \$1.50, \$1.95 & \$2.25

Aprons

In a large assortment for maids, waitresses and nurses, plain
and dainty embroidery trimmed,
35c, 50c, 75c, 98c & \$1.25

Second Floor

Some Unusual Offerings in the Dress Goods Section

Imported Black Broadcloths

54 inches wide, spot proof finish.
Usually \$3.00 per yard \$1.88

Black English Corduroy Velvet

Usually \$2.00 per yard 98c

500 Dress and Skirt Lengths

In a varied assortment of this season's dress goods

Skirt Lengths—\$2.45 to \$5.00 each

Dress Lengths—\$3.50 to \$10.00 each

Second Floor

SUSPECTED SPY HAD AMERICAN PASSPORT

Another Man Arrested in England Supplied with Credentials Apparently Ours.

HAD AT LEAST THREE NAMES

Arrested for Failing to Register, but "More Serious Charges" Are Threatened.

LONDON, Nov. 14.—A mysterious individual known under the names of Horst, Von der Goltz and Bridgman Taylor, described as a Major in the Mexican army and suspected of being a German spy, was remanded in a police court today on the charge of failing to register as an alien enemy.

The prosecution said that although the prisoner was charged with this minor offense, he was under very grave suspicion at the Foreign Office, at the Admiralty, and on the part of the police, and that he might have to answer more serious charges when the inquiry into his career had been completed.

The real name of this man is not yet known, but he had in his possession a passport issued in Washington bearing the name Bridgman (or Bridgeman) Taylor, and describing him as a Major in the Mexican army. An endorsement on this passport showed that the bearer had been in Berlin as recently as Oct. 29. He arrived in London on Nov. 4 under an assumed name and with a false passport. A few days later he was arrested.

The prosecution mentioned sums of money which, it was said, had been remitted to the prisoner by an official named F. Faber. The prosecutor said he did not as yet know whether the official was a German or a representative of the United States Consulate.

The passport found on the prisoner, in the name of Taylor, was issued at Washington on Aug. 30, or purported to have been issued there and then.

When arrested by a detective and asked whether his name was Taylor or Von der Goltz, the prisoner is alleged to have replied: Taylor, but now come you to know that I am Von der Goltz?

WASHINGTON, Nov. 14.—The records of the State Department show that a passport was issued last Aug. 31 to Bridgeman W. Taylor, born in San Francisco on July 10, 1887. He was represented to be an export broker of New York. The application for the passport came through Frederick F. Schneider, 2 East German Street, Baltimore, and the name of Charles J. Tucker, 82 Wall Street, New York, was attached as identifying witness.

There was no statement on the face of the passport as to left here indicating that Taylor was a Major in the Mexican Army. It is not permissible to include such data in a passport. Officials have no way of telling whether the passport has been altered.

Because fraud was possible under the old passport system, the President issued new regulations yesterday, making it illegal for anyone to obtain a passport without perfect identification of the applicant, establishing his full right to a passport as a native of this country or a naturalized citizen, and otherwise maintaining the integrity of American passports.

Though the officials will not admit that they were directly influenced by the evidence in the case of the young German, Lady, shot as a spy in the Tower of London, who fraudulently used the passport of an American named Ingels, the State Department has already been looking into the subject. The Ingels passport was issued by the American Embassy at Berlin.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 14.—Frederick F. Schneider, a lawyer with offices in the same building as those in the North German Lloyd Steamship Company, readily recalls having drawn the application for a passport for a man giving the name of Bridgeman W. Taylor last August. He knew nothing whatever respecting the man's antecedents or his business, he said tonight.

It was a common practice, Mr. Schneider added, for the steamship company to send intending passengers desiring passports to him for the preparation of the application, and it was fair to assume that it had done so in this instance.

The name of Charles J. Tucker does not appear in any of the New York City or telephone directories.

SEES ENGLISH-BOND PLOT.

Reichsbank Threatens Banks Helping Foreign Owners Unload.

BERLIN, via The Hague, Nov. 13, via London, Nov. 14.—The Reichsbank today took action designed to check the inflow of German securities from abroad.

A considerable volume of German bonds with an English stamp having recently reached Germany, the Reichsbank sees therein an attempt of the English to depress the price of the bonds and discredit Germany's financial solidity.

Hence Rudolf Havenstein, President of the Reichsbank, today conferred with the Boerse Committee, after which the committee gave out a press statement that the Reichsbank would permanently

sever all business relations with banks acting as agents for such foreign operations.

SAYS ANTWERP WAS ROBBED.

German Press Bureau Accuses British of \$40,000,000 Theft.

BERLIN, Nov. 14, (by Wireless to Sayville, L. I.)—Information handed officially to the press is as follows: "Previous to the fall of Antwerp the British forces destroyed and robbed private property belonging to Belgians and neutral firms, and did damage amounting to over 200,000,000 francs (\$40,000,000).

"It is reported here from Holland that the Belgian troops are so depressed by the German victory at Dixmude that the British commanders will no longer permit them to fight as separate units.

"The British Consul General at Munich has urged the President of the Swiss Merchants' Association to trade with British merchants for the business that they formerly did with German firms. The Swiss Merchants' Association declined this proposal.

"Russian troops brutally dragged away the German residents of a Persian town and maltreated and clubbed the women and children.

"The Frankfurter Zeitung publishes a letter from a Swiss subject in Canada, who writes that a French Consul in a certain Canadian town who at the same time represented Switzerland, urged Swiss subjects in Canada to join the Canadian expedition against Germany, saying mediocrity that Germany, after the occupation of Swiss territory, was at war with Switzerland. Some Swiss subjects, believing the Consul, joined the Canadian expedition.

"The Socialists of Milan have again indulged in a manifestation.

RESPECTS BRITISH FLEET.

German Critic Warns the Public Against Treating It with Contempt.

BERLIN, Nov. 14, (via The Hague and London).—Count von Reventlow, writing in The Tages Zeitung, again sounds a note of warning against the popular exaggeration of Germany's military successes in the past or of the results attained by the German fleet. At the same time he cautions his readers against contempt for the strength of the British fleet.

This naval critic expects a complete German victory, but he writes that the people should not for a moment suppose that the British fleet has suffered severely from the losses caused up to the present time by German ships.

"We have no reason," he says, "to disregard the losses caused up to the present time by German ships. It may be said that those best able to judge in this matter in German naval circles have no such conception."

CANADA'S FINE RESPONSE.

Host of Men Volunteering for the War, Says Premier Borden.

Sir Robert L. Borden, Premier of Canada, arrived at the Algonquin yesterday with Lady Borden from Hot Springs, Va., where they had been spending the last three weeks. They expect to leave tonight for Ottawa. Sir Robert said:

"There has been a very fine response all over Canada to the call for volunteers," he said in answer to a question. "As a matter of fact, they are coming along faster than we can take care of them."

Robert Rogers, Minister of Public Works in the Dominion Cabinet, who has been at the Ritz-Carlton on business for two or three days, expects also to leave for Ottawa tonight. Mr. Rogers says that work on the great public improvements in Canada has not been halted by the war, but is going on as usual.

"We are pressing the work on the Welland Canal, the Hudson's Bay Railway, and the big docks at Halifax, St. John's, Montreal, Toronto, Vancouver, and Victoria, just as if there were no war," said Mr. Rogers. "You must take with pinches of salt the reports that these works have been endangered by secret agents of alien Governments."

The foreign people in Canada are so well treated that they would not entertain the idea of injuring public property in which they have a common interest together with the citizens of the country. No restraint is imposed upon them. Of course, there are certain regulations necessary in times like these, but they are not real restraints."

Mr. Rogers said the report that 60,000 Americans had enlisted in the Canadian expeditionary forces was fiction.

PRaises BECK'S ARTICLE.

London, Paper's Comment on His Argument in The New York Times.

By Marconi Transatlantic Wireless Telegraph to The New York Times.

LONDON, Nov. 14.—The Globe in an editorial article this evening says: "In THE NEW YORK TIMES of Oct. 23 there appeared a very remarkable article, in which the case of the Allies as against the German Powers is carefully examined and weighed by an eminent American lawyer, Mr. James M. Beck, sometime Assistant Attorney General of the United States."

Mr. Beck concludes his official evidence, German as well as British, French, and Russian, that Germany is distinctly responsible for the war. For the pretense that offensive, peace-loving Germany has been the victim of an unscrupulous conspiracy inspired by the hate and greed of unconscionable enemies this American lawyer seems to find no confirmation whatever, and, as THE NEW YORK TIMES says in comment on the case, "Even should Germany withstand the assault of the Allies, she can never withstand the moral condemnation of the civilized world."

"Perhaps that conviction explains the bitter attack by another American paper on the slowness of this country in taking its part in the war. The reproach may be a manifestation of the feeling that Great Britain, with such a supreme cause to defend, has no excuse for delaying to put out her utmost strength."

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are desirous of impressing upon their many patrons, now busily planning their holiday shopping, the tremendous economic advantages attending the Store's liberal policy in regard to the free shipment of merchandise.

Under this policy all purchases, whether charged or paid for in cash (including heavy and bulky packages), will be forwarded free of charge by mail, express or freight to any point in the United States; and all purchases, whether charged or paid for in cash, not exceeding twenty (20) pounds in weight, will be forwarded free by mail to all territories and dependencies of the United States, or to all foreign countries where Parcel Post rates apply.

New, Seasonable Merchandise Offering Special Price Advantages for Monday

A Special Purchase of Sponged Broadcloth

(54 inches wide), in dark brown, dark green, prune and black, will be offered at the exceptional price of \$1.65 per yard.

The Mourning Department (Third Floor)

Fashionable Gowns, Suits and Hats for Mourning, at very moderate prices, are now awaiting selection. Arrangements have been completed to offer at Special Sale, commencing tomorrow,

Women's Mourning Dresses of fine quality and correct styles, at the exceptional price of \$29.00

Extraordinary Values will be offered in Women's Fur-trimmed Coats (silk-lined)

made on the newest lines, of fashionable materials, and in every way unusual at the prices quoted

Coats of black velour velvet, with collar and cuffs of fur and the modish flare skirt bordered with fur at \$42.50

Coats of wide-wale corduroy; a new belted model, smartly trimmed with fur, at \$32.00

Many of this season's Imported Coats and Afternoon and Evening Wraps are now marked at appreciable reductions from the original prices.

A Special Offering of Women's Crepe Blouses

will present two new, stylish models at most attractive prices.

Blouses of French crepe in shades appropriate for suit wear, with accentuations of gold lace, at \$6.75

Hand-embroidered Blouses of French crepe in a variety of the wanted shades at \$8.50

French Model Blouses, of lace, crepe and fancy silks, have been marked at the greatly reduced prices of

\$18.50, \$28.00 and upward.

In the Department for Misses and Small Women, on the Second Floor,

Afternoon Dresses of Velveteen and Silks

in a variety of attractive styles, will be on sale, in a special assortment, at the remarkably low price (considering the qualities) of \$17.50

An interesting feature on the Third Floor for Monday and Tuesday, November 16th and 17th, will be

An Extraordinary Sale of Women's Negligees and Lounging Robes

in new, smart Winter models prepared especially for the occasion and marked at undeniably appealing prices.

Negligees of corduroy velvet in a variety of charming colors; lined with silk at \$14.50

Negligees of brocaded crepe de Chine, lined throughout with albatross at \$9.50

Imported Negligees of albatross, with lace-edged collar and cuffs of hand-embroidered lingerie at \$9.25

Negligees of extra-quality crepe de Chine, plain or brocaded; trimmed with swansdown at \$7.75

Japanese Lounging Robes of quilted silk, daintily embroidered; a garment of superior quality at \$6.90

Lounging Robes of eiderdown or blanketing at 3.85

Women's Ready-to-wear Gowns (Third Floor)

New Dresses, representing the latest ideas, are constantly being received and placed on sale in the newly arranged section provided for the exclusive showing of Dresses.

A display, prepared for Monday, consists of Afternoon and Evening Dresses that have not heretofore been shown.

Inspection is cordially invited.

A Special Offering will be made of Women's Afternoon and Evening Dresses at the exceptional price of \$29.00

An Unusual Sale of Corsets and Brassieres

will offer special inducements at these prices:

Corsets of coutil, sizes 18 to 30 at \$1.35

Custom-made Corsets of coutil, for medium and stout figures, sizes 20 to 30, at \$3.50 & 4.50

Trimmed Brassieres, sizes 32 to 46, at 38c., 75c. & 95c.

The Millinery Department on the Third Floor will provide an attraction for the smart woman in

A Specially Prepared Sale of Hats of French Felt

(fur-trimmed), featuring the delicate shades that are so fashionable this season. These Hats will be offered at the exceptional price of \$16.00

A number of Trimmed Hats, in various styles appropriate for Winter, will also be included in this Sale at the reduced price of \$12.00

8,000 Pairs of Women's Short Gilt Gloves

(Imported)

pique sewn, in white, tan or black, will be placed on sale at the very special price of 85c. per pair.

Women's Silk Hosiery

in excellent qualities, will be specially priced.

Women's Black Silk Hose per pair 62c. & 95c.

Women's Black or White Silk Hose, per pair \$1.25

An Interesting Offering in the Upholstery Department (Fourth Floor) will consist of

Reversible Velour Portieres

(Custom-made in workrooms in the establishment), at the unusually low price of

\$17.50 per pair.

These Portieres are made with open edges, of the same quality of velour that is ordinarily used for special orders, and represent a variety of desirable color combinations.

Also 400 Imported Screens

(in four panels)

at about one-half the usual prices.

Rep Screens, in Delft, rose, green and brown, with painted top panels at \$5.50 & 7.90

Hand-embroidered Screens of satin, in green, brown, blue and black at \$9.75

Decorative Lace Pieces

(Hand-made Filet)

at decided reductions from former prices, will provide a highly interesting offering at the Special Sales Tables on the First Floor.

Table Covers . . . \$5.50, 6.50 to 38.00

Scarfs . . . 8.50, 11.00 to 37.50

Pillow Slips . . . 6.50, 7.50 to 19.00

Chair Backs . . . 4.50, 5.00 to 22.00

Arm Pieces . . . 1.50, 2.00 & 2.50

In the Lace Curtain Department (Fourth Floor) a limited quantity of

Hand-made Filet Lace Panels and French Lace Curtains

will be placed on sale at remarkable price concessions.

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Fifth Avenue-Madison Avenue, New York

Thirty-fifth Street

HOLDS CHEMISTS AFTER EXPLOSION

Coroner Puts Owner and Manager of Wrecked Plant Under Bail Pending an Inquest.

ANOTHER VICTIM IS DEAD

Survivors of Brooklyn Disaster Unable, Because of Their Injuries, to Tell How Accident Occurred.

After visiting the wrecked building yesterday afternoon, Coroner Frank S. Senior of Brooklyn announced that he would hold an inquest a week from tomorrow to fix the responsibility for the explosion on Friday in the chemical and dye works of Dr. William Beckers, at 107 to 113 Underhill Avenue, which caused the death of two men and injuries to twenty-five others. After his preliminary examination, the Coroner directed that Dr. Beckers and William Muller, the manager of the plant, should give bonds of \$5,000 and \$2,000, respectively, for their appearance at the inquest. The required security was furnished by the two men.

The second victim of the explosion to succumb to his injuries was Adolph Wolters, who died early yesterday morning in the Cumberland Street Hospital. Wolters, who was 30 years old, and who lived at 24 Sterling Place, was employed as an assistant chemist in the plant and was at work on the second floor of the laboratory when the explosion occurred. He died without having been able to make any statement as to the probable cause of the blast.

Fire Marshal Thomas F. Brophy is continuing his investigation, but has not learned what brought about the explosion. Mr. Brophy was unable yesterday to question Dr. Beckers, the head of the chemical concern, who was one of those injured. Dr. Beckers is at his home, 40 Eighth Avenue.

Sidney David, manager of one of the branches of the Beckers firm, expressed the belief yesterday that because of the death of Walter E. Haaren, the young chemist who was conducting experiments when the explosion occurred, the exact cause of the disaster would never be established. Mr. David was near Haaren in the laboratory when the explosion took place. "I have not the slightest idea what caused the explosion," said Mr. David. "Haaren probably was the only man who could tell, and he is dead. That there was only one explosion I am positive. Persons who say that there were two or three probably took the noise of falling walls as explosions. I was certainly near enough to know, and I heard but one. At first there was a sound like the hiss of escaping steam, which was followed by a great thunder clap. I felt the floor sink under me, and I went down with it. Recovering from the shock, I managed to dig my way out of the wreckage and get outside through a window."

BOY CANOEISTS NEAR DEATH

Upset in the Hudson from Boat They Had Just Bought.

Three boys who bought an old canoe yesterday for \$2.50 and went for a ride on the North River at the foot of 150th Street narrowly escaped drowning when their boat overturned. Sgt. Kennison of the West 132d Street Police Station, who was walking on Riverside Drive, witnessed the accident, and, obtaining a rowboat, went to their rescue, aided by Charles Wolfe of 121 East Eighteenth Street and William Ecks, who were out in a motor boat.

Of the boys, John Morrissey, 14, of 2,503 Eighth Avenue, and Harry Olsen, 13, son of the steward of the Federal Boat Club at 140th Street and the North River, could swim. They fought hard to save their companion, William Stevenson, 14, of 254 West 143d Street, who were forced to abandon him just as the motor boat came up.

The men in the boat pulled the Morrissey and Olsen boys aboard. Sgt. Kennison grabbed the Stevenson boy as he sank. The boys were revived by a physician.

Newlands Wins by 38 Votes.
CARSON CITY, Nev., Nov. 14.—Francis G. Newlands, Democrat, was re-elected United States Senator at the recent election over Samuel Platt, Republican, by a plurality of 38 votes, according to the result of the official canvass completed today.

"Kiddies in Wonderland!"

Bring the kiddies with you to the "Children's Play-World," Eleventh Floor of the Craftsman Building, and watch them have the joy of their lives with the most novel and delightful Playroom Things made in America—the celebrated Helen Speer Playroom Furniture (with Helen Speer herself in charge), fascinating screens, pillows, rugs and draperies specially for the kiddies, books, saws, Noah's arks, quaint animals, and a myriad of other unique toys that you won't find elsewhere.

CRAFTSMAN BUILDING, 6 East 39th Street, near Fifth Avenue.

GIRL GOT \$3,500 IN LOOT

Servant Who Had Held for Theft of Mrs. Lesser's Jewels.

A young woman who was well dressed and wore a jeweled bracelet and wrist watch was arrested yesterday afternoon in a tenement at 210 Avenue B, by Detective Thompson of the Fourth Branch Detective Bureau. When the detective ordered the woman to the 123d Street Police Station to search her, the girl shook her head and turned over to him a bag containing \$163, which she said was all she had with her. Then she was locked up in a cell.

Soon after that the girl was identified by Arthur Lesser, managing director of the Stearns Automobile Company, who lives at 801 West End Avenue, as a maid who was employed at his home from Oct. 7 to 9. On the latter day, he said, she disappeared, and it was discovered that jewelry belonging to Mrs. Lesser worth \$3,500, and \$200 in cash were missing. Mrs. Lesser, he said, left a bag containing the jewelry and money on a table in her room while she went to the telephone. Detective Thompson obtained from a downtown employment agency where Mrs. Lesser had found her. He also discovered her picture in the Rogies' Gallery, where she was identified as a family in Yonkers.

In 1913, he said, she was sent to Auburn Prison for robbing a jewelry store in Yonkers. A short time before that she had been employed by J. Eisner, 240 Fulton Street, Mount Vernon. She left that place after five weeks, and the same day jewelry worth \$1,000 was missed. Part of this jewelry was recovered in a pawnshop, and two men were arrested for receiving stolen property, but were released, as it was impossible at the time to find the girl. Detective Thompson had been reported lately, and a thorough investigation will be made. The girl refused to make a statement.

NEW INCOME TAX RULING.

Returns Must Include Dividends Declared, But Not Paid When Report Is Made.

Special to The New York Times.
WASHINGTON, Nov. 14.—The Treasury Department has decided that hereafter income tax returns must include dividends declared but not paid up to the end of the period covered by the return, so that all payments decided upon from now to the end of 1914, but not paid until Jan. 1, 1915, will be included in the current year's income. Commissioner Osborne has made this ruling on the subject.

"Dividends from the net earnings or established surplus created from the net earnings of any corporation, joint stock company, or association, or insurance companies are vested in the stockholder on the date on which such dividends are declared, whether distributed or not, and regardless of the time when the surplus or profits from which the dividends are declared were earned and entered on the books of the corporation, joint stock company, or association, or insurance company, as provided in the law, and should be so included in the gross income of the corporation, joint stock company, or association, or insurance company, and regulations which are in conflict with this ruling are revoked."

MINTON FLUHRER MARRIES.

Wedded to Miss Elsa M. Arndt at Home of Bride's Parents.

The wedding of Minton Fluhrer, a son of Dr. William F. Fluhrer and Mrs. Fluhrer of 241 West Seventy-first Street, and Miss Elsa M. Arndt, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Christian Arndt, took place at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents, 410 Riverside Drive, the Rev. Frank Oliver Hall performing the ceremony, which was witnessed by the immediate relatives only, but was followed by a large reception.

The bride wore white chamoisee and point lace, with a tulle veil, and carried a bunch of white and pink roses. Her bridesmaids were Mrs. William F. Mathews, who wore blue chamoisee and silver lace and carried pink roses. The Little Misses Fluhrer were Louise Stottengen, in white frocks and with baskets of roses, and her brother's best man.

The apartment was decorated with palms and chrysanthemums. On their return from their honeymoon trip Mr. and Mrs. Fluhrer will live at 633 West 112th Street.

Grocer Dies After Assault.
Eusebio Tontelle, 62 years old, who ran a grocery store at 157 East 110th Street, died last evening at the Harlem Hospital from wounds he received when he was assaulted in his store last Sunday night and robbed of \$120. He was found early the following morning, his throat gashed and weak from loss of blood. Santo Elfonso, of 317 East Forty-eighth Street, was arrested on the charge of homicide and was locked up in the East 120th Street police station pending a hearing. Detectives found \$51 in his room.

FOREST FIRE NEAR POWDER FACTORY

Jersey Firemen Work All Night to Save du Pont Plant from Destruction.

MANY TOWNS ARE IN PERIL

Barns Are Destroyed and Homes Menaced by Spread of Flames Started by Hunters.

Special to The New York Times.
TRENTON, N. J., Nov. 14.—Forest fires continued to rage in many parts of New Jersey today. The most serious blaze is near the plant of the du Pont powder works at Wayne, N. J. One hundred men are fighting while volunteer fire departments in near-by towns stand ready in case the fire gets beyond control and threatens the powder works. In Little Falls, Singac, Athenia, Midland Park, Oakland, Pompton, and other places fires have been extinguished. At Pompton Lakes a fire burned over several miles and threatened many bungalows and Summer homes of prominent persons.

A forest fire that extended fully two miles last night threatened the towns of Woodcliff Lake, Park Ridge, Montvale, Pearl River, and Hillsdale, and the firemen in these places were required to do patrol duty all night, to prevent the destruction of many homes. The fire burned the barns of Mrs. Anna Wilkins and A. G. Roland. The dwelling houses of Roland and Mrs. J. C. Doane caught fire but were saved. During the excitement powder works at Pearl River that fires started in the buildings there broke through fire, and the company from that place had to leave the Montvale fire.

T. M. OSBORNE FOR WARDEN.

Is Considering Offer to Head Sing Sing Prison.

Special to The New York Times.
ALBANY, Nov. 14.—The wardenship of Sing Sing Prison has been tendered to Thomas Mott Osborne and he has taken it under consideration. Superintendent John B. Riley of the State Prison Department did not go to his home in Plattsburg last evening as has been his custom on Fridays, but remained in town until this afternoon in order to meet Mr. Osborne. In announcing the result of the interview, Superintendent Riley said:

"Mr. Osborne has given his time for the past year in an effort to carry into effect the reforms in prison discipline and management inaugurated by this department. He feels that he may render more effective public service by continuing the work in which he is now engaged than he can as Warden of Sing Sing. I feel confident that Mr. Osborne will accept, if he concludes that under the circumstances the promotion of prison reform will not suffer. He spoke of Mr. Macy, who has been suggested for the position, in the highest terms."

Y. Everett Macy is a merchant in New York City, is very wealthy and lives in Westchester County. George S. Weeks, Deputy Superintendent, who is acting as temporary Warden of Sing Sing, is anxious to be relieved of the wardenship, which is not to his liking, and Judge Riley is endeavoring to bring about a successful result of his inquiries for a suitable person as quickly as possible. Mr. Osborne and Mr. Macy are being urged by the State Prison Reform Association for the wardenship, hoping thereby to get the prison out of the influence of politics.

KING HONORS PROF. BROWN.

Yale Instructor to Get Royal Gold Medal for Astronomy Investigations.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
LONDON, Nov. 14.—King George has approved the presentation by the Council of The Royal Society of a royal gold medal to Prof. Ernest W. Brown of Yale University for his investigations in astronomy.

PASSENGER FARES RAISED.

Eastern Roads File New Tariffs to Take Effect Dec. 15.

Special to The New York Times.
WASHINGTON, Nov. 14.—Taking advantage of a suggestion made by the Interstate Commerce Commission several weeks ago, when the application for a general 5 per cent. increase in freight rates was denied, the railroads throughout the Eastern States are filing tariffs of increases of passenger fares to become effective Dec. 15. Announcement was made by the commission today that such tariffs had been filed by the Pennsylvania, the Baltimore and Ohio, the Philadelphia and Reading, and other carriers. Because of the volume in which the tariffs were filed, the officials of the commission will be unable to give definite figures on the proposed increases until Monday or Tuesday.

In an order issued by the commission, the application of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad to raise passenger rates, effective Dec. 1, has been approved, and there is reason to believe that the same action will be taken upon the application of the Pennsylvania and the Philadelphia and Reading.

Necessity of raising additional revenue is the explanation given by the railroads for the increase in the passenger rates. In rejecting the plea of the railroads for a 5 per cent. increase in freight rates the commission intimated that the passenger service of many of the railroads was being operated at a loss and the suggestion was offered that "each branch of the railroad service should contribute its proper share to the cost of operation and of return upon the property devoted to the use of the public."

GRAND JURY DINES.

Additional September Body Has Judge Wadhams as Its Guest.

Members of the additional September Grand Jury, which investigated the east side bank cases, and handed up a presentment against Commissioner John D. Kane, dined at the Hotel Savoy last night. Judge William H. Wadhams of the Court of General Sessions presided. The speakers were Judge Wadhams, William F. Fulmer, foreman, and Abraham Schwab, Chairman of the dinner committee.

Others who were present were Charles K. Berwin, Secretary of the Grand Jury; Otto J. Jung, Benito Rovino, Henry Malcan, Alfred Blum, Henry J. Cone, David A. McKinley, Samuel H. Schiff, H. Oakley Hall, Monroe S. Simon, Louis L. Hoffman, David Shuman, Benjamin Livingston, Samuel Jacobson, Michael Sheehy, George Latham, George White, J. Louis S. Levy, Morgan D. McDonough, F. B. Tilghman, and Berthold Levi.

Old Soldier's Body Rescued.

Grand Army of the Republic veterans yesterday gave a funeral with full military honors in the National Cemetery, Great Neck, to the body of Michael Tierman, an old soldier, who died on Nov. 8 in the Kings County Hospital. The body was placed in a casket and given the customary \$30 for his burial to a Williamsburg undertaker, who put the body in a pine box and sent it to the receiving vault. When friends went there for the burial last Monday they discovered the condition of the body, and a subscription was taken up among the veterans to provide proper clothing and a better coffin.

Two Postcards Delayed Eight Years

Two postal picture cards addressed to Miss Maud Tyrer, 205 Eighth Street, Jersey City, and mailed at Rahway Nov. 8, 1906, were delivered last Wednesday to Mrs. Bert Donaghy of that address in Jersey City. She was formerly Miss Tyrer. She has not learned how the cards were delayed. Their original appearance indicated that they had been mislaid.

CITY BREVITIES.

The officers of the Society of the New York Alumni of Georgetown University were elected at the annual meeting of the society held Friday in the Waldorf-Astoria. J. Lynch Penney was re-elected President. Kempton Taylor, 13 years old, of 1,989 Webster Avenue, the Bronx, was killed yesterday afternoon by a wagon that ran over him in Brook Avenue, the Bronx. The boy was on roller skates.

Five women were knocked down in front of the Church of Our Lady of Mount Carmel in Williamsburg yesterday morning by a runaway horse. One of them was seriously injured. While his wife looked on without knowing what he was doing, a man, 40 years old, a mechanic, out of employment, vomited in his home at 100 West 125th Street, Williamsburg, yesterday by taking cyanide of potassium.

FIGHT OVER WOMAN FOR POORMASTER

Jersey City Mayor Favors Miss Grisch for Job, but a Mere Man Contests Place.

SHE TRIUMPHED IN TEST

But Rival Says She Isn't Eligible and Threatens Court Action if She Is Appointed.

The Poormaster's job in Jersey City is a post which has caused serious contention. When the commission government was installed more than a year ago Edward Hewitt, who had filled the office for many years, succeeding his deceased father, was promptly dropped. George Murray, who had been Assistant Poormaster for a long time, was an active applicant, but Mayor Fagan favored Miss Anita Grisch of Hoboken, who had been identified with Probation Department work. A Civil Service examination limited to residents of Jersey City was held, but Miss Grisch would not become a resident of Jersey City and did not compete.

John Mulvaney, a Jersey City lawyer, was the only candidate who survived this examination, but he had only two votes of the five City Commissioners and failed of appointment after several exciting sessions. The Mayor, determined to obtain the services of Miss Grisch, had the rule amended to open the Civil Service examinations to residents of Hudson County.

SULZER 'ELECTED WHITMAN'

"And We Made the Bull Moosers Ridiculous," Ex-Governor Says.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 14.—"We elected Whitman," says William Sulzer in a letter to Horace B. Warner, a Progressive Assemblyman of this city. The letter follows in part:

The verdict of the people reverses the verdict of the Tammany Court of Infamy—and it means that Murphy must go. Glynn plotted with Murphy to steal my office, but the voters refused to confirm the theft. It will be a long time before Tammany removes another Governor because he would not be a party to the looting of the State.

We made an honest and a dignified and an independent fight for principle—the principle of honest government—and the result when analyzed vindicates the principle. It was impossible for us to win with every honest—big or little—in the State fighting me; with every grater—big or little—in New York denouncing us; and with every agency of the invisible Government of the Commonwealth arrayed against us. Besides, you know we lacked the money and newspaper support, and the organization to wage a successful campaign. Then, again, in the last days of the campaign, many of our friends went over to Mr. Whitman, and voted for him, for fear that the cards were stacked against them. This accounts for the slump in our vote in certain places where we were every reason to expect better results.

However, I have no regrets. I am glad I made the fight, and we can console ourselves with the reflection that we elected Whitman, beat Murphy's crooked ticket, made the Bull Moosers ridiculous, and drove from public life the conspirators who stole the Governorship.

The principle for which we fought has been accentuated. We have won a moral victory. Our struggle has done much to purify the political atmosphere of the State. We have been useful to the citizens, and although we could not win, yet we were able to defeat all along the line the enemies of good government.

Our fight for reform and better things will go on. It has just begun. I am going to the end of the road in the struggle I began for honest government and decent politics.

ROAD CONGRESS ENDS.

Meeting Said to Have Been Most Successful Ever Held.

Special to The New York Times.

ATLANTA, Ga., Nov. 14.—The fourth American road congress closed this morning with a business meeting, at which reports of the Secretary and the Treasurer were read, final resolutions presented, invitations for the 1915 congress received, and general questions briefly discussed. The congress, just ended is said to have been the most successful ever held.

The delegates are beginning to leave the city, and the removal of exhibits from the auditorium commenced today. Officers of the congress are not elected by the congress itself, but by an Executive Committee. This committee is elected by the officers of the American Highway Association, acting jointly with the Executive Committee. The Executive Committee also chooses the next meeting place. It may be several months before the new officers and the city in which the next congress will be held are announced.

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WORKING TO STOP ROBBERY OF INDIANS

Indian Commissioner Defends Steps Taken Against Land Thieves in Oklahoma.

FURTHER EFFORT PLANNED

Miss Barnard's Charges Admitted to be True and Support Urged of Her Efforts for the Indians.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 14.—Cato Sells, the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, said today that the charges made by Miss Kate Barnard, State Commissioner of Charities of Oklahoma, that Indians and particularly children in that State had been robbed of lands worth millions of dollars, were in the main true. Mr. Sells declined, however, to discuss Miss Barnard's story of the wholesale wrongs perpetrated on Indian children in Oklahoma and her criticism of the Indian Office. All that could be said by the Indian Office, Mr. Sells added, was that the co-operation of all good people ought to be assured in such a righteous struggle to protect the weak and helpless.

Miss Barnard's charges were contained in an article in The Survey, and a summary of it printed in The New York Times today attracted attention here among those interested in Indian affairs. Among other things Miss Barnard declared that \$200,000,000 was a low estimate of the money prize at stake in the fight she is waging to prevent the Oklahoma Indians from being robbed of their possessions. She charged that the Oklahoma delegation in Congress and the Indian Bureau in Washington, brought about the consolidation of the Union Indian Agency at Muskogee, Okla., with the Commission of the Five Civilized Tribes, and that the offices so consolidated were removed from the protection of the civil service regulations and made political. After that, according to Miss Barnard, appropriations to help the Indians supervise their estates were reduced, "while \$55,000 of the State's money was appropriated for purely political probate attorneys."

The policy mainly criticized by Miss Barnard is that of the Indian Office in sending special attorneys to Oklahoma to take charge of the probate business involving Indian children. These attorneys not only look after the adjusting of estates as the cases arise, but are instructed also to dig up all the wrongdoing they can in cases already disposed of and institute criminal prosecutions where necessary to bring defaulting and thieving administrators and executors to justice. This, it will be said in the report, is being done as rapidly and as extensively as the circumstances will permit.

Today one of the special attorneys telegraphed to the Indian Office that he had just obtained a judgment of \$25,000 against a defaulting administrator, who had moved to Phoenix, Ariz., and was robbing a number of Indian children in Oklahoma. Similar dispatches are being received almost every day. The work, it was said, is tedious and will require years to complete. But the Indian Office, according to statements made there today, has insisted on employing attorneys of high standing, and the most scientific and rigid rules are enforced as to the conduct of their work.

Indian Office to Act.

While there was a disposition at the Indian Office not to make any response to Miss Barnard's direct charges on the ground that the matters of which she had complained had been inherited by the present administration of that office, it was freely admitted that a systematic robbing of Indians in Oklahoma had been going on for a long time, and that the Indian Office was now trying to get at the bottom of the criminality. Convictions of scores of crooked administrators have been obtained, and hundreds of thousands of dollars in money recovered and restored to the Indian children to whom it belonged.

Soon after Congress meets in December the situation will be brought to its attention by the Commissioner in a special report. This report would be a matter of official routine, and not made necessary by reason of criticism of the course pursued by the Indian Office.

The system embraces twenty-five attorneys in all. Four of these are the tribal attorneys authorized by Congress and twenty-one are special attorneys at large. These attorneys are selected, was said, on precisely the same lines of selection as prevail in the Department of Justice. The greater part of them are Democrats but some are Republicans, but it was explained that the first requisite was that they should be competent and honest lawyers.

The criticism that they are not under civil service rules was answered by the statement that no such attorney in the Government service are so protected in any department. They are selected, it was added, just as a court would choose a special attorney for any particular service.

Commissioner Sells said today that he had put all the conscientious energy of which he was capable in the selections and that he thought the men chosen were making good. As in all similar lines of work there were possibly one or two who might be displaced by better selections that measured up more closely to the standard set for the work.

One rule that the Commissioner said he had enforced was that these attorneys should keep out of politics. One attorney wanted to run for the bench and the Commissioner refused to let him do so unless he resigned.

In the matter of the tribal attorneys, the Commissioner has laid down new rules, which are placed in the contracts with these lawyers. They are hereafter to be required to give their whole time to the litigation connected with the Indians and cannot take any outside business. They also must keep out of politics, and they are forbidden to spend their time in Washington, as has heretofore been the practice. Interested themselves in Indian legislation. The contract requires them to assist in the probate work for which the special attorneys are employed.

Robberies Not Disputed.

The broad facts of the situation in Oklahoma are that, as has always been the case in newly settled country where the Indians have been in possession of

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the soil, the settlers have been disposed to rob the Indian if the chance occurred. There are possibly 100,000 Indian children who have suffered at the hands of the general practice of robbing them by means of the machinery of corrupt and unscrupulous lawyers and courts. Bogus bills for services, padded claims for legal services, fraudulent bondsmen and many similar agencies for robbery have been systematically employed. All this was made possible when in 1906 the administration of the Indian Office was turned over to the State Courts of Oklahoma from the jurisdiction of the Federal Government. The present administration of the Indian Office inherited the situation. Other Commissioners had tried to deal with it. In fact the plan for probate attorneys was agreed on before President Wilson was inaugurated. Even some of those who are now criticizing the present Indian Commissioner, it was asserted, were then behind the plan which they now regard as so bad.

Commissioner Sells went to Oklahoma last January to see what could be done to organize the plan and get it running. "I was afraid," he said, "in speaking of the matter, that I should find public sentiment all against me. It required sagacity, and I hardly know how to express it, but I found that the fact that I ought to have thought of the first thing, and that was that I was trying to help little children. That ought to appeal to any man. Even burglars and robbers have been given credit of children. I went to Oklahoma with an appeal for poor, untalented, and helpless children of the Indian race."

Hope for Remedial Legislation.

As a matter of fact the Commissioner found that there was a large body of public-spirited men and women in the State in favor of doing just what he wanted to do. Being a lawyer he first decided to make use of an Oklahoma statute, which gives the Supreme Court of the State power to make rules for the settlement of estates. But to get such rules which, as he had drawn them, were against what was going on, he knew he must have the support of the best men of the State. He met the tribal judges and county attorneys and county judges of the Cherokee, Creek, and Seminole nations at Muskogee, Okla., and they agreed to matter with them. They approved what he asked should be done. Then he met the judges of the State and they agreed. A similar meeting was held with the county judges and judges of the Chickasaw nation at Ardmore with a like result. These various meetings adopted resolutions approving the plan and also asked the Oklahoma delegation in Congress, the Government at Washington, and Congress to amend the original law as to the settlement of Indian estates in the State so that the county courts should have full power to revise and control the proceedings of the sale of estate lands to the end that they might be conserved for the good of the heirs of Indians. Commissioner Sells said today that he hoped that Congress would enact the legislation next session.

After receiving the hearty support of the county judges and the Indians and that of the leading Indians themselves, Commissioner Sells discussed the matter fully with the Governor of the State, with the Judges of the various State courts, and with the Supreme Court. With the support of the Governor, the judges of the State, and the Supreme Court, he then proceeded to the task of putting into effect the probate rules he desired to have adopted. They all came to his support, and on July 15 last the new rules were formally promulgated and went into effect. It was said at the Indian Office today that none of those who criticize the Indian Office now have anything to say or do against these rules. There is no discussion of the question can proceed intelligently without a knowledge of them.

Commissioner Sells is now urging the Legislature of Oklahoma to embody these rules in a statute to insure their permanence and greater force. They must be relied on to surround with 100 children with protection from fraud and robbery and they concern an immense amount of aggregate value, estimated by some to be perhaps \$30,000,000. These Indian estates are in forty counties. The Government probate attorneys are allotted to several counties in which the courts meet from time to time, so that one can not be sure of the probate business successfully of three or four counties.

The Present Safeguards.

Under the probate rules all guardians are required to make annual or semi-annual reports under oath, showing fully and completely the description, character, kind, and value of all property held for wards. Every item of receipt or disbursement must be shown in detail. All securities and assets must be listed and all vouchers filed. No receipts from a ward upon the final accounting will be accepted by the court unless the ward is brought into open court, and the hearing on final settlement must be taken by a stenographer and a copy of the notes filed. The same rules prevail in the matter of sales of land. The ward is required to come into court and say whether there is a necessity for selling the land.

The fees for guardians are fixed so that they shall in no case exceed \$300 and are restricted to a low, graduated percentage. All sales of gas or oil properties are approved only after sale in open court to the highest bidder, and petitions for such sales must be duly filed at least five days before the sale takes place. Deeds conveying inherited lands can be approved only after long notice and on petition of the grantor carefully verified in open court. All expenditures by guardians for wards must be upon the authorization of the court. The county courts are authorized to withhold approval of sales of lands unless the grantor shall agree to deposit the proceeds derived from the sale, to be expended subject to the approval of the court.

The probate attorneys every thirty days are required by the Indian Office to report where they were each day, what cases they were at work upon, what they have accomplished, and in general to give a minute account of their trusteeship.

Inasmuch as there are from 800 to 1,000 Indian probate cases in each county on an average, and in Muskogee there are 6,000, it is evident that none of these twenty-one attorneys will very soon get out of work.

Arrest Postal Clerk for Theft.

Harry Lichtenstein, 24 years old, of 65 East 26th Street, Elmhurst, L. I., a postal clerk in the Grand Central Station, was arrested last night and looked up in the Greenwich Street Station charged with stealing a special delivery letter containing money, sent as a decoy.

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SPURNS PLEA FOR MERCY

Goes Jauntily from Station in Arms of a New Chauffeur to Her Waiting Car.

A woman screaming brought a crowd running to an automobile which had stopped last night at Fifty-fourth Street and Seventh Avenue, among them Police Patrolman of the West Forty-seventh Street Station. They saw a woman hanging to a man who seemed anxious to break away. To the policeman she cried hysterically that the man was her husband and that he had been beating her.

Pittspatrick had the man drive to the station, where he found that the woman could not walk. She said she had lost both legs in a trolley accident here last year, and though she wore artificial limbs was helpless.

In the station where Pittspatrick carried her she said she was Mrs. Bert Green and lived at 8 West Ninety-eighth Street. She came here from Little Falls, N. Y., in September of last year, she said, and presently met with the accident which sent her to the Polyclinic Hospital. There Green called on her almost daily and sent her flowers and candy.

She settled her case with the surface car company for several thousand dollars, and Green, she said, proposed to

marry her.

Because she could not walk, Mrs. Green said, she bought herself the automobile, and her husband, who is a jewelry salesman, operated it for her. For a time, she said, they were happy, but then Green became cruel and abusive to her.

"It was too much when he actually beat me tonight in my own car," she told the Lieutenant, and Green, accordingly, went to a cell, charged with assaulting his wife. Mrs. Green was still telling her story to the police when he sent out a note, saying:

"Dear Marjorie: Have you the heart to press the charge? How have I deserved this? Won't you remember?"

Mrs. Green seemed of the opinion that for she tore up the note and left the station jauntily in the arms of a new chauffeur, who carried her to her car and drove her away.

WOMAN-TEACHER TO FIGHT

Mrs. Wagner and Her Champion Will Report for Duty Tomorrow.

CITY JOB ELIGIBLES MEET.

Protest Against Commissioner Kingsbury Ignoring Civil Service List.

A meeting of the Civil Service Eligibles Association of the State of New York was called last night in the Washington Irving High School to protest against the action of Commissioner Kingsbury of forty-seven examiners of charitable institutions, who, it is asserted, have never taken civil service examinations, although there is a civil service list for their positions.

At the conclusion of the meeting, H. Sibley, the president of the Association, was empowered to appoint a committee to present the protest to Commissioner Kingsbury, Henry Moskowitz, President of the Municipal Civil Service Commission, and the officers of the Municipal Reform Association.

Alfred J. Talley spoke at the meeting and gave instances of what he considered injustices in the administration of the civil service. James F. Conway, former Chief Examiner in the Civil Service Commission, said that he had been established by "millionaires" who had their own interests at heart, and of the Bureau of Municipal Research, he said:

"A body that was established by Andrew Carnegie, John D. Rockefeller, Mrs. Harriman, and others at the suggestion of the Chamber of Commerce, said they could reduce the taxes of the rich."

DARIEN STATION COMPLETED

New Wireless Plant at Panama Is One of the Most Powerful.

Special Cable to The New York Times.
PANAMA, Nov. 14.—The Darien radio station, the highest structure in Central and South America, is completed. It is of the same power as the station at Washington, and will be able to communicate with San Francisco, Valparaiso, and Buenos Aires.

The Darien station will be able to reach a vessel midway between New York and Gibraltar.

THE LEXINGTON TO CLOSE

Hammerstein's Opera House Abandons Moving-Picture Policy.

THANKSGIVING FOWL THIN.

Dry Season Has Made It Hard for Jersey Birds to Forage.

Special to The New York Times.

BURLINGTON, N. J., Nov. 14.—Lean and lank and very scarce and high-priced will be the Thanksgiving turkeys that come out of New Jersey this Fall. Weather conditions have given the birds a month's commutation of the death sentence, according to Burlington County farmers, and most of the birds raised in this vicinity will be held for the Christmas trade.

"This is the poorest turkey season I have ever known," says Philip Haines of the Jacksonville Road, heretofore an extensive grower and shipper of the big Thanksgiving birds. "For some reason the eggs did not hatch well and only about 5 per cent. of the young turkeys lived after leaving the shell. The dry summer has been hard on the foraging birds because it cut down their supply of insects, which form a big part of their food, while growing. The warm weather has also been a drawback. It has been impossible to feed turkeys during such moderate days and to kill them for Thanksgiving. The market would be to disappoint the customers and sustain a big loss on the flock."

RATES TOO HIGH, SAYS HILL

Blames Federal Government for Poor Conditions That Exist.

Special to The New York Times.

DENVER, Nov. 14.—Louis W. Hill, President of the Great Northern Railroad, who is here on a tour of inspection that will take him from the Gulf of Mexico to Puget Sound, complains that railroad rates are too high, and that the Government is doing too much to the detriment of the industry. "The people have lost their faith in the securities of the railroads and other great industries of the country. It is impossible for the railroads to sell their bonds or to borrow money except at exorbitant rates of interest. This can mean only that the coming year will be one of stagnation, so far as railroad development and extensions are concerned."

"The Federal Government is largely responsible for present conditions," he said. "Railroads, the steel industry, and other big industries are suffering from Governmentitis. Too much of too little has been done. There is too much fault finding without suggesting remedies; too little actual aid given for the unrest caused."

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and when Paquin's vendeuse was asked if

Spring models would be created, she shrugged

her shoulders and exclaimed in surprise,

"Pourquois pas?" (Why not?)—Doeuillet is

open; the owner has joined the ranks, but

the personnel of the establishment has been

kept intact—Worth's staff has been retained—

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Afternoon Gowns—\$65, \$75, \$95

Of cloth, silk, velvet and satin—Usually \$95 to \$150.

Walking Dresses—\$25, \$35, \$45

Usually \$40 to \$65.

Tailleur Suits—\$45, \$55, \$65, \$75

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PLAN PERMANENT MARKET BUREAU

Food Committee Is Preparing Bill to Amend Charter Providing for New Department.

BOARD TO HAVE 5 MEMBERS

Chairman Perkins Would Have Five Huge Food Terminals, One in Each Borough.

As a result of investigations made by Mayor Mitchell's Food Committee, which George W. Perkins is chairman, into the high cost of food supplies prevailing throughout New York since the European war, a bill is being prepared which will amend the charter of the City of New York so that a department of markets will be provided. The bill will also make possible the establishment of five huge terminal markets, one in each borough, which, according to the plans outlined some weeks ago by Chairman Perkins, is the only method by which food can be put in the hands of the masses at reasonable prices. Mr. Perkins long ago discovered that cheaper food was impossible unless the terminal facilities are such that transportation and transfer charges, now a material part of food cost, are reduced. With the delivery of produce by railroad and water direct to the consumer, the cost can be kept at a minimum. The proposition to establish such a terminal at Wallabout is the result of Mr. Perkins' investigation. When the committee meets next Tuesday, the proposed measure probably will be in shape for submission to the Mayor.

Board of Five Members.
Those who have studied the situation since "war prices" made necessary the appointment of the Mayor's Food Committee have in mind a department headed by a Market Board, which shall consist of five members to be appointed by the Mayor. Each borough will have one of the five boroughs. The committee feels that it will be necessary for the members to live in the boroughs they are appointed from, and this provision will probably be included in the bill. One member will be designated as President of the board, and others will be maintained in each borough.

There has been much discussion in the committee toward defining the duties of the Market Board. At the present time the Controller looks after the finances of open markets, but the Board of Estimate and the Board of Health and other officials have a hand in their management. It is proposed to put all authority in the hands of the Market Board. It will make regulations and enforce them, appoint subordinates, and in it will be vested the right of sale and removal, subject to existing civil service rules.

It is probable that the question of the salaries of the President and board members will be left to the Board of Estimate to handle. The committee will urge prompt action on the proposed charter amendment. It is proposed to have the department heads to be appointed at once.

Power to Select Sites.
In a general way the duties of the board will be to maintain all markets, manage them, and supervise all business carried on in them. In addition it will be vested with the right to collect rentals and other income, apportion spaces and stalls, and select sites and purchase market equipment under authority by the Board of Estimate.

One of the most important tasks that will fall to the new department will be the selection of new market sites. It will fall to the new department to select the site for and drawing up the plans for a wholesale terminal market in each of the five boroughs. This will mean an expenditure of millions of dollars. The fixing of a time limit by law within which plans for the borough markets must be submitted to the Board of Estimate and the Board of Health is contemplated. In addition to its other powers the new board will have the right to lease properties to meet emergencies or for receiving food donations. With the formation of the Market Board it is probable that it will take up at once the entire problem of improving the Wallabout Market into the city's principal terminal market. Here it is proposed to spend thousands of dollars dredging the Wallabout Channel, so that lighters of heavy draught and small craft can come direct to the market and discharge their cargoes. Railroad cars can be unloaded from floats and taken to the warehouse for loading or unloading. This plan contemplates the building of a great new sales and refrigerating plant. The section of the market known as "Farmers' Square" is, it is said, to be set apart for the exclusive use of farmers and market gardeners.

From time to time there has been some criticism as to the terms of leases in the city markets, and a not unimportant task of the new board will be the question of the renewal of leases and the fixing of rentals for spaces in the new markets. In addition it is planned by those who are considering the measure to make the new board a court of last resort in the matter of adjusting differences that may arise over leases.

—where to locate

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Keep Record of Prices.
One branch of the new organization will be that of the Bureau of Food Carts and Peddlers. This will have as its duty the keeping of a record of all prices of foodstuffs sold at street and street vendors. Where one has been defrauded the Board is to be empowered to consider such complaint. It is also to be provided that each market auctioneer or commission man will be held to strict account for sales, and that books are to be kept showing receipt of goods and their sales. These books will always be open to the board, and it is expected to further safeguard the consumer by the provision that the member of the committee feel is advisable because of the many complaints received, especially from fishermen, that the shipper does not always get a fair deal from the receiver.

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FRIENDS HONOR MONAGHAN.

Return to Health and Appointment to U. S. Job Celebrated at Dinner.

Two hundred friends of James C. Monaghan gathered last night at a dinner in the Astor Gallery of the Waldorf to congratulate him on his return to health and on his appointment as American Consul to Jamaica.

Some of the tributes to Mr. Monaghan were most flattering. Mayor James J. Curley of Boston, one of the speakers, told how he had been invited to preside last night at the Convention of Mayors in Philadelphia, but had preferred to attend the dinner to Mr. Monaghan. Father John J. Connelley, President of St. Joseph's Seminary at Dunwoodie, described the work of Mr. Monaghan for the Catholic Church, shaking a finger at Mrs. Monaghan, said that in marrying him she had deprived the Church of a brilliant Cardinal.

President Wilson sent a message of congratulations. James B. Connolly, who recently won a prize of \$2,500 for a short story, sent \$10 worth of congratulations by wire, according to the estimate of S. H. Rorgan, secretary of the gathering. Dudley Field Malone's tribute was his attending the dinner long enough to make a speech on the evening of his sixth wedding anniversary.

Prof. Monaghan was formerly a United States Consul in Germany. For a while he was Principal of the Stuyvesant Evening Trade School. His health broke down two years ago while he was delivering Catholic lectures for the Knights of Columbus.

Concert for Benefit of Immigrants.
The Washington Irving High School pupils will give a concert this afternoon at Ellis Island for the benefit of the immigrants who are detained there on account of the war, which prevents their being deported. The drum and life band of the Seventh Regiment will assist the girls. The steamboat leaves the Battery for Ellis Island at 2 P. M.

CHARITIES.
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Imported Motoring and Travelling Coats at \$15 to \$42.50; were \$22.50 to \$75.

\$65 to \$150 Wraps at \$32.50 to \$75

The majority of these are imported models. Velours, Plush and rich Silks—majority are trimmed with fur.

\$85 Hudson Seal Coats at \$65

The most remarkable purchase of the season, for these coats are in the new "flare" 40-inch model; set-in sleeves and large collars. The 50-inch model illustrated is \$95, instead of \$115.

Scarfs and "Le Brun" Muffs

Muffs	Scarfs
\$18.....	Black Fox.....\$10, \$15
\$19.50.....	Natural Raccoon.....\$15
\$29.50.....	Skunk.....\$9
	(Illustrated)
\$22.50.....	Beaver.....\$12.50
\$25.....	Civet Cat.....\$10.50
\$19.50.....	Hudson Seal.....\$15
	(Dyed Muskrat)
\$37.50.....	Chinchilla Squirrel.....\$19.50
\$65.....	White Fox.....\$37.50
\$85.....	Ermine.....\$12.50, \$19.50

Third Floor

Autumn Clearance of Millinery

The finest hats in the world—Models by Paris and GIMBEL modistes.



Only Four of These Sales a Year—One at the End of Each Season

As the demand for GIMBEL Millinery is so tremendous and as our regular prices are so moderate, hats do not have a chance to accumulate in our Salons—therefore, frequent clearances are unnecessary.

\$75 Hats, \$35 \$28 Hats, \$15
\$55 Hats, \$25 \$22 Hats, \$12
\$38 Hats, \$20 \$18 Hats, \$10
\$15 Hats, \$7.50

Original Paris Model Hats at \$15, \$20, \$25, \$35

by

Lewis, Reboux, Louison, Georgette,
Varon, Madeline, Alphonsine, Vimont,
Mary and Annie, Paul Vivot and Berthe.

\$75 to \$125 Chapeaux and Muff Sets, \$37.50 to \$67.50

Original models by Lewis, Jeanne Lanvin and Evelyn Varon. Also a few of our reproductions.

\$8.75 to \$12.75 Hats at \$3.50 and \$5

Reproductions and Adaptations of Paris model hats—many of which are made of fine imported materials. In Medium-price Salon.

\$7.50 to \$18 Imported Tailored Hats at \$3.75 to \$10
\$5 to \$10 Tailored Hats at \$2.50 to \$5

Third Floor

\$5 Black Chiffon Velvet at \$2.95 Yd.

Both the rich quality of the material and this present very low price are deserving of special attention. Chiffon Velvet is one of the leading fabrics of the season, and this lot, just received from customs, shows to a rare degree the rich depth and silken sheen that has won the material such popularity. Double width. A \$5 quality for \$2.95 yard.

Second Floor

A Sale of Diamond Mounted Black-and-White Jewelry



Artistic designs, expressing the latest fashions in jewelry, in particular the favorite black-and-white effects, in combinations of platinum, onyx and gold.
Mounted with brilliant white diamonds, in our own workshop, with a consequent large saving on the cost of the stones.
Scarlet Pins, \$6 to \$15
regularly \$9 to \$20
Pendants, \$6.50 to \$25
regularly \$9 to \$30
Neckbands,
\$10.50 to \$13.50
regularly \$13.50 to \$16.50

Rings, \$8 to \$15
regularly \$11 to \$20
Brooches, \$15 to \$25
regularly \$20 to \$30
Extension Bracelets, \$21.50
regularly \$27.50

Main Floor

"Wear-Ever" Utensils in the Kitchen Insure Well Cooked, Enjoyable Meals

Aside from the real pleasure derived from their use because of their cleanliness, lightness and unique cooking ability, there is the added satisfaction in knowing that your "Wear-Ever" Aluminum Utensils are the surest guarantee of successful, appetizing dishes. Let this Thanksgiving dinner be a "Wear-Ever" cooked one.

"Wear-Ever" Aluminum Dou le Roasting Pans, \$2.85 and \$3.25
"Wear-Ever" Roasting Pans, 10x14 in., 90c; 11x16 in., \$1.25
"Wear-Ever" Aluminum Pie Plates, 9 inch, 2 for 35c
4-qt. Berth Sauce Pans, 90c
3-qt. Berth Sauce Pans, 80c
1 1/2-qt. Lipped Sauce Pans, 40c
2-qt. Stew Pans, 50c
10-in. Fry Pans, 80c
5-qt. Tea Kettle, \$2.50
2-qt. Double Boiler, \$1.50
2-qt. Sauce Pans, 50c
6-qt. Preserving Kettles with covers, \$1.25
1.50 Aluminum Sets of 12 pieces, spoons, ladles, turners, etc., 90c

Reliable Roasters in Various Styles

Kremer's Russia Iron Roasting Pans, from the 10x12-in., at 40c, to 12x17, at 65c.
Enamel Roasting Pans, 10x14-in., 35c
Savory Roasters, 65c and 90c
Vollrath White Enamel Roasters, \$2.75
Iron Roasting Pans, 11x16-in.; special, 20c

Fifth Floor

Tomorrow, a FURNITURE Event of Very Great Importance

A \$120,000 Stock, at Full Marked Prices, of Artistic, Finely-made Furniture Bought from the Assignee **FRANK M. RANDALL**

136-146 WEST 52D STREET, NEW YORK

Offered Tomorrow at 1/3 to 1/2 Below Randall's Wholesale Prices
For thirty-four years in New York Frank M. Randall has been selling the best kind of furniture to a large and exacting trade—the last five of these years in his fine building at 136-146 West Fifty-second Street.

From him retailers and interior decorators have bought the furniture for many fine homes. To his credit may be set the furnishing of such well-known hotels as the Ansonia, Marie Antoinette, Cumberland, Majestic, Marcellus, Leonori and Flanders, in New York; the fine new Hampton Terrace, in North Augusta, S. C.; the Hotel Garde, in New Haven, and others.

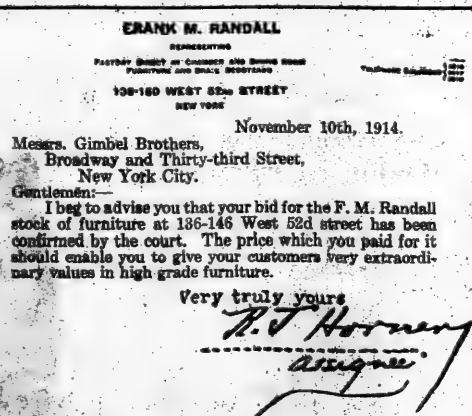
For such discriminating customers fine furniture was essential. Hence we found, on the five floors of the big building in Fifty-second street and in the big warehouse on Twenty-fifth street, the products of the furniture makers who comprise the aristocracy of their craft in America.

Phoenix Furniture Company
Royal Furniture Company
Grand Rapids Furniture Co.
John Widdicomb Company

and others of similarly high standing.
It was all this furniture of an unusually high type of excellence, and equal to our own superb furniture, that GIMBEL BROTHERS bought from the assignee when Frank M. Randall discontinued his business.

The Randall price tags show a total of \$120,000, but we are most concerned about WHOLESALE prices—just half, or \$60,000. It is on these that we base the extraordinary savings of the sale, marking the pieces at the GIMBEL prices of 33 1/3 to 50 % less than wholesale.

Every classic period is represented by superb examples, including the styles in present vogue for most artistic furnishing schemes. Randall specialized in dining room and bed room suites, and library furniture; there are also various single pieces and a fine collection of Brass Bedsteads. To summarize:



Luce Furniture Company
Detroit Cabinet Company
L. & J. G. Stickley
Jamestown Lounge Company



\$190; Randall's Wholesale Price, \$350

Dining Room Furniture

Suites and Odd Pieces in Mahogany, Early English, Jacobean Oak, Circassian Walnut, Golden and Fumed Oak, in Sheraton, Adam, Chippendale, Georgian, Jacobean and Colonial periods.

Randall's wholesale prices were \$45 to \$750. Gimbel sale prices are \$27.50 to \$475.

Mission Furniture

From the well-known factory of L. & J. G. Stickley; from a small Rocker, at \$5.75, Randall's wholesale price \$9, to a Davenport at \$50, Randall's wholesale price \$75.

Individual Pieces.

32 Styles of Book Cases, from \$10.50 to \$35; Randall's wholesale prices, \$13 to \$60.

55 Styles of Library Tables at \$9.50 to \$40; Randall's wholesale prices, \$16 to \$70.

150 Odd Dressers and Chests of drawers, at \$25 to \$72.50; Randall's wholesale prices, \$40 to \$106.

175 Odd Dining Room Pieces at 1-3 to 1/2 less than Randall's

Bedroom Furniture

Accurate reproductions of Sheraton, Adam, Colonial, Louis XV. and XVI. and modern American designs, in Mahogany, Maple, Circassian Walnut, Gray and White Enamel, including many richly hand decorated or inlaid examples.

Randall's wholesale prices were \$50 to \$1,490. Gimbel's Sale Prices are \$30 to \$950.



\$27.50; Randall's Wholesale Price, \$45

IMPORTANT NOTICE
As with few exceptions, there is but a single piece or suite of a design, and none can be duplicated, the early hours on Monday morning will afford the best selection of the sale.

The Randall stock will be displayed on the Seventh Floor, and each piece will bear its original Randall price tag as well as the GIMBEL sale tag.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 1914.

APPEAL FOR SIEGEL IF FOUND GUILTY

Chief Counsel Stanchfield Files
Many Exceptions—Letter
Writers Urge Conviction.

MISSIVES KEPT FROM JURY

Cashier Champion to be Examined
on Mysterious Sale of His Stock
and on Handling of Bank Funds.

Special to The New York Times.
GENERAL, N. Y., Nov. 14.—Attorneys not connected with either side in the Siegel trial, which began here last Monday before Justice Clark in the Supreme Court, are of the opinion that John B. Stanchfield, chief counsel for Siegel, while hoping that his client will be acquitted, is largely devoting his efforts to laying the groundwork for an appeal if one should prove advisable. This view is shared by the prosecution. Mr. Stanchfield objects to every item of importance in the evidence and takes frequent exceptions to the rulings of the Court, which almost invariably have been favorable to the prosecution. Unconsciously persons believed to be depositors in the private bank run in connection with the Fourteenth Street Store are giving counsel for the defense ammunition for an appeal. It is known that at least twelve letters, some of them addressed to jurors, are in possession of Justice Clark. These letters, while their contents have not been made public, it is understood beg that Siegel be convicted. Whether any of them has fallen into the hands of jurors is not known, but if any has and Siegel is convicted the fact will be employed as an argument on appeal.

Frank L. Champion, cashier of the Fourteenth Street Store bank from 1904 to the time of the failure, who sent the bank money to the various stores, and therefore knows more about the affairs of the bank than perhaps either Siegel or Vogel, is making Assistant District Attorney Train drag from him every bit of evidence produced. It was learned today that Champion, just previous to the failure, received in cash par, or nearly par, value for \$2,000 worth of stock of the Siegel Stores Corporation. Mr. Train wants to know how Champion got this stock, who paid to him the money, where the money was obtained, and what argument he used to induce the purchaser to buy this stock, in view of the receivership that already seemed inevitable.

Champion will be required to tell how the money deposited in the Fourteenth Street Store bank was sent from one to another of the allied Siegel-Vogel stores through half a dozen New York banks, and finally lost. Monday he will be taken through the details by which \$2,000,000 was sent to the Fourteenth Street, Simpson-Crawford, and Boston stores. Daniel Quinn, Examiner of the State Banking Department, has prepared a chart which shows that the Simpson-Crawford store on Feb. 1, 1913, owned the Siegel bank \$1,224,081.44; the Henry Siegel Company, Boston, \$472,125.18; and the Fourteenth Street Store on Feb. 1, 1913, \$10,061.23, with a balance from Feb. 1, 1912, of \$134,760.50, a total of \$500,821.70 to the Fourteenth Street Store.

The Siegel bank was on the ground floor of the Fourteenth Street Store. Mr. Train will try to make Champion tell how funds were sent from the bank to the Simpson-Crawford store, five blocks away, then to the National Bank of Commerce, the Bank of the Metropolis, or some other New York bank, and finally found their way to the store at Sixth Avenue and Fourteenth Street.

The prosecution laid much stress on the fact that the Siegel-Vogel account in the National Bank of Commerce was opened during the Presidency of Valentine F. Snyder. It was brought out in evidence that Vogel's connection with the Morris family of Chicago led Mr. Snyder to extend to Siegel and Vogel the \$100,000 line of credit which Mr. Stanchfield is trying to establish was a continuous credit running from 1904 almost up to the time of the failure, and that it was based on the stability of the Morris family, rather than on statements of the stores obtained from Siegel or Vogel, mercantile agencies or any other source. It is expected that Mr. Snyder may be called to the stand.

The court has been exceedingly careful to instruct the jurors that they must not discuss the case with any outside person or among themselves. When court adjourned yesterday, a number of Special Deputy Sheriffs were sworn in, and they accompanied the jurors to their homes or to where they desired to transact any private business.

United States Senator-elect James W. Wadsworth, Jr., arrived from Washington today. Assistant District Attorney Train never had met the new Senator, but almost every evening has been entertained, with Mrs. Train, at the home of Congressman James W. Wadsworth, Sr. When Senator-elect Wadsworth arrived at the Big Tree Inn, his first act was to hunt up Mr. Train for the exchange of amenities.

DISTILLER GETS TWO YEARS.

Cincinnati Man Falsified Records to Obtain a Loan.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 14.—Morris L. Bettman, ex-President of the Bettman-Johnson Distilling Company of this city, who was convicted several weeks ago on a charge of using the mails to defraud, was sentenced today to two years in the penitentiary by United States District Judge Hollister, after the latter had refused a motion made by Bettman's attorneys for a new trial. Bettman was accused of using the mails in falsifying a statement of the condition of his company in order to borrow money from a New York concern and the Fifty-Third National Bank of this city.

FORBIDDEN TO SEE HUSBAND

Dentist's Wife Directed by Court Not to Annoy Him.

Justice Greenbaum in the Supreme Court yesterday directed Mrs. Emily R. McEachren to keep away from the office of her husband, Dr. George A. McEachren, at 55 East Eighty-sixth Street, and to cease annoying him. The court also ordered Dr. McEachren to pay to his wife \$7.50 a week pending her suit for a divorce. Dr. McEachren is a dentist. He says that he once was prosperous and kept an automobile, but that his wife annoyed him so that he lost his customers, and is now eking out a livelihood in a single room. Mrs. McEachren lives with her two children at 222 West 122d Street.

COLLIDES WITH CUTTER.

The Clearpool Returns to Baltimore Badly Damaged.

R. H. Macy & Co.'s Attractions Are Their Low Prices.
Macy's
Herald Square. Broadway, 34th to 35th St.

Dancing FROCKS For the Younger Set

CHIFFON TAFFETA FROCK—Entirely handmade, this quaint and pretty model is in pale blue chiffon taffeta with chiffon. Strands of jet form the shoulder straps and the girdle and ruffled skirt are edged with black monkey fur. **\$54.75**

ACCORDION - PLEATED NET FROCKS—A charming model, made of fine meshed net in white. The low round bodice and sleeves as well as the many ruffles of the skirt are edged with satin folds. In white, blue, pink, or maize. The wide crushed girdle is of lustrous satin. **\$34.75**

THIRD FLOOR, 34TH STREET.

WOMEN'S COATS Imported Models

COVERT COATS—Extremely manish model in dark-olive-tan covert of superior quality, finely tailored in every detail. Cut on loose swinging lines, with deep arm holes and capacious pockets. **\$48.75**

BROADCLOTH COATS—Military model, with deep belt and wide cape collar. Heavy broadcloth in mulberry or navy is used for these strikingly effective garments. **\$54.75**

FUR TRIMMED COATS—Broadcloth in seal brown is used for these handsome garments—trimmed with broad strappings of black silk braid. Deep collar and cuffs are of French seal (dyed coney), blending admirably with the rich lustre of the fabric. **\$98.75**

THIRD FLOOR, BROADWAY.

The NEW BLOUSES Copies of Imported Models

CHIFFON CLOTH BLOUSES—Gold over black chiffon is smartly combined with ecru net and filet net lace in this model with wide girdle of black satin. Gold colored braid edges and pendant ornaments of amber hue lend a distinctively original note of style. **\$13.49**

HAND-MADE AND HAND-EMBROIDERED NET BLOUSES—Flesh color Net lines these Blouses of fine meshed white net, prettily hand-embroidered in vine effect. Many tiny tucks add to its daintiness. **\$17.49**

IMPORTED GEORGETTE CREPE CHIFFON BLOUSES—In purest white clinging crepe—a model in overblouse effect, the full fronts and back brought into epaulets at the shoulder. Wide black moire ribbon is drawn through slashes at collar and cuffs. **\$17.49**

THIRD FLOOR, 34TH STREET.

LINGERIE Novelties

From Paris come these exquisite Matched Sets of Handkerchief Linen—with tiny hemstitched borders in coral, pale blue and Copenhagen. Tailored garments on straight lines, with dainty shadow embroidered motifs. Hand made and finished with French veining at the seams.

Gown, **\$17.74**.
Chemise, **\$10.74**.
Drawers, **\$11.74**.

MATCHED SETS OF BATHING—with broad insertion and edge of French Valenciennes and medallions of embroidered organdie. Very elaborate models, ribbon trimmed.

Gowns, **\$5.74**.
Combinations, **\$3.89**.

THIRD FLOOR, CENTRE, REAR.

Women's 12-button Length French Kid Glace GLOVES (pair) \$1.54

Mousquetaire—White Only

Actually less than the present wholesale price, and sold elsewhere at \$2.25

WOMEN'S GENUINE MOCHA GLOVES—Lined with heavy Milanese Silk; half Pique sewn; gusseted fingers; Paris Point backs. One clasp. Street shades of Grey. Standard Price \$1.50 (pr.)

WOMEN'S FRENCH KID GLACE GLOVES—Full Pique sewn; gusseted fingers. Two clasp. Three rows of Crochete embroidery. White with self, White with Black embroidery. Black with self and Black with White. Tan and Grey (pr.) **\$1.09**

MAIN FLOOR, BROADWAY.

WOMEN'S Fine FUR COATS and SETS

QUALITY FURS in models distinguished by their authoritative style features and superior workmanship—fashioned of perfectly matched pelts.

GENUINE SEALSKIN COATS in extremely smart flaring model of $\frac{3}{4}$ length, cut on conspicuously clever and yet conservative lines. From sealskin buckles placed low at the sides depend novel sealskin ornaments. The lining is of brilliantly flowered silk poplin. Very special value. **\$249.00**

NATURAL BLUE WOLF SETS—Dark natural skins of rich coloring are used for this effective Set in one of the season's most fashionable furs. The large animal scarf and novelty muff are finely lined with crepe and chiffon velvet. **\$89.75**

THIRD FLOOR, 34TH STREET.

Women's SUITS Fashions Appropriate for the Horse Show Copies of Paris Models

THREE-PIECE COSTUME—A copy of a Drecoll Model. Black caracul cloth. The short coat, skunk trimmed, has deep points of crocheted silk—tassel finished at the sides. Silver lace gleams softly through the filmy bodice of black over white net. Originally \$139.00. **\$98.75**

THREE-PIECE COSTUME—A copy of a Callot Model. Black silk velvet—the long Russian coat with white plush collar. Black chiffon and velvet are artfully combined in the bodice and skirt, distinguished by its transparent shirred sleeves, its deep draped girdle and sash. Originally \$139.00. **\$98.75**

BROCADED PLUSH SUIT—Copy of a Bernard Model, with coat of the brocade plush, skunk trimmed. Overskirt of charmeuse over a skirt of the black brocade. Originally \$92.75. **\$69.75**

BLACK PLUSH SUIT—Copy of a Bernard Model, A collar of "Kollinsky" sable trims the coat, which boasts of a novel sash effect, and a square panel back. A deep circular yoke is featured in the graceful skirt. Originally \$92.75. **\$69.75**

THIRD FLOOR, BROADWAY.

Luxurious Boudoir ROBES

SILK MATELASSE ROBES in soft shades of rose, pink, lavender, Copenhagen and pale blue. A new Raglan sleeve model, the deep collar and cuffs hand-scalloped, the waist girdled with a heavy silk cord. These lovely garments are lined with white silk. Priced: **\$13.74**

BROCADED CREPE DE CHINE LOUNGING ROBES in the same tints—are lined with white albatross. Collars and cuffs all scalloped embroidered. Priced: **\$8.74**

THIRD FLOOR, 34TH ST.

Imported Feather FANS

From Paris have come exquisite Fans of softly curled ostrich feathers in most picturesque styles.

Fans of lovely shell pink plumes mounted on amber sticks are priced **\$42.50**. "Prince of Wales" plumes adorn a Fan of snow-white ostrich feathers. Priced **\$48.50**.

Tortoise Shell sticks add to the beauty of a Fan of Black Ostrich. Priced **\$56.50**. MAIN FLOOR, 34TH ST.



Queen of All Artificial Pearls

"Margarita" Pearls are now presented to our customers for the first time. They are the nearest approach to the real Oriental Pearls that have ever been produced. They radiate those wonderful opalescent glints so exquisite in Oriental Pearls.

Test Of Durability
"Margarita" Pearls can be washed in hot water with no other effect than to restore the natural lustre so admired in the Oriental Pearls. Constant handling of them may soil but not discolor them.

Why "Margarita" Reigns Queen of all Artificial Pearls.
It gives the many people who have the artistic appreciation and love of beautiful things the privilege of possessing a string of artificial pearls with all the charm and beauty of the priceless strings that are so rare.

PRICE INDUCEMENTS:

In presenting the "Margarita" Pearl it is possible to once more demonstrate the Macy policy of underselling our competitors, as these Pearls are being sold at 25% to 40% less than asked in other stores for artificial pearls very much inferior in appearance and wearing qualities.

A SWEEPING PROMISE

So satisfactory are "Margarita" Pearls in every particular that we promise to replace without question any Pearl or Necklace which does not give satisfactory wear.

"Margarita" Pearl Necklaces may be had any length and any size graduation desired, but we have them ready for sale in five different sizes. Prices, **\$19.89, \$24.89, \$29.75, \$39.75 and \$49.75**. Many of the Necklaces with a jeweled clasp are priced accordingly.

MAIN FLOOR, BROADWAY, 34TH ST. SIDE.

Prettiest of PETTICOATS

Soft lustrous Satin Petticoats in faint shell pink—with a deep puff and ruffle of creamy Spanish lace at foot. Strands of pearl beads are caught in the draperies and the wide bow. Priced **\$17.74**.

Petticoats of flesh pink satin, the deep flounce of embroidered net lace over pleated chiffon. Dainty chiffon flower festoons finish the satin ribbon bow. Priced **\$26.75**.

THIRD FLOOR, CENTRE, REAR.

A Chinese Chippendale

DINING ROOM SUITE \$338.19

IN GOLDEN OAK, WAX FINISH. The BUFFET has 5 drawers and a centre compartment for silverware.

The CRYSTAL CLOSET has all glass shelves and mirror back.

The SERVING TABLE has large top drawer and a bottom shelf.

The EXTENSION TABLE extends full 8 feet.

The CHAIRS, five side Chairs and one arm Chair. Seats covered in real brown Spanish leather; backs of cane.

SIXTH FLOOR.

The SALE of LINENS

An Important Event
ANNUALLY Macy's Thanksgiving Sale of Linens interests every housekeeper, by reason of its many especially attractive economies and its timeliness. Staple Table Linens, Novelty Sets, Decorated Linens and Towels, specially purchased for this event and specially priced. Scores of items from which we quote a few specimen values.

Double Damask Tablecloths
Imported direct by Macy's, these are of Irish linen, extra heavy and full bleached. Hemmed ready for use. Size 68x68 in., **\$2.19**. Size 68x86 in., **\$2.69**. Special.

Scalloped Tablecloths
All-linen Irish Damask of heavy quality, in five very pretty patterns; scalloped edges; circular designs; 70 inches in diameter. **\$2.29** Special.

Heavy Damask Napkins
All-linen Napkins, suitable for hotels and boarding houses; heavy, serviceable quality. Hemmed and ready for use. Size 22x22 inches. **\$2.39** Special.

Irish Linen Damask Napkins
All-linen heavy damask Dinner Napkins, in six beautiful patterns, including Rose, Pansy, Fleur de Lis, Tulip, Dot, Stripe and Greek key design; full bleached and closely woven. Size 24x24 inches. **\$2.97** Special.

All-Linen French Hand-made Cluny Centerpieces
Centers of round thread Irish linen; very deep lace edges; in most effective patterns. Size 24 inches in diameter. **\$1.29** Very special.

Madeira Hand-scalloped and Embroidered Scarfs
Exquisite embroidered motifs and rose scalloped edges. Made of fine round thread Irish linen, these are 18x54 inches and are made especially for R. H. Macy & Co. **\$3.96** Very special.

Irish Huckaback Towels
Pure linen, grass bleached, soft and absorbent. Hemstitched ends. Size 22x38 inches. An excellent towel for embroidery work. **\$4.68** DOZEN.

SECOND FLOOR, 34TH STREET.

Thanksgiving Sale of Fine CHINA and GLASS

Among the many economies offered are:

Theo. Haviland CHINA Dinner SETS

99 Pieces in Set. Neat border design, gold on handles. **\$26.75**

Macy's Usual Price, \$31.75.

99 Pieces in Set.

A border design with gold on every piece. **\$31.75**

Macy's Usual Price, \$34.75.

BASEMENT, 34TH ST.

An Exceptional Offering in FRENCH JUTO Velour PORTIERES

28 Plain Centre and Border Patterns in 41 Color Combinations

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First sale this season of these high grade Portieres. Owing to conditions in France, where the Portieres are made, there is little likelihood of any more being received for a long time to come. **\$23 49** Pair

FOURTH FLOOR, REAR.

"Marquiesette" Chocolates

"Marquiesette" Chocolates are the acme of chocolate confectionery. "French Style" with forty-eight different centres, each a combination distinctly new and one more surprising than the other. Many of them are covered with chopped nut meats, which makes them particularly inviting as a table decoration. Full pound of Candy in each box. **79c** Pound

Attractively packed in round boxes, and at the price, 79c the pound, they are without an equal.

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Gives you the best service the Store provides when you are considering the complete furnishing and decorating of a room or a home. The Bureau is established in your interest to save you trouble in selecting suitable rugs, furniture and draperies.

SIXTH FLOOR, 34TH ST.

COMMON SENSE ABOUT THE
By George Bernard Shaw.

PREPAREDNESS WITHOUT MILITARISM.
By Theodore Roosevelt.

WHAT GERMANY WANTS.
By Dr. Edmund von Meck.

ARTIST-WRITER JAILED FOR ANTI-GERMAN
BOOK WRITES ANOTHER.

UNPUBLISHED DOCUMENTS THROW LIGHT
ON PHASES OF THE WAR.

A BRIEF TALK OF THE DRAMA'S FUNK-
TION.

HOW TO WRITE A PLAY.
By Louis N. Parker.

GOVERNMENT PATHOLOGIST TALKS OF FOOT-
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BOY BREAKS LEG IN GAME.

Harold Gulick Spilled While Running, and Players Pile on Him. Boys' High School lost a costly game to Erasmus Hall yesterday at Hawthorne Field. Not only was it defeated by a score of 20 to 0, but it suffered the loss of its star full back, Harold Gulick. On the first play after the kick-off he had his right leg broken just above the ankle. Boys' High was downed near its own goal-line on the kick-off. Bernstein kicked out to mid-field, and Gulick, in attempting to re-

down the field to recover the ball, was thrown, with several players falling on top of him. In the scrimmage his leg was twisted and he broke it. The County Hospital.

Doy's Half offered a stubborn resistance, but was no match for the Brooklyn champions. In the first period, Marcy Avenue school managed to score the ball down to the twenty-yard line where it lost it on a fumble. Erasmus then worked the pigskin back, with Olson scoring on an eight-yard run. The next two scores. Olson failed in his second attempt to kick a goal from touchdown, and Hoyt, a second-string man, was called upon to do the honors.

Erasmus Hall. Left end. The
Souville. Left end. Boyce. Flo
Hoyt. Left guard. Hoyt. Flo
Peltier. Right guard. Hoyt. Flo
Peltier. Right guard. Hoyt. Flo

Trotter	 Right back	Barefoot
DeShazo	 Quarter back	Shapiro
Curtis	 Quarter back	Shapiro
Little	 Right half back	Barefoot
Olson	 Full back	Gull
Touchdown	 Hoot	Substitutions
touchdowns—Olsen	Hoyt	Freeman for Riker
Peasokitt for Sherman	on Boys High	Riker
for Olson	Olson for Riker	Barclay for Olsen
(Cramp for Tuttle	Tuttle for Cramp	Kilgus
Olsen for Olsen	Olsen for Olsen	Riker on Erasmus
Revere "Mr. Hart	Princeton	Umpire—Mr. Meyer
Springfield	Fountain, Columbia	Time of quarters—Twenty minutes.

WINS BY FIELD GOAL.

**Morris High Gets the "Breaks" at
Beats De Witt Clinton.**

A goal from field gave the Morris High School football eleven a victory over their rivals, the De Witt Clinton team, in their annual clash on the gridiron yesterday afternoon at Manhattan College. The final tally stood 6-0 in favor of the Bronx team, Erwig's kick scoring the only points of the game.

It was a hard game for the Clinton lads to lose after making the greater groggers gains and showing faster and more brilliant play.

A fake kick formation with a running right end by Erwig for twenty-five yards placed the ball on Clinton's twenty-yard line in the second quarter. The Manhattan lads then braced a three terrific assaults against the Clinton line failed to net the Morris team a gain. As a final desperate effort, Miles held the ball while Erwig drove back and tried a placement kick. It got it away without any interference; and it sailed through the uprights and the winning tally.

The Clinton team a victory in the winning of the same quarter. By using the Syracuse shift play successfully several times, Rittner alone getting away for thirty yards, the Red 'A' Black aggression brought the pirates down to Morris's three-yard line. With only one yard to go to first down, Capt. Hellmhold called upon Power for a forward pass which failed. It gave Morris the ball. Line-up:

Morris.	Position.	Clinton.
Rosenberger	Left end	Zeigler
Schweidel	Left tackle	Dzied
Ellis	Left guard	Rosen
Truett	Center	Wright
Jensen	Right guard	Berkow
Shattuck	Right tackle	Wright
Weinheimer	Right end	Mann
Manley	Quarter back	Forbes
Erwig	Full back	Wright
Broufman	Half back	Heinrich
Squires	Left half	Wright
Goal	Right-Erwig	Substitute
Morris—Appel	for Rosenberg	Colletti
Clinton—Carter	for Mills	Katz
Catch	Reese	Mr. Fisher, Oberlin, to
Kirk—In	Lewis, Head line	
Mr. Hastings	Cornell, Time of period	

Twelve minutes.

Ethical Culture in Triple Victory

The Ethical Culture School opened its basketball season yesterday with three victories. The first team defeated the Evansville team 21 to 11. The second team on the home court. In a lively contest between the second teams of the same school, the Ethical Culture led at the 17 to 11, while the Midgett team outdistanced the Barnard School by a 23 to 13 score.

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"COMMON SENSE ABOUT THE WAR"

An Amazing Article Written for The New York Times

By George Bernard Shaw

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production maintainable under the restrictions of war time than it has ever been before.

The Day of Judgment.

The European settlement at the end of the war will be effected, let us hope, not by a regimental mess of fire-eaters sitting around an up-ended drum in a vanquished Berlin or Vienna, but by some sort of Congress in which all the Powers (including, very importantly, the United States of America) will be represented. Now I foresee a certain danger of our being taken by surprise at that Congress, and making ourselves unnecessarily difficult and unreasonable, by presenting ourselves to it in the character of Injured Innocence. We shall not be accepted in that character. Such a Congress will most certainly regard us as being, next to the Prussians (if it makes even that exception), the most quarrelsome people in the universe. I am quite conscious of the surprise and scandal this anticipation may cause among my more high-minded (*hochmiesig*, the Germans call it) readers. Let me therefore break it gently by expatiating for a while on the subject of Junkerism and Militarism generally, and on the history of the literary propaganda of war between England and Potsdam which has been going on openly for the last forty years on both sides. I beg the patience of my readers during this painful operation. If it becomes unbearable, they can always put the paper down and relieve themselves by calling the Kaiser Attila and Mr. Keir Hardie a traitor twenty times or so. Then they will feel, I hope, refreshed enough to resume. For, after all, blaming the Kaiser or Keir Hardie or me will not hurt the Germans, whereas a clearer view of the political situation will certainly help us. Besides, I do not believe that the trueborn Englishman in his secret soul relishes the pose of Injured Innocence

"Let a European war break out—the war, perhaps, between the Triple Alliance and the Triple Entente, which so many journalists and politicians in England and Germany contemplate with criminal levity. If the combatants prove to be equally balanced, it may, after the first battles, smoulder on for thirty years. What will be the population of London, or Manchester, or Chemnitz, or Bremen, or Milan, at the end of it?" ("The Great Society," by Graham Wallas. June 1914.)

By George Bernard Shaw.

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THE time has now come to pluck up courage and begin to talk and write soberly about the war. At first the mere horror of it stunned the more thoughtful of us; and even now only those who are not in actual contact with or bereaved relation to its heartbreaking wreckage can think sanely about it, or endure to hear others discuss it coolly. As to the thoughtless, well, not for a moment dare I suggest that for the first few weeks they were all scared out of their wits; for I know too well that the British civilian does not allow his perfect courage to be questioned: only experienced soldiers and foreigners are allowed the infirmity of fear. But they certainly were—shall I say a little upset? They felt in that solemn hour that England was lost if only one single traitor in their midst let slip the truth about anything in the universe. It was a perilous time for me. I do not hold my tongue easily; and my inborn dramatic faculty and professional habit as a playwright prevent me from taking a one-sided view even when the most probable result of taking a one-sided view is prompt lynching. Besides, until Home Rule emerges from its present suspended animation, I shall retain my Irish capacity for criticizing England with something of the detachment of a foreigner, and perhaps with a certain slightly malicious taste for taking the conceit out of her. Lord Kitchener made a mistake the other day in rebuking the Irish volunteers for not rallying faster to the defence of "their country." They do not regard it as their country yet. He should have asked them to come forward as usual and help poor old England through a stiff fight. Then it would have been all right.

Having thus frankly confessed my bias, which you can allow for as a rifleman allows for the wind, I give my views for what they are worth. They will be of some use; because, however blinded I may be by prejudice or perversity, my prejudices in this matter are not those which blind the British patriot, and therefore I am fairly sure to see some things that have not yet struck him.

And first, I do not see this war as one which has welded Governments and peoples into complete and sympathetic solidarity as against the common enemy. I see the people of England united in a fierce detestation and defiance of the views and acts of Prussian Junkerism. And I see the German people stirred to the depths by a similar antipathy to English Junkerism, and anger at the apparent treachery and duplicity of the attack made on them by us in their extremest peril from France and Russia. I see both nations duped, but alas! not quite unwillingly duped, by their Junkers and Militarists into wreaking on one another the wrath they should have spent in destroying Junkerism and Militarism in their own country. And I see the Junkers and Militarists of England and Germany jumping at the chance they have longed for in vain for many years of smashing one another and establishing their own oligarchy as the dominant military power in the world. No doubt the heroic remedy for this tragic misunderstanding is that both armies should shoot their officers and go home to gather in their harvests in the villages and make a revolution in the towns; and though this is not at present a practicable solution, it must be frankly mentioned, because it or something like it is always a possibility in a defeated conscript army if its commanders push it beyond human endurance when its eyes are opening to the fact that in murdering its neighbours it is biting off its nose to vex its face, besides riveting the intolerable yoke of Militarism and Junkerism more tightly than ever on its own neck. But there is no chance—or, as our Junkers would put it, no danger—of our soldiers yielding to such an ecstasy of common sense. They have enlisted voluntarily; they are not defeated nor likely to be; their communications are intact and their meals reasonably punctual; they are as pugnacious as their officers; and in fighting Prussia they are fighting a more deliberate, conscious, tyrannical, personally insolent, and dangerous Militarism than their own. Still, even for a voluntary professional army, that possibility exists, just as for the civilian there is a limit beyond which taxation, bankruptcy, privation, terror, and inconvenience cannot be pushed without revolution, or a social dissolution more ruinous than submission to conquest. I mention all this, not to make myself wantonly disagreeable, but because military persons, thinking naturally that there is nothing like leather, are now talking of this war as likely to become a permanent institution like the Chamber of Horrors at Madame Tussaud's, forgetting, I think, that the rate of consumption maintained by modern military operations is much greater relatively to the highest possible rate of

any more than I do myself. He puts it on only because he is told that it is respectable.

Junkers All.

What is a Junker? Is it a German officer of twenty-three, with offensive manners, and a habit of cutting down innocent civilians with his sabre? Sometimes; but not at all exclusively that or anything like that. Let us resort to the dictionary. I turn to the *Encyclopaedisches Wörterbuch* of Muret Sanders. Excuse its quaint German-English.

Junker—Young nobleman, younker, lording, country squire, country gentleman, squirearchy. Junkerberrschafft—squirearchy, landocracy. Junkerleben—Life of a country gentleman, (figuratively) a jolly life. Junkerpartei—country party. Junkerwirtschaft—doings of the country party.

Thus we see that the Junker is by no means peculiar to Prussia. We may claim to produce the article in a perfection that may well make Germany despair of ever surpassing us in that line. Sir Edward Grey is a Junker from his nose down to the tips of his toes; and Sir Edward is a

charming man, incapable of cutting down even an Opposition front bench, or of telling a German he intends to have him shot. Lord Cromer is a Junker. Mr. Winston Churchill is an odd and not disagreeable compound of Junker and Yankee: his frank anti-German pugnacity is enormously more popular than the moral babble (Milton's phrase) of his sanctimonious colleagues. He is a bumpkins and jolly Junker, just as Lord Curzon is an upish Junker. I need not string out the list. In these islands the Junker is literally all over the shop.

It is very difficult for anyone who is not either a Junker or a successful barrister to get into an English Cabinet, no matter which party is in power, or to avoid resigning when we strike up the drum. The Foreign Office is a Junker Club. Our governing classes are overwhelmingly Junker: all who are not Junkers are ruff-raff whose only claim to their position is the possession of ability of some sort: mostly ability to make money. And, of course, the Kaiser is a Junker, though less true-blue than the Crown Prince, and much less sympathetic than Sir Edward Grey, who, without con-

sulting us, sends us to war by a word to an ambassador and pledges all our wealth to his foreign allies by a stroke of his pen.

What Is a Militarist?

Now that we know what a Junker is, let us have a look at the Militarists. A Militarist is a person who believes that all real power is the power to kill, and that Providence is on the side of the big battalions. The most famous Militarist at present, thanks to the zeal with which we have bought and quoted his book, is General Friedrich Von Bernhardi. But we cannot allow the General to take precedence of our own writers as a Militarist propagandist. I am old enough to remember the beginning of the anti-German phase of that very ancient propaganda in England. The Franco-Prussian war of 1870-1871 left Europe very much taken aback. Up to that date nobody was afraid of Prussia, though everybody was a little afraid of France; and we were keeping "buffer States" between ourselves and Russia in the east. Germany had indeed beaten Denmark; but then Denmark was a little State, and was abandoned in her hour of need by those who should have helped her, to the great indignation of Ibsen. Germany had also beaten Austria; but somehow everybody seems able to draw the moral that defeats do not matter as much as the Militarists think, Austria being as important as ever. Suddenly Germany beat France right down into the dust, by the exercise of an organized efficiency in war of which nobody up to then had any conception. There was not a State in Europe that did not say to itself: "Good Heavens! what would happen if she attacked us?" We in England thought of our old-fashioned army, and our old-fashioned commander George Ranger (of Cambridge), and our War Office with its Crimean tradition of imbecility; and we shook in our shoes. But we were not such fools as to leave

it at that. We soon produced the first page of the Bernhardian literature: an anonymous booklet entitled *The Battle of Dorking*. It was not the first page of English Militarist literature: you have only to turn back to the burst of glorification of war which heralded the silly Crimean campaign (Tennyson's *Maud* is a surviving sample) to find paeans to Mars which would have made Treitschke blush (perhaps they did); but it was the first page in which it was assumed as a matter of course that Germany and not France or Russia was England's natural enemy. *The Battle of Dorking* had an enormous sale; and the wildest guesses were current as to its authorship. And its moral was "To arms; or the Germans will besiege London as they besieged Paris." From that time until the present, the British propaganda of war with Germany has never ceased. The lead given by *The Battle of Dorking* was taken up by articles in the daily press and the magazines. Later on came the Jingo fever (anti-Russian, by the way; but let us not mention that just now); Stead's *Truth About the Navy*, Mr. Spenser Wilkinson, the suppression of the Channel Tunnel, Mr. Robert Blatchford, Mr. Garvin, Admiral Maxse, Mr. Newbolt, Mr. Rudyard Kipling, *The National Review*, Lord Roberts, the Navy League, the imposition of an Imperialist Foreign Secretary on the Liberal Cabinet, Mr. Wells's *War in the Air* (well worth re-reading just now), and the Dreadnoughts. Throughout all these agitations the enemy, the villain of the piece, the White Peril, was Prussia and her millions of German conscripts. At first, in *The Battle of Dorking*, phase, the note was mainly defensive. But from the moment when the Kaiser began to copy our Armada policy by building a big fleet, the anti-German agitation became openly aggressive; and the cry that the German fleet or ours must sink, and that a war between England and Germany was bound to come some day, speedily ceased to be merely a cry with our Militarists and became an axiom with them. And what our Militarists said our Junkers echoed; and our Junker diplomats played for. The story of how they manoeuvred to hem Germany and Austria in with an Anglo-Franco-Russian combination will be found told with soldierly directness and with the proud candor of a man who can see things from his own side only in the article by Lord Roberts in the current number of *The Hibbert Journal* (October 1914). There you shall see also, after the usual nonsense about Nietzsche, the vision of "British administrators bearing the White Man's Burden," of "young men, fresh from the public schools of Britain, coming eagerly forward to carry on the high traditions of Imperial Britain in each new dependency which comes under our care," of "our fitness as an Imperial race," of "a great task committed to us by Providence," of "the will to conquer that has never failed us," of our task of "assuming control of one-fifth of the earth's surface and the care of one in five of all the inhabitants of the world." Not a suggestion that the inhabitants of the world are perhaps able to take care of themselves. Not even a passing recollection when that White Man's Burden is in question that the men outside the British Empire, and even inside the German Empire, are by no means exclusively black. Only the *sancta simplicitas* that glories in "the proud position of England," the "sympathy, tolerance, prudence and benevolence of our rule" in the east (as shown, the Kaiser is no doubt sarcastically remarking, in the Delhi sedition trial), the chivalrous feeling that it is our highest duty to save the world from the horrible misfortune of being governed by anybody but those young men fresh from the public schools of Britain. Change the words Britain and British to Germany and German, and the Kaiser will sign the article with enthusiasm. His opinion, his attitude (subject to that merely verbal change) word for word.

Six of One: Half-a-Dozen of The Other.

Now, please observe that I do not say that the agitation was unreasonable. I myself steadily advocated the formation of a formidable armament, and ridiculed the notion that we, who are wasting hundreds of millions annually on idlers and wasters, could not easily afford double, treble, quadruple our military and naval expenditure. I advocated the compulsion of every man to serve his country, both in war and peace. The idlers and wasters perceiving dimly that I meant the cost to come out of their pockets, and meant to use the admission that riches should not exempt a man from military service as an illustration of how absurd it is to allow them to exempt him from civil service, did not embrace my advocacy with enthusiasm; so I must reaffirm it now lest it should be supposed that I am condemning those whose proceedings I am describing. Though often horribly wrong in principle, they were quite right in practice as far as they went. But they must stand to their guns now that the guns are going off. They must not pretend that they were harmless Radical lovers of peace, and that the propaganda of Militarism and of inevitable war between England and Germany is a Prussian infamy for which the Kaiser must be severely punished. That is not fair, not true, not gentlemanly. We began it; and if they met us half-way, as they certainly did, it is not for us to reproach them. When the German fire-eaters drank to The Day (of Armageddon) they were drinking to the day of which our Navy League fire-eaters had first said "It's bound to come." Therefore, let us have no more nonsense about the Prussian Wolf and the British Lamb, the

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Prussian Machiavelli and the English Evangelist. We cannot shout for years that we are boys of the bulldog breed, and then suddenly pose as gazelles. No. When Europe and America come to settle the treaty that will end this business (for America is concerned in it as much as we are), they will not deal with us as the lovable and innocent victims of a treacherous tyrant and a savage soldiery. They will have to consider how these two incorrigibly pugnacious and inveterately snobbish peoples, who have snarled at one another for forty years with bristling hair and grinning fangs, and are now rolling over with their teeth in one another's throats, are to be tamed into trusty watchdogs of the peace of the world. I am sorry to spoil the saintly image with a halo which the British Jingo journalist sees just now when he looks in the glass; but it must be done if we are to behave reasonably in the imminent day of reckoning.

And now back to Friedrich von Bernhardt.

General Von Bernhardt.

Like many soldier-authors, Friedrich is very readable; and he maintains the good and formidable part of the Bismarck tradition: that is, he is not a humbug. He looks facts in the face; he deceives neither himself nor his readers; and if he were to tell lies—as he would no doubt do as stoutly as any British, French, or Russian officer if his country's safety were at stake—he would know that he was telling them. Which last we think very bad taste on his part, if not downright wickedness.

It is true that he cites Frederick the Great as an exemplary master of war and of *Weltpolitik*. But his chief praise in this department is reserved for England. It is from our foreign policy, he says, that he has learnt what our journalists denounce as "the doctrine of the bully, of the materialist, of the man with gross ideas: a doctrine of diabolical evil." He frankly accepts that doctrine from us (as if our poor, honest middleheads had ever formulated anything so intellectual as a doctrine), and blames us for nothing but for allowing the United States to achieve their solidarity and become formidable to us when we might have divided them by backing up the South in the Civil War. He shows in the clearest way that if Germany does not smash England, England will smash Germany by springing at her the moment she can catch her at a disadvantage. In a word he prophesies that we, his great masters in *Realpolitik*, will do precisely what our Junkers have just made us do. It is we who have carried out the Bernhardt programme: it is Germany who has neglected it. He warned Germany to make an alliance with Italy, Austria, Turkey, and America, before undertaking the subjugation, first of France, then of England. But a prophet is not without honour save in his own country; and Germany has allowed herself to be caught with no ally but Austria between France and Russia, and thereby given the English Junkers their opportunity. They have seized it with a punctuality that must flatter Von Bernhardt, even though the compliment be at the expense of his own country. The Kaiser did not give them credit for being keener Junkers than his own. It was an unpleasant, indeed an infuriating surprise. All that a Kaiser could do without unbearable ignominy to induce them to keep their bulldogs off and give him fair play with his two redoubtable foes, he did. But they laughed Frederick the Great's laugh and hurled all our forces at him, as he might have done to us, on Bernhardtian principles, if he had caught us at the same disadvantage. Officially, the war is Junker-cut-Junker, Militarist-cut-Militarist; and we must fight it out, not *Heuchler-cut-Hypocrite*, but hammer and tongs.

Militarist Myopia.

Unofficially, it is quite another matter. Democracy, even Social-Democracy, though as hostile to British Junkers as to German ones, and under no illusion as to the obsolescence and colossal stupidity of modern war, need not lack enthusiasm for the combat, which may serve their own ends better than those of their political opponents. For Bernhardt the Brilliant and our own very dull Militarists are alike mad: the war will not do any of the things for which they rushed into it. It is much more likely to do the things they most dread and deprecate: in fact, it has already swept them into the very kind of organization they founded an Anti-Socialist League to suppress. To show how mad they are, let us suppose the war carries out their western program to the last item. Suppose France rises from the war victorious, happy and glorious, with Alsace and Lorraine regained, Rheims cathedral repaired in the best modern trade style, and a prodigious indemnity in her pocket! Suppose we tow the German fleet into Portsmouth, and leave Hohenzollern metaphorically under the heel of Romanoff and actually in a comfortable villa in Chislehurst, the hero of all its tea parties and the judge of all its gymkhana! Well, cry the Militarists, suppose it by all means: could we desire anything better? Now I happen to have a somewhat active imagination; and it flatly refuses to stop at this convenient point. I must go on supposing. Suppose France, with its military prestige raised once more to the Napoleonic point, spends its indemnity in building an invincible Armada, stronger and nearer to us than the German one we are now out to destroy! Suppose Sir Edward Grey remonstrates, and Monsieur Delcasse replies, "Russia and France have humbled one Imperial Bully, and are prepared to humble another. I have not forgotten Fashoda. Stop us if you can; or turn, if you like, for help to the Germany we have smashed and disarmed!" Of what use will all this bloodshed be then, with the old situation reproduced in an aggravated form, the enemy closer to our shores, a raid far more feasible, the tradition of "natural enmity" to steel the foe, and Waterloo to be wiped out like Sedan? A child in arms should be able to see that this idiotic notion of relaxing the military pressure on us by smashing this or that particular Power is like trying to alter the pressure of the ocean by dipping up a bucket of water from the North Sea and pouring it into the Bay of Biscay.

I purposely omit more easterly suppositions as to what victorious Russia might do. But a noble emancipation of Poland and Finland at her own expense, and of Bosnia and Herzegovina at Austria's, might easily suggest to our nervous Militarists that a passion for the freedom of Egypt and India might seize her, and remind her that we were Japan's ally in the day of Russia's humiliation in Manchuria. So there at once is your Balance of Power problem in Asia enormously aggravated by throwing Germany out of the anti-Russian saddle and grinding her to powder. Even in North Africa

—but enough is enough. You can *durchhauen* your way out of the frying pan, but only into the fire. Better take Nietzsche's brave advice, and make it your point of honour to "live dangerously." History shows that it is often the way to live long.

Learning Nothing: Forgetting Everything.

But let me test the Militarist theory, not by a hypothetical future, but by the accomplished and irrevocable past. Is it true that nations must conquer or go under, and that military conquest means prosperity and power for the victor and annihilation for the vanquished? I have already alluded in passing to the fact that Austria has been beaten repeatedly: by France, by Italy, by Germany, almost by everybody who has thought it worth while to have a whack at her; and yet she is one of the Great Powers; and her alliance has been sought by invincible Germany. France was beaten by Germany in 1870 with a completeness that seemed impossible; yet France has since enlarged her territory whilst Germany is still pleading in vain for a place in the sun. Russia was beaten by the Japanese in Manchuria on a scale that made an end forever of the old notion that the West is the natural military superior of the East; yet it is the terror of Russia that has driven Germany into her present desperate onslaught on France; and it is the Russian alliance on which France and England are depending for their assurance of ultimate success. We ourselves confess that the military efficiency with which we have so astonished the Germans is the effect, not of Waterloo and Inkermann, but of the drubbing we got from the Boers, who would probably have beaten us if we had been anything like their own size. Greece has lately distinguished herself in war within a few years by a most disgraceful beating of the Turks. It would be easy to multiply instances from remote history: for example, the effect on England's position of the repeated defeats of our troops by the French under Luxembourg in the Balance of Power War at the end of the seventeenth century differed surprisingly little, if at all, from the effect of our subsequent victories under Marlborough. And the inference from the Militarist theory that the States which at present count for nothing as military Powers necessarily count for nothing at all is absurd on the face of it. Monaco seems to be, on the whole, the most prosperous and comfortable State in Europe.

Another Bogus Science.

In short, Militarism must be classed as one of the most inconsiderately foolish of the bogus "sciences" which the last half century has produced in such profusion, and which have the common characteristic of revolting all sane souls, and being stared out of countenance by the broad facts of human experience. The only rule of thumb that can be hazarded on the strength of actual practice is that wars to maintain or upset the Balance of Power between States, called by inaccurate people Balance of Power wars, and by accurate people Jealousy of Power wars, never establish the desired peaceful and secure equilibrium. They may exercise pugnacity, gratify spite, assuage a wound to national pride, or enhance or dim a military reputation; but that is all. And the reason is, as I shall shew very conclusively later on, that there is only one way in which one nation can really disable another, and that is a way which no civilized nation dare even discuss.

Are We Hypocrites?

And now I proceed from general considerations to the diplomatic history of the present case, as I must in order to make our moral position clear. But first, lest I should lose all credit by the startling incompatibility between the familiar personal character of our statesmen and the proceedings for which they are officially responsible, I must say a word about the peculiar psychology of English statesmanship, not only for the benefit of my English readers (who do not know that it is peculiar just as they do not know that water has any taste because it is always in their mouths), but as a plea for a more charitable construction from the wider world.

We know by report, however unjust it may seem to us, that there is an opinion abroad, even in the quarters most friendly to us, that our excellent qualities are marred by an incorrigible hypocrisy. To France we have always been perfidious Albion. In Germany, at this moment, that epithet would be scorned as far too flattering to us. Victor Hugo explained the relative unpopularity of *Measure for Measure* among Shakespeare's plays on the ground that the character of the hypocrite Angelo was a too faithful dramatization of our national character. Pecksniff is not considered so exceptional an English gentleman in America as he is in England.

Now we have not acquired this reputation for nothing. The world has no greater interest in branding England with this particular vice of hypocrisy than in branding France with it; yet the world does not cite Tartuffe as a typical Frenchman as it cites Angelo and Pecksniff as typical Englishmen. We may protest against it as indignantly as the Prussian soldiers protest against their equally universal reputation for ferocity in plunder and pillage, sack and rapine; but there is something in it. If you judge an English statesman by his conscious intentions, his professions, and his personal charm, you will often find him an amiable, upright, humane, anxiously truthful man. If you judge him, as a foreigner must, solely on the official acts for which he is responsible, and which he has to defend in the House of Commons for the sake of his party, you will often be driven to conclude that this estimable gentleman is, in point of being an unscrupulous supercilious and fool, worse than Caesar Borgia and General Von Bernhardt rolled into one, and in foreign affairs a Bismarck in everything except commanding ability, blunt common sense, and freedom from illusion as to the nature and object of his own diplomacy. And the permanent officials in whose hands he is will probably deserve all that and something to spare. Thus you will get that amazing contrast that confronts us now between the Machiavellian Sir Edward Grey of the Berlin newspapers and the amiable and popular Sir Edward Grey we know in England. In England we are all prepared to face any World Congress and say, "We know that Sir Edward Grey is an honest English gentleman, who meant well as a true patriot and friend of peace; we are quite sure that what he did was fair and right; and we will not listen to any nonsense to the contrary." The Congress will reply, "We know nothing about Sir Edward Grey except what he did; and as there is no secret and no question as to what he did, the whole story being recorded by himself, we must hold England responsible for his conduct, whilst

taking your word for the fact, which has no importance for us, that his conduct has nothing to do with his character."

Our Intellectual Laziness.

The general truth of the situation is, as I have spent so much of my life in trying to make the English understand, that we are cursed with a fatal intellectual laziness, an evil inheritance from the time when our monopoly of coal and iron made it possible for us to become rich and powerful without thinking or knowing how: a laziness which is becoming highly dangerous to us now that our monopoly is gone or superseded by new sources of mechanical energy. We got rich by pursuing our own immediate advantage instinctively: that is, with a natural childish selfishness; and when any question of our justification arose, we found it easy to silence it with any sort of plausible twaddle (provided it flattered us, and did not imply any trouble or sacrifice) provided by our curates at £70 a year, or our journalists at a penny a line, or commercial moralists with axes to grind. In the end we became fatheaded, and not only lost all intellectual consciousness of what we were doing, and with it all power of objective self-criticism, but stacked up a number of pious phrases for ourselves which not only satisfied our corrupted and half-atrophied consciences, but gave us a sense that there is something extraordinarily ungentlemanly and politically dangerous in bringing these pious phrases to the test of conduct. We carried Luther's doctrine of Justification by Faith to the insane point of believing that as long as a man says what we have agreed to accept as the right thing it does not matter in the least what he actually does. In fact, we do not clearly see why a man need introduce the subject of morals at all, unless there is something questionable to be whitewashed. The unprejudiced foreigner calls this hypocrisy: that is why we call him prejudiced. But I, who have been a poor man in a poor country, understand the foreigner better.

Now from the general to the particular. In describing the course of the diplomatic negotiations by which our Foreign Office achieved its design of at last settling accounts with Germany at the most favourable moment from the Militarist point of view, I shall have to exhibit our Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs as behaving almost exactly as we have accused the Kaiser of behaving. Yet I see him throughout as an honest gentleman, "perplexed in the extreme," meaning well, revolted at the last moment by the horror of war, clinging to the hope that in some vague way he could persuade everybody to be reasonable if they would only come and talk to him as they did when the big Powers were kept out of the Balkan war, but hopelessly destitute of a positive policy of any kind, and therefore unable to resist those who had positive business in hand. And do not for a moment imagine that I think that the conscious Sir Edward Grey was Othello, and the subconscious, Iago. I do think that the Foreign Office, of which Sir Edward is merely the figure head, was as deliberately and consciously bent on a long deferred Militarist war with Germany as the Admiralty was; and that is saying a good deal. If Sir Edward Grey did not know what he wanted, Mr. Winston Churchill was in no such perplexity. He was not an "ist" of any sort, but a straightforward holder of the popular opinion that if you are threatened you should hit out, unless you are afraid to. Had he had the conduct of the affair he might quite possibly have averted the war (and thereby greatly disappointed himself and the British public) by simply frightening the Kaiser. As it was, he had arranged for the co-operation of the French and British fleets; was spoiling for the fight; and must have restrained himself with great difficulty from taking off his coat in public whilst Mr. Asquith and Sir Edward Grey were giving the country the assurances which were misunderstood to mean that we were not bound to go to war, and not more likely to do so than usual. But though Sir Edward did not clear up the misunderstanding, I think he went to war with the heavy heart of a Junker Liberal (such centaurs exist) and not with the exultation of a Junker Jingo.

I may now, without more than the irreducible minimum of injustice to Sir Edward Grey, proceed to tell the story of the diplomatic negotiations as they will appear to the Congress which, I am assuming, will settle the terms on which Europe is to live more or less happily ever after.

Diplomatic History of the War.

The evidence of how the Junker diplomatists of our Foreign Office let us in for the war is in the White Paper, Miscellaneous No. 6 (1914), containing correspondence respecting the European crisis, and since reissued, with a later White Paper and some extra matter, as a penny bluebook in miniature. In these much-cited and little-read documents we see the Junkers of all the nations, the men who have been saying for years "It's bound to come," and clamouring in England for compulsory military service and expeditionary forces, momentarily staggered and not a little frightened by the sudden realization that it has come at last. They rush round from foreign office to embassy, and from embassy to palace, twittering "This is awful. Can't you stop it? Won't you be reasonable? Think of the consequences," etc., etc. One man among them keeps his head and looks the facts in the face. That man is Sazonoff, the Russian Secretary for Foreign Affairs. He keeps steadily trying to make Sir Edward Grey face the inevitable. He says and reiterates, in effect, "You know very well that you cannot keep out of a European war. You know you are pledged to fight Germany if Germany attacks France. You know that your arrangements for the fight are actually made; that already the British army is commanded by a Franco-British Council of War; that there is no possible honourable retreat for you. You know that this old man in Austria, who would have been superannuated years ago if he had been an exciseman, is resolved to make war on Serbia, and sent that silly forty-eight hours ultimatum when we were all out of town so that he could begin fighting before we could get back to sit on his head. You know that he has the Jingo mob of Vienna behind him. You know that if he makes war, Russia must mobilize. You know that France is bound to come in with us as you are with France. You know that the moment we mobilize, Germany, the old man's ally, will have only one desperate chance of victory, and that is to overwhelm our ally, France, with one superb rush of her millions, and then sweep back and meet us on the Vistula. You know that nothing can stop this except Germany committing suicide with Austria,

and insisting on the Serbian case being dealt with by an international tribunal and not by war. You know that Germany dares not do this, because her alliance with Austria is her defence against the Franco-Russian alliance, and that she does not want to do it in any case, because the Kaiser naturally has a strong class prejudice against the blowing up of Royal personages by irresponsible revolutionists, and thinks nothing too bad for Serbia after the assassination of the Archduke. There is just one chance of avoiding Armageddon: a slender one, but worth trying. You averted war in the Algerias crisis, and again in the Agadir crisis, by saying you would fight. Try it again. The Kaiser is stiff-necked because he does not believe you are going to fight this time. Well, convince him that you are. The odds against him will then be so terrible that he may not dare to support the Austrian ultimatum to Serbia at such a price. And if Austria is thus forced to proceed judiciously against Serbia, we Russians will be satisfied; and there will be no war."

Sir Edward could not see it. He is a member of a Liberal Government, in a country where there is no political career for the man who does not put his party's tenure of office before every other consideration. What would *The Daily News* and *The Manchester Guardian* have said had he, Bismarck-like, said bluntly: "If war once breaks out, the old score between England and Prussia will be settled, not by ambassadors' tea parties and Areopagus, but by blood and iron?" In vain did Sazonoff repeat, "But if you are going to fight, as you know you are, why not say so?" Sir Edward, being Sir Edward and not Winston Churchill or Lloyd George, could not admit that he was going to fight. He might have forestalled the dying Pope and his noble Christian "I bless peace" by a noble, if heathen, "I fight war." Instead, he persuaded us all that he was under no obligation whatever to fight. He persuaded Germany that he had not the slightest serious intention of fighting. Sir Owen Seaman wrote in *Punch* an amusing and witty No-Intervention poem. Sporting Liberals offered any odds that there would be no war for England. And Germany, confident that with Austria's help she could break France with one hand and Russia with the other if England held aloof, let Austria throw the match into the magazine.

The Battery Unmasked.

Then the Foreign Office, always acting through its amiable and popular but confused instrument Sir Edward, unmasked the Junker-Militarist battery. He suddenly announced that England must take a hand in the war, though he did not yet tell the English people so, it being against the diplomatic tradition to tell them anything until it is too late for them to object. But he told the German Ambassador, Prince Lichnowsky, caught in a death trap, pleaded desperately for peace with Great Britain. Would we promise to spare Germany if Belgium were left untouched? No. Would we say on what conditions we would spare Germany? No. Not if the Germans promised not to annex French territory? No. Not even if they promised not to touch the French colonies? No. Was there no way out? Sir Edward Grey was frank. He admitted there was just one chance: that Liberal opinion might not stand the war. If the neutrality of Belgium were not violated. And he provided against that chance by committing England to the war the day before he let the cat out of the bag in Parliament.

All this is recorded in the language of diplomacy in the White Paper on or between the lines. That language is not so straightforward as my language; but at the crucial points it is clear enough. Sazonoff's tone is politely diplomatic in No. 6; but in No. 17 he lets himself go. "I do not believe that Germany really wants war; but her attitude is decided by yours. If you take your stand firmly with France and Russia there will be no war. If you fail them now, rivers of blood will flow, and you will in the end be dragged into war." He was precisely right; but he did not realize that war was exactly what our Junkers wanted. They did not dare to tell themselves so; and naturally they did not dare to tell him so. And perhaps his own interest in war was too strong to make him regret the rejection of his honest advice. To break up the Austrian Empire and achieve for Russia the Slav Caliphate of South-East Europe whilst defeating Prussia with the help of France and of Russia's old enemy and Prussia's old ally England, was a temptation so enormous that Sazonoff, in resisting it so far as to shew Sir Edward Grey frankly the only chance of preventing it, proved himself the most genuine humanitarian in the diplomatic world.

Number 123.

The decisive communication between Sir Edward Grey and Prince Lichnowsky is recorded in the famous No. 123. With the rather childish subsequent attempt to minimize No. 123 on the ground that the Prince was merely an amiable nincompoop who did not really represent his fiendish sovereign, neither I nor any other serious person need be concerned. What is beyond all controversy is that after that conversation Prince Lichnowsky could do nothing but tell the Kaiser that the *Entente*, having at last got his imperial head in chancery, was not going to let him off on any terms, and that it was now a fight to a finish between the British and German empires. Then the Kaiser said: "We are Germans. God help us!" When a crowd of foolish students came cheering for the war under his windows, he bade them go to the churches and pray. His telegrams to the Tsar (the omission of which from the penny bluebook is, to say the least, not chivalrous) were dignified and pathetic. And when the Germans, taking a line from the poet they call "unser Shakespeare," said: "Come the four quarters of the world in arms and we shall shock them," it was from the romantic militarist point of view, fine. What Junker-let men could do they have since done to make that theatrical brag good. But there is no getting over the fact that, in Tommy Atkins's phrase, they had asked for it. Their Junkers, like ours, had drunk to The Day; and they should not have let us choose it after filling us for so many years. And that is why Sir Edward had a great surprise when he at last owned up in Parliament.

How the Nation Took It.

The moment he said that we could not "stand aside with our arms folded" and see our friend and neighbour France "bombarded and battered," the whole nation rose to applaud him. All the Foreign Office distrust of public opinion, the concealment of the Angle-French plan of campaign, the disguise of the *Entente* in a quaker's hat, the duping of the British public and the Kaiser with one and

the same prevarication, had been totally unnecessary and unpopular, like most of these ingenuities which diplomatists think subtle and Machiavellian. The British Public had all along been behind Mr. Winston Churchill. It had wanted Sir Edward to do just what Sazonoff wanted him to do, and what I, in the columns of *The Daily News* proposed he should do nine months ago (I must really be allowed to claim that I am not merely wise after the event), which was to arm to the teeth regardless of an expense which to us would have been a mere fleabite, and tell Germany that if she laid a finger on France we would unite with France to defeat her, offering her at the same time as consolation for that threat, the assurance that we would do as much to France if she wantonly broke the peace in the like fashion by attacking Germany. No unofficial Englishman worth his salt wanted to snivel hypocritically about our love of peace and our respect for treaties and our solemn acceptance of a painful duty, and all the rest of the nauseous mixture of schoolmaster's twaddle, parish magazine cant, and cinematograph melodrama with which we were deluged. We were perfectly ready to knock the Kaiser's head off just to teach him that if he thought he was going to ride roughshod over Europe, including our new friends the French, and the plucky little Belgians, he was reckoning without old England. And in this pugnacious but perfectly straightforward and human attitude the nation needed no excuses because the nation honestly did not know that we were taking the Kaiser at a disadvantage, or that the Franco-Russian alliance had been just as much a menace to peace as the Austro-German one. But the Foreign Office knew that very well, and therefore began to manufacture superfluous, disingenuous, and rather sickening excuses at a great rate. The nation had a clean conscience, and was really innocent of any aggressive strategy; the Foreign Office was rehanding, and did not want to be found out. Hence its sermons.

Mr. H. G. Wells Hoists the Country's Flag.

It was Mr. H. G. Wells who at the critical moment spoke with the nation's voice. When he uttered his electric outburst of wrath against "this drilling, tramping foolery in the heart of Europe" he gave expression to the pent-up asperations of years of smouldering revolt against swank and domineer, guff and bugaboo, calling itself blood and iron, and mailed fist, and God and conscience and anything else that sounded superb. Like Nietzsche, we were "fed up" with the Kaiser's imprisonments of democratic journalists for *Majestätsbeleidigung* (monarch disparagement), with his ancestors, and his mission, and his gospel of submission and obedience for poor men, and of authority, tempered by duelling, for rich men. The world had become sore-headed, and desired intensely that they who clatter the sword shall perish by the sword. Nobody cared twopenny about treaties: indeed, it was not for us, who had seen the treaty of Berlin torn up by the brazen seizure of Bosnia and Herzegovina by Austria in 1909, and taken that lying down, as Russia did, to talk about the sacredness of treaties, even if the wastepaper baskets of the Foreign Offices were not full of torn up "scraps of paper," and a very good thing too; for General von Bernhardt's assumption that circumstances alter treaties is not a page from Machiavelli: it is a platitude from the law books. The man in the street understood little or nothing about Serbia or Russia or any of the cards with which the diplomatists were playing their perpetual game of Beggar my Neighbour. We were roused beyond endurance by Prussian Militarism and its contempt for us and for human happiness and common sense; and we just rose at it and went for it. We have set out to smash the Kaiser exactly as we set out to smash the Mahdi. Mr. Wells never mentioned a treaty. He said, in effect: "There stands the monster all freedom-loving men hate; and at last we are going to fight it." And the public, bored by the diplomatists, said: "Now you're talking!" We did not stop to ask our consciences whether the Prussian assumption that the dominion of the civilized earth belongs to German culture is really any more bumpum than the English assumption that the dominion of the sea belongs to British commerce. And in our island security we were as little able as ever to realize the terrible military danger of Germany's geographical position between France and England on her west flank and Russia on her east: all three leagued for her destruction; and how unreasonable it was to ask Germany to lose the fraction of a second (much less Sir Maurice de Bunsen's naïve "a few days delay") in dashing at her Western foe when she could obtain no pledge as to Western intentions. "We are now in a state of necessity; and Necessity knows no law," said the Imperial Chancellor in the Reichstag. "It is a matter of life and death to us," said the German Minister for Foreign Affairs to our Ambassador in Berlin, who had suddenly developed an extraordinary sense of the sacredness of the Treaty of London, dated 1839, and still, as it happened, inviolate among the torn fragments of many subsequent and similar "scraps of paper." Our Ambassador seems to have been of Sir Maurice's opinion that there could be no such tearing hurry. The Germans could enter France through the line of forts between Verdun and Toul if they were really too flustered to wait a few days on the chance of Sir Edward Grey's persuasive conversation and charming character softening Russia and bringing Austria to conviction of sin. Thereupon the Imperial Chancellor, not being quite an angel, asked whether we had counted the cost of crossing the path of an Empire fighting for its life (for these Militarist statesmen do really believe that nations can be killed by cannon shot). That was a threat; and as we cared nothing about Germany's peril, and wouldn't stand being threatened any more by a Power of which we now had the inside grip, the fat remained in the fire, blazing more fiercely than ever. There was only one end possible to such a clash of high tempers, national egotisms, and reciprocal ignorances.

Delicate Position of Mr. Asquith.

It seemed a splendid chance for the Government to place itself at the head of the nation. But no British Government within my recollection has ever understood the nation. Mr. Asquith, true to the Gladstonian tradition (hardly just to Gladstone, by the way) that a Liberal Prime Minister should know nothing concerning foreign politics and care less, and calmly insensitive to the real nature of the popular explosion, fell back on 1839, picking up the obvious barrister's point about the violation of the neutrality of Belgium, and tried

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the equally obvious barrister's claptrap about "an infamous proposal" on the jury. He assured us that nobody could have done more for peace than Sir Edward Grey, though the rush to smash the Kaiser was the most popular thing Sir Edward had ever done.

Besides, there was another difficulty. Mr. Asquith himself, though serenely persuaded that he is a Liberal statesman, is, in effect, very much what the Kaiser would have been if he had been a Yorkshireman and a lawyer instead of being only half English and the other half Hohenzollern, and an anointed emperor to boot. As far as popular liberties are concerned, history will make no distinction between Mr. Asquith and Metetrnich. He is forced to keep on the safe academic ground of Belgium by the very obvious consideration that if he began to talk of the Kaiser's imprisonments of editors and democratic agitators and so forth, a Homeric laughter, punctuated with cries of, "How about Denshawai?" "What price Tom Mann?" "Votes for women!" "Been in India lately?" "Make McKenna Kaiser," "Or dear old Herbert Gladstone," etc., etc., would promptly spoil that pose. The plain fact is that, Militarism apart, Germany is in many ways more democratic in practice than England: indeed the Kaiser has been openly reviled as a coward by his Junkers because he falls short of Mr. Asquith in calm indifference to Liberal principles and blank ignorance of working-class sympathies, opinions, and interests.

Mr. Asquith had also to distract public attention from the fact that three official members of his Government, all men of unquestioned and conspicuous patriotism and intellectual honesty, walked straight out into private life on the declaration of war. One of them, Mr. John Burns, did so at an enormous personal sacrifice, and has since maintained a grim silence far more eloquent than the famous speech Germany invented for him. It is not generally believed that these three statesmen were actuated by a passion for the violation of Belgian neutrality.

On the whole, it was impossible for the Government to seize its grand chance and put itself at the head of the popular movement that responded to Sir Edward Grey's declaration: the very simple reason being that the Government does not represent the nation, and is in its sympathies just as much a Junker government as the Kaiser's. And so, what the Government cannot do has to be done by unofficial persons with clean and brilliant anti-Junker records like Mr. Wells, Mr. Arnold Bennett, Mr. Neil Lyons, and Mr. Jerome K. Jerome. Neither Mr. Asquith nor Sir Edward Grey can grasp, as these real spokesmen of their time do, the fact that we just simply want to put an end to Potsdam, both at home and abroad. Both of them probably think Potsdam a very fine and enviable institution, and want England to out-Potsdam Potsdam and to monopolize the command of the seas: a monstrous aspiration. We, I take it, want to guarantee that command of the sea which is the common heritage of mankind to the tiniest State and the humblest fisherman that depends on the sea for a livelihood. We want the North Sea to be as safe for everybody, English or German, as Portland Place.

The Need for Recrimination.

And now somebody who would rather I had not said all this (having probably talked dreadful nonsense about Belgium and so forth for a month past) is sure to ask: "Why all this recrimination? What is done is done. Is it not now the duty of every Englishman to sink all differences in the face of the common peril?" etc., etc. To all such prayers to be shielded from that terrible thing, the truth, I must reply that history consists mainly of recrimination, and that I am writing history because an accurate knowledge of what has occurred is not only indispensable to any sort of reasonable behaviour on our part in the face of Europe when the inevitable day of settlement comes, but because it has a practical bearing on the most seriously urgent and immediate business before us: the business of the appeal to the nation for recruits and for enormous sums of money. It has to decide the question whether that appeal shall be addressed frankly to our love of freedom, and our tradition (none the less noble and moving because it is so hard to reconcile with the diplomatic facts) that England is a guardian of the world's liberty, and not to bad law about an obsolete treaty, and cant about the diabolical personal disposition of the Kaiser, and the wounded propriety of a peace-loving England, and all the rest of the slosh and tosh that has been making John Bull sick for months past. No doubt at first, when we were all clasping one another's hands very hard and begging one another not to be afraid, almost anything was excusable. Even the war notes of Mr. Garvin, which stood out as the notes of a gentleman amid a welter of scurrilous rubbish and a rather badly-guarded *Punch* cartoon mocking the agony of Berlin (*Punch* having turned its non-interventionist coat very promptly), had sometimes to run: "We know absolutely nothing of what is happening at the front, except that the heroism of the British troops will thrill the ages to the last syllable of recorded time," or words to that effect. But now it is time to pull ourselves together; to feel our muscle; to realize the value of our strength and pluck; and to tell the truth unashamed like men of courage and character, not to shirk it like the official apologists of a Foreign Office plot.

What Germany Should Have Done.

And first, as I despise critics who put people in the wrong without being able to set them right, I shall, before I go any further with my criticism of our official position, do the Government and the Foreign Office the service of finding a correct official position for them: for I admit that the popular position, though sound as far as it goes, is too crude for official use. This correct official position can be found only by considering what Germany should have done, and might have done had she not been, like our own Junkers, so fascinated by the Militarist craze, and obsessed by the chronic Militarist panic, that she was "in too great a hurry to bid the devil good morning." The matter is simple enough: she should have entrusted the security of her western frontier to the public opinion of the west of Europe and to America, and fought Russia, if attacked, with her rear not otherwise defended. The Militarist theory is that we, France and England, would have immediately sprung at her from behind; but that is just how the Militarist theory gets its voracious into trouble by assuming that Europe is a chess board: Europe is not a chess board; but

a populous continent in which only a very few people are engaged in military chess; and even those few have many other things to consider besides capturing their adversary's king. Not only would it have been impossible for England to have attacked Germany under such circumstances; but if France had done so England could not have assisted her, and might even have been compelled by public opinion to intervene by way of a joint protest from England and America, or even by arms, on her behalf if she were murderously pressed on both flanks. Even our Militarists and diplomatists would have had reasons for such an intervention. An aggressive Franco-Russian hegemony, if it crushed Germany, would be quite as disagreeable to us as a German one. Thus Germany would at worst have been fighting Russia and France with the sympathy of all the other Powers; and a chance of active assistance from some of them, especially those who share her hostility to the Russian Government. Had France not attacked her—and though I am as ignorant of the terms of the Franco-Russian alliance as Sir Edward Grey is strangely content to be, I cannot see how the French Government could have justified to its own people a fearfully dangerous attack on Germany had Russia been the aggressor—Germany would have secured fair play for her fight with Russia. But even the fight with Russia was not inevitable. The ultimatum to Serbia was the escape of a dotard: a worse crime than the assassination that provoked it. There is no reason to doubt the conclusion in Sir Maurice de Bunsen's despatch (No. 161) that it could have been got over, and that Russia and Austria would have thought better of fighting and come to terms. Peace was really on the cards; and the same game was to play for it.

The Achilles Heel of Militarism.

Instead, Germany flew at France's throat, and by incidentally invading Belgium gave us the excuse our Militarists wanted to attack her with the full sympathy of the nation. Why did she do this stupid thing? Not because of the counsels of General von Bernhardt. On the contrary, he had warned her expressly against allowing herself to be caught between Russia and a Franco-British combination until she had formed a counterbalancing alliance with America, Italy, and Turkey. And he had most certainly not encouraged her to depend on England sparing her: on the contrary, he could not sufficiently admire the wily ruthlessness with which England watches her opportunity and springs at her foe when the foe is down. (He little knew, poor man, how much he was flattering our capacity for Realpolitik!) But he had reckoned without his creed's fatal and fundamental weakness, which is, that as Junker-Militarism promotes only stupid people and snobs, and suppresses genuine realists as if they were snakes, it always turns out when a crisis arrives that "the silly people don't know their own silly business." The Kaiser and his ministers made an appalling mess of their job. They were inflamed by Bernhardt; but they did not understand him. They swallowed his flattery, but did not take in his strategy or his warnings. They knew that when the moment came to face the Franco-Russian alliance, they were to make a magnificent dash at France and sweep her pieces off the great chess board before the Russians had time to mobilize; and then return and crush Russia, leaving the conquest of England for another day. This was honestly as much as their heads could hold at one time; and they were helplessly unable to consider whether the other conditions postulated by Bernhardt were present, or indeed, in the excitement of their schoolboyish imaginations, to remember whether he had postulated any at all. And so they made their dash and put themselves in the wrong at every point morally, besides making victory humanly impossible for themselves militarily. That is the nemesis of Militarism: the Militarist is thrown into a big game which he is too stupid to be able to play successfully. Philip of Spain tried it 300 years ago; and the ruin he brought on his empire has lasted to this day. He was so stupid that though he believed himself to be the chosen instrument of God (as sure a sign of a hopeless fool in a man who cannot see that every other man is equally an instrument of that Power as it is a guarantee of wisdom and goodwill in the man who respects his neighbor as himself) he attempted to fight Drake on the assumption that a cannon was a weapon that no real gentleman and good Catholic would consent to handle. Louis XIV. tried again two centuries ago, and, being a more frivolous fool, got beaten by Marlborough and sent his great-grandson from the throne to the guillotine. Napoleon tried it 100 years ago. He was more dangerous, because he had prodigious personal ability and technical military skill; and he started with the magnificent credential of the French Revolution. All that carried him farther than the Spanish bigot or the French fool; but he, too, accreted fools and knaves, and ended defeated in St. Helena after pandering for twenty years to the appetite of idiots for glory and bloodshed; waging war as "a great game"; and finding in a field strewn with corpses "un beau spectacle." In short, as strong a magnet to fools as the others, though so much abler.

Our Own True Position.

Now comes the question, in what position did this result of a mad theory and a hopelessly incompetent application of it on the part of Potsdam place our own Government? It left us quite clearly in the position of the responsible policeman of the west. There was nobody else in Europe strong enough to chain "the mad dog." Belgium and Holland, Norway and Sweden, Denmark and Switzerland could hardly have been expected to take that duty on themselves, even if Norway and Sweden had not good reason to be anti-Russian, and the Dutch capitalists were not half convinced that their commercial prosperity would be greater under German than under native rule. It will not be contended that Spain could have done anything; and as to Italy, it was doubtful whether she did not consider herself still a member of the Triple Alliance. It was evidently England or nobody.

For England to have refrained from hurling herself into the fray, horse, foot, and artillery, was impossible from every point of view. From the democratic point of view it would have meant an acceptance of the pretension of which Potsdam, by attacking the French Republic, had made itself the champion: that is, the pretension of the Junker class to dispose of the world on Militarist lines at the expense of the lives and limbs of the masses. From the international Socialist point of view, it would have been the acceptance of the extreme nationalist view that the people of other countries are foreigners, and that it does not concern us if they choose to cut one another's throats. Our Militarist Junkers cried "If we let Germany conquer France it will be our turn next." Our romantic Junkers added "and serve us right too: what man will pity us when the hour strikes for us, if we skulk now?" Even the wise, who loathe war, and regard it as such a dishonour and disgrace in itself that all its laurels cannot hide its brand of Cain, had to admit that police duty is necessary and that war must be made on such war as the Germans had made by attacking France in an avowed attempt to substitute a hegemony of cannon for the comity of nations. There was no alternative. Had the Foreign Office been the International Socialist Bureau, had Sir Edward Grey been Jaures, had Mr. Ramsay MacDonald been Prime Minister, had Russia been Germany's ally instead of ours, the result would still have been the same: we must have drawn the sword to save France and smash Potsdam as we smashed and always must smash Philip, Louis, Napoleon, et hoc genus omne.

The case for our action is thus as complete as any *casus belli* is ever likely to be. In fact its double character as both a democratic and military (if not Militarist) case makes it too complete; for it enables our Junkers to claim it entirely for themselves, and to fake it with pseudo-legal justifications which destroy nine-tenths of our credit, the military and legal cases being hardly a tenth of the whole: indeed, they would not by themselves justify the slaughter of a single Pomeranian grenadier. For instance, take the Militarist view that we must fight Potsdam because if the Kaiser is victorious, it will be our turn next! Well: are we not prepared to fight always when our turn comes? Why should not we also depend on our navy, on the extreme improbability of Germany, however triumphant, making two such terrible calls on her people in the same generation as a war involves, on the sympathy of the defeated, and on the support of American and European public opinion when our turn comes, if there is nothing at stake now but the difference between defeat and victory in an otherwise indifferent military campaign? If the welfare of the world does not suffer any more by an English than by a German defeat who cares whether we are defeated or not? As mere competitors in a race of armaments and an Olympic game conducted with ball cartridge, or as plaintiffs in a technical case of international law (already decided against us in 1870, by the way, when Gladstone had to resort to a new treaty made *ad hoc* and lapsing at the end of the war) we might as well be beaten as not, for all the harm that will ensue to anyone but ourselves, or even to ourselves apart from our national vanity. It is as the special constables of European life that we are important, and can send our men to the trenches with the assurance that they are fighting in a worthy cause. In short, the Junker case is not worth twopenny: the Democratic case, the Socialist case, the International case is worth all it threatens to cost.

The German Defence to Our Indictment.

What is the German reply to this case? Or rather, how would the Germans reply to it if their official Militarist and Kaiserist pandrums had the wit to find the effective reply? Undoubtedly they would say that our Social-Democratic professions are all very fine, but that our conversion to them is suspiciously sudden and recent. They would remark that it is a little difficult for a nation in deadly peril to trust its existence to a foreign public opinion which has not only never been expressed by the people who really control England's foreign policy, but is flatly opposed to all their known views and prejudices. They would ask why, instead of making an *Entente* with France and Russia and refusing to give Germany any assurance concerning its object except that they would not pledge ourselves to remain neutral if the Franco-Russian *Entente* fell on Germany, we did not say straight out in 1912 (when they put the question flatly to us), and again last July when Sazonoff urged us so strongly to show our hand, that if Germany attacked France we should fight her, Russia or no Russia (a far less irritating and provocative attitude), although we knew full well that an attack on France through Belgium would be part of the German program if the Russian peril became acute. They would point out that if our own Secretary for Foreign Affairs openly disclaimed any knowledge of the terms of the Franco-Russian alliance, it was hard for a German to believe that they were wholly fit for publication. In short, they would say "If you were so jolly wise and well intentioned before the event, why did not your Foreign Minister and your ambassadors in Berlin and Vienna and St. Petersburg—we beg pardon, Petrograd—invite us to keep the peace and rely on western public opinion instead of refusing us every pledge except the hostile one to co-operate with France against us in the North Sea, and making it only too plain to us that your policy was a Junker policy as much as ours, and that we had nothing to hope from your good-will? What evidence had we that you were playing any other game than this Militarist chess of our own, which you now so piously renounce, but which none of you except a handful of Socialists whom you despise and Syndicalists whom you imprison on Militarist pretences has opposed for years past, though it has been all over your Militarist anti-German papers and papers and magazines? Are your Social-Democratic principles sincere, or are they only a dagger you keep up your sleeve to stab us in the back when our two most formidable foes are trying to garrote us? If so, where does your moral superiority come in, hypocrites

that you are? If not, why, we repeat, did you not make them known to all the world, instead of making an ambush for us by your senseless silence?"

I see no reply to that except a frank confession that we did not know our own minds; that we came to a knowledge of them only when Germany's attack on France forced us to make them up at last; that though doubtless a chronic state of perfect lucidity and long prevision on our part would have been highly convenient, yet there is a good deal to be said for the policy of not forcing a stream until you come to it; and that in any case we must entirely decline to admit that we are more likely than other people to do the wrong thing when circumstances at last oblige us to think and act. Also that the discussion is idle on the shewing of the German case itself; for whether the Germans assumed us to be unscrupulous Militarists or conscientious Democrats they were bound to come to the same conclusion: namely, that we should attack them if they attacked France; consequently their assumption that we would not interfere must have been based on the belief that we are simply "contemptible," which is the sort of mistake people have to pay for in this wicked world.

On the whole, we can hector our war in the Prussian manner out of that discussion well enough, provided we hold our own in the field. But the Prussian manner hardly satisfies the conscience. True, the fact that our diplomatists were not able to discover the right course for Germany does not excuse Germany for being unable to find it for herself. Not that it was more her business than ours: it was a European question, and should have been solved by the united counsels of all the ambassadors and Foreign Offices and chanceries. Indeed it could not have been stably solved without certain assurances from them. But it was, to say the least, as much Germany's business as anyone else's, and terribly urgent for her: "a matter of life and death," the Imperial Chancellor thought. Still, it is not for us to claim moral superiority to Germany. It was for us a matter of the life and death of many Englishmen; and these Englishmen are dead because our diplomatists were as blind as the Prussians. The war is a failure for secret Junker diplomacy, ours no less than the enemy's. Those of us who have still to die must be inspired, not by devotion to the diplomatists, but, like the Socialist hero of old on the barricade, by the vision of "human solidarity." And if he purchases victory for that holy cause with his blood, I submit that we cannot decently allow the Foreign Office to hang up his martyr's palm over the War Office Mantelpiece.

The First Penalty of Disingenuousness.

The Foreign Office, however, can at least shift its ground, and declare for the good cause instead of belittling it with quibbling excuses. For see what the first effect of the nonsense about Belgium has been! It carried with it the inevitable conclusion that when the last German was cleared off Belgian soil, peace-loving England, her reluctant work in this shocking war done, would calmly retire from the conflict, and leave her Allies to finish the deal with Potsdam. Accordingly, after Mr. Asquith's oration at the Mansion House, the Allies very properly insisted on our signing a solemn treaty between the parties that they must all stand together to the very end. A pitifully thin attempt has been made to represent that the mistrusted party was France, and that the Kaiser was trying to buy her off. All one can say to that is that the people who believe that any French Government dare face the French people now with anything less than Alsace and Lorraine as the price of peace, or that an undefeated and indeed masterfully advancing German Kaiser (as he seemed then) dare offer France such a price, would believe anything. Of course we had to sign; but if the Prime Minister had not been prevented by his own past from taking the popular line, we should not have been suspected of a possible backing-out when the demands of our sanctimoniousness were satisfied. He would have known that we are not vindictive a treaty which by accident remains among the fragments of treaties of Paris, of Prague, of Berlin, of all sorts of places and dates, as the only European treaty that has hitherto escaped flat violation: we are supporting the war as a war on war, on military coercion, on domineering, on bullying, on brute force, on military law, on caste intolerance, on what Mrs. Fawcett called insensate devilry (only to find the papers explaining apologetically that she, as a lady, had of course been alluding to war made by foreigners, not by England). Some of us, remembering the things we have ourselves said and done, may doubt whether Satan can cast out Satan; but as the job is not exactly one, for an unfallen angel, we may as well let him have a try.

The Blank Cheque.

In the meantime behold us again hopelessly outwitted by Eastern diplomacy as a direct consequence of this ill-starred outburst of hypocrisy about treaties! Everybody has said over and over again that this war is the most tremendous war ever waged. Nobody has said that this new treaty is the most tremendous blank cheque we have ever been forced to sign by our Parliamentary party trick of striking moral attitudes. It is true that Mr. J. A. Hobson realised the situation at once, and was allowed to utter a little creak in a corner; but where was the trumpet note of warning that should have rung throughout the whole Press? Just consider what the blank cheque means. France's draft on it may stop at the cost of recovering Alsace and Lorraine. We shall have to be content with a few scraps of German colony and the heavy-weight championship. But Russia? When will she say "Hold! Enough!" Suppose she wants not only Poland, but Baltic Prussia? Suppose she wants Constantinople as her port of access to the unfrozen seas, in addition to the dismemberment of Austria? Suppose she has the brilliant idea of annexing all Prussia, for which there is really something to be said by ethnographical map-makers, Militarist madmen, and Pan-Slavist megalomaniacs? It may be a reasonable order; but it is a large one; and the fact that we should

have been committed to it without the knowledge of Parliament, without discussion, without warning, without any sort of appeal to public opinion or democratic sanction, by a stroke of Sir Edward Grey's pen within five weeks of his having committed us in the same fashion to an appalling European war, shows how completely the Foreign Office has thrown away all pretence of being any less absolute than the Kaiser himself. It simply offers *carte blanche* to the armies of the Allies without a word to the nation until the cheque is signed. The only limit there is to the obligation is the certainty that the cheque will be dishonoured the moment the draft on it becomes too heavy. And that may furnish a virtuous pretext for another war between the Allies themselves. In any case no treaty can save each Ally from the brute necessity of surrendering and paying up if beaten, whether the defeat is shared by the others or not. Did I not say that the sooner we made up our minds to the terms of the treaty of peace, so that we might know what we were fighting for, and how far we were bound to go, the better? Instead of which we sign a ridiculous "scrap of paper" to save ourselves the intolerable fatigue of thought.

Belgium Crucified Between the European Powers.

And now, before I leave the subject of Belgium, what have we done for Belgium? Have we saved her soil from invasion? Were we at her side with half a million men when the avalanche fell on her? Or were we safe in our own country praising her heroism in paragraphs which all contrived to convey an idea that the Belgian soldier is about four feet high, but immensely plucky for his size? Alas, when the Belgian soldier cried: "Where are the English?" the reply was "a mass of concrete as large as a big room," blown into the air by a German siege gun, falling back and crushing him into the earth we had not succeeded in saving from the worst of the horrors of war. We have not protected Belgium: Belgium has protected us at the cost of being conquered by Germany. It is now our sacred duty to drive the Germans out of Belgium. Meanwhile we might at least rescue her refugees by a generous grant of public money from the caprices of private charity. We need not press our offer to lend her money: German capitalists will do that for her with the greatest pleasure when the war is over. I think the Government realizes that now; for I note the after-thought that a loan from us need not bear interest.

Now that we begin to see where we really are, what practical morals can we draw?

Unpreparedness the Price of Secrecy.

First, that our autocratic foreign policy, in which the Secretary for Foreign Affairs is always a Junker, and makes war and concludes war without consulting the nation, or confiding in it, or even refraining from deceiving it as to his intentions, leads inevitably to a disastrous combination of war and unpreparedness for war. Wars are planned which require huge expeditionary armies trained and equipped for war. But as such preparation could not be concealed from the public, it is simply deferred until the war is actually declared and begun, at the most frightful risk of such an annihilation of our little peace army as we escaped by the skin of our teeth at Mons and Cambrai. The military experts tell us that it takes four months to make an infantry and six to make a cavalry soldier. And our way of getting an army able to fight the German army is to declare war on Germany just as if we had such an army, and then trust to the appalling resultant peril and disaster to drive us into wholesale enlistment, voluntary or (better still from the Junker point of view) compulsory. It seems to me that a nation which tolerates such insensate methods and outrageous risks must shortly perish from sheer lunacy. And it is all pure superstition: the retaining of the methods of Edward the First in the reign of George the Fifth. I therefore suggest that the first lesson of the war is that the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs be reduced to the level of a simple Prime Minister, or even of a constitutional monarch, powerless to fire a single shot or sign a treaty without the authority of the House of Commons, all diplomatic business being conducted in a blaze of publicity, and the present regulation which expects the qualification of a private income of at least £400 a year for a position in the Diplomatic Service replaced by a new regulation that at least half the staff shall consist of persons who have never dined out at the houses of hosts of higher rank than unfashionable solicitors or doctors.

In these recommendations I am not forgetting that an effective check on diplomacy is not easy to devise, and that high personal character and class disinterestedness (the latter at present unattainable) on the part of our diplomatists will be as vital as ever. I well know that diplomacy is carried on at present not only by official correspondence meant for possible publication and subject to an inspection which is in some degree a responsible inspection, but by private letters which the King himself has no right to read. I know that even in the United States, where treaties and declarations of war must be made by Parliament, it is nevertheless possible for the President to bring about a situation in which Congress, like our House of Commons in the present instance, has no alternative but to declare war. But though complete security is impracticable, it does not follow that no precautions should be taken, or that a democratic tradition is no safer than a feudal tradition. A far graver doubt is raised by the susceptibility of the masses to war fever, and the appalling danger of a daily deluge of cheap newspaper written by nameless men and women whose scandalously low payment is a guarantee of their ignorance and their servility to the financial department, controlled by a moneyed class which not only carries favour with the military caste for social reasons, but has large direct interests in war as a method of raising the price of money, the only commodity the moneyed class has to sell. But I am quite unable to see that our Junkers are less susceptible to the influence of the Press than the people educated by public elementary schools. On the contrary, our Democrats are more fool-proof than our Plutocrats; and the ravings of our Junkers send to the papers for nothing in war time would be dear at a halfpenny a line. Plutocracy makes for war because it offers prizes to Plutocrats: Socialism makes for peace because the interests it serves are international. So, as the Socialist side is the democratic side, we had better democratise our diplomacy if we desire peace.

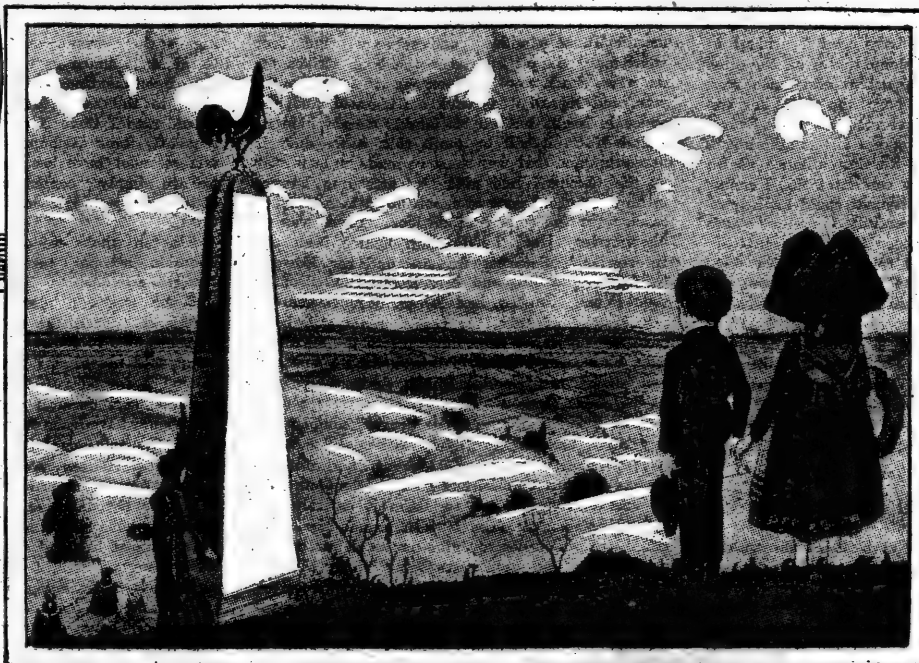
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JAILED FOR ONE ANTI-GERMAN BOOK, WRITES ANOTHER



JACOB WALTZ (HANSI)

"Hansi," Famous Alsatian Artist and Writer, Whose "Mon Village" Caused His Arrest, Has Set Forth Alsace's History in Text and Pictures by No Means Calculated to Please the Land's Teutonic Masters.



Alsatian Children Dreaming of the Glories of France. Illustration from 'Mon Village'.



Hansi's Conception of the First Germanic Invaders of Alsace.

NOT long ago a mild sensation was created when Jacob Waltz, an Alsatian artist and writer, widely known under the pseudonym of "Hansi," was condemned by the German authorities to a year's imprisonment on account of a book for children which he had written and illustrated. In this book, which was called "Mon Village," he dealt in a humorous and satirical vein with life in his native village, and he was lavish both with pen and pencil in criticism of the German masters of Alsace-Lorraine and praise of the French, its rulers of yesterday.

Since then "Hansi" has produced another work, which, together with its predecessor, has become so enormously popular in France since the outbreak of war against Germany that copies are scarcely to be obtained. This, "The History of Alsace for Little Children, Told by Their Uncle Hansi," gives little Alsatians a survey of the story of their native land that is anti-German in every line. Over and over again they are warned not to believe what their "Herr Professor" tells them in school, not to forget that Alsace is and always will be French, that the Germans are barbarous interlopers and oppressors. From the earliest days, long before the Romans, the men from across the Rhine are pictured as savages, always ravaging and burning the fair fields and towns of Alsace, always coveting its wealth, until finally in the "terrible year" of 1870 they crowned all their misdeeds by annexing the province to their alien empire.

And while this book and "Mon Village" are selling like hot cakes in France and doubtless being smuggled into Alsatian homes by the hundred, there to be scanned with delight and with the thought of what may befall if "the men from across the Rhine" get wind of the treasured volumes, "Hansi" himself is fighting in the French Army against the nation which he has so consistently and humorously criticized in word and picture.

Why He Wrote It.

"The History of Alsace," a few copies of which have reached America, has a preface headed "Why I Have Written This Book," in which "Hansi" says:

My sojourn at the German school at Colmar is one of the worst memories of my life. The stupid monotony of the lessons of Greek and Latin, the harshness of the course in German, with its insipid patriotic poems with which we were saturated, the insults by which our teacher revenged himself for our grins when he imagined that he was teaching us French, all this sort of thing poisoned the childhood of little Alsatians. But all these sorrows, all these humiliations, even the slaps, the stinging slaps, which left the bluish shame on one's brow and on one's cheek the mark from the "Herr Professor's" big ring, all this was as nothing compared to what we suffered during the history lesson.

There above all they tried to Germanize us by heaping sarcasm and insult on all that was dear to us, while forcing us at the same time to learn the history of Prussia, the history of a people foreign to us. Oh, how little we were interested in all those Electors of Brandenburg, in Otto the Lazy and Albert the Bear, whose slightest gesture we had to know! How gloomy and sad is the story of their empire where there was never a place for us!

But in spite of all we waited impatiently for the time when we should reach the wars of the Revolution and the Empire, because then, certainly, the teacher would be obliged to depict himself to render justice to the sons of France and Alsace. Alas! that moment never came; as if by accident the epoch in history which interested us most coincided always with our vacations. And when we returned, if it happened that we were finished with the Marcelline of Brandenburg, it was the terrible year which took their place on our programme of studies.

With what cruel joy, with what malicious laughter would the dullard who thought he was Germanizing us pour forth his sneering jokes. At each lesson we were forced to hear repeated, amid the rude laughter of the little German pupils, that the French were liars and cowards, that they always saw like horses that "the people of the lords of creation" had made them bite the dust and bend the knee. Little French children, lucky enough to learn history from one of their own nation knew nothing of the suffering which we undergoes when obliged to listen to such things without being able to reply.

Alas, I was too small to reply and now I am too big to box old men on the ear! But I swore, it was the terrible year which I wished to have, the history of Alsace for little children. I have told that history here as best I

could, just as it happened, and you will see that it is slightly different from and probably less boring than history seen through gold-rimmed German spectacles.

I hope that my book will arouse in you the wish to learn more of our past, the more you know of it the better you will understand why our new fellow-countrymen fear the persistence and growth among us of our devotion to the past. They know that it is there that we find both examples of pride and courage and the fortitude to hope for better things in the future.

As to little French children, I feel that they will be pleased to learn the history of a land that was French for so long, just as one likes to know the history of a friend. And if my book gives to Alsace and the Alsatians a few more friends I shall be amply rewarded.

"Wotan Mit Uns."

Thereupon "Hansi" takes up the history of Alsace in the remotest times, when the inhabitants were just learning to clear away the forests and till the fertile soil bordering on the Rhine. "The Alsatians of those days," he writes, "led a rude and dangerous life, but they were free. Their women were beautiful, and loved to deck themselves in bright-colored raiment and fine jewels."

But not so the Germans on the other side of the great river, he continues. Their heads were covered with badly combed hair, "just as today," and they had great matted beards. In one thing, however, the Alsatian author declares, they were better than their descendants—they did not wear glasses.

"Hansi" solemnly adjoins little Alsatians thus:

It was the Rhine which separated the two peoples, between whom there was so great a difference. Remember this carefully, because later on when you are in school they will try to make you believe that the lands of the Germans stretched as far as the Voges. That is not true; the greatest savants have given us proof of this. Repeat this over and over again to your little Alsatian playmates at recess, but do not contradict the "Herr Professor" in class. For I, when I was little, was kept after school three hours because I refused to believe it.

"Hansi" tells how the savage Germans used to stand on the other side of the great stream and look covetously at the rich, well-tilled fields of Alsace, so different from their own wild domain. One of his most amusing pictures shows a trio of these Teutons of thousands of years ago, clad in skins and armed with stone hatchets and spears, but with one bearing something unmistakably like the spiked helmet of the German Army of today, and another the motto "Wotan Mit Uns," reminiscent of one of Germany's present-day slogans.

Eventually, he says, hordes of these people got across the Rhine and fell upon Alsace with savage fury, beginning a series of invasions which have continued down to the present day. "All the evil that has ever befallen Alsace came from across the Rhine," remarks "Hansi."

He tells, then, how Julius Caesar marched into Alsace from Gaul and inflicted a terrible defeat on the German hordes of Ariovistus:

But it was in vain that they killed a

huge number of the foe. The red-haired giants of Ariovistus would not fall. Their feet were so large that, even when after they were dead, they continued to stand erect, so that the Romans had to push them over after killing them. Only then was the line broken and the survivors put to flight.

There followed golden days for Alsace. The Romans governed wisely, and did not try to force their customs on the Alsatians. But, possessing a superior brand of civilization, their new subjects soon assimilated it. And "Hansi" does not lose his chance here to dig at the Germans again. "When one nation has conquered another," he writes, "it can impose its civilization upon the conquered only if it is more civilized than they are."

Under the beneficent Roman rule all Alsace prospered, and the pillaging Germans were overawed by fortified towns along the Rhine, always ready to repel them when they summoned up courage to cross the stream. One of these forts, says "Hansi," was Strassburg, and he adds: "Remember this, children, so that when you are told that it is an old German town you may be able to smile at the thought that originally this place was founded for the purpose of repelling the Germans."

Vandals, Old and New.

After a while the Roman hold on the world began to weaken, the valiant legions were withdrawn from Alsace to force back barbarians on other frontiers of the vast empire, and the fair land lay once more at the mercy of the men from across the Rhine. They were not slow in taking advantage of this. Huge hordes of them crossed the river in the dead of winter, when its surface was frozen hard, and they who had lived so long in peace and happiness, knew again all the terrors of a German invasion. Among these new barbarians, "Hansi" tells us, was one tribe called the Vandals, "a very German tribe," who had not until then visited Alsace. He writes:

They were past masters in the art of devastation; they destroyed every monument which they found on their road. And to this very day there are descendants of these Vandals. Usually they are appointed German Government architects.

Some of them completely destroy all monuments dating from the French era; the others are satisfied with adding to obnoxious little turrets, pointed roofs, zinc weather vanes, or electric lights. They also dash churches with yellow, blue, or purple. This is a little less expensive than the work of their

ancestors, but it amounts to about the same thing.

"Hansi" next takes up the invasion of the Huns under Attila, whom he describes as "a being as much monkey as man, with huge arms and eyes as cruel and ferocious as those of a Pan-Germanist."

Then came the days when Alsace was a part of the great Holy Roman Empire, whose rulers, according to the Alsatian author, were extremely lax in protecting their Alsatian subjects from aggression and by no means won the affection of the latter nor succeeded in Germanizing them, despite the assertions of German historians.

French at Last.

And then, after tales of pillage and battle, of terrible ravages by German banditti and equally savage reprisals by exasperated Alsatian burghers, gloom is suddenly dispelled from text and pictures, and, on pages brilliant with highly colored marginal decorations and humorous delineations of German discomfiture in battle, "Hansi" writes:

After all these sorrows I am happy to be able at last to tell you something more amusing. It is an ill-wind that blows nobody good, because, at the end of those long wars, Alsace was to become French.

He goes on to tell how the great Marshal Turenne crossed the Voges with a French army, playing with his Russian and other German opponents as a cat plays with a mouse, until finally he fell upon them with the utmost fury close to the old town of Turckheim.

They had thrown up intrenchments; Turenne smashed everything. At the same time a French corps which had made a rapid march over the mountains suddenly deployed and attacked the rear guard of the enemy.

There followed an awful panic. On that day the Germans ran like hares, to use the expression so beloved by our teacher when he alluded to the French. The imperial troops were in such a hurry that they did not even stop to announce their sudden departure to their Prussian friends, and when these saw in the middle of the night that they were alone they set out at top speed along the road to Strassburg and did not stop till they were back across the Rhine.

For a long time our people talked about that memorable battle of Turckheim. When a short time afterward Turenne was killed in the enemy's country all Alsace mourned for the great leader whose last thoughts were of our land.

When his will was opened this was found written there: "No French



Rout of the Germans by the French under Turenne at Turckheim, in Alsace as pictured by Hansi.

soldier must rest as long as there is a German in Alsace!"

"Hansi" informs those for whom he writes, the little Alsatian children, that in the German schools to which they are obliged to go they will hear a great deal about Louis XIV's "seizure" of Alsace. He adds:

As he speaks these words the good Herr Professor will raise his eyes to the ceiling and then he will wipe his eyes, glasses and make a face as if the fourteenth Louis had committed a frightful crime, a crime of which the worthy son of those who bombarded Strassburg cannot speak without having indignation stiffle his voice.

But there was no such seizure, declares "Hansi." Long before Turenne's victories Alsatians had asked France to make them French.

Yes, asked to become French. I might put on my nose all the gold-rimmed spectacles in Germany without being able to find in all history one single instance where an Alsatian asked of his own free will that he be allowed to become a German.

He goes on to say that thirty-five years after the battle of Turckheim Alsace was so devotedly French that a Prussian ambassador wrote to his King that it was a matter of common knowledge that the Alsatians were more French than the Parisians.

The era of French domination, "Hansi" tells his readers, was one of complete content and prosperity. King Louis XV. made a visit to his loyal city of Strassburg and was received with such pomp and rejoicing by the citizens that twenty years afterward people were still talking about the event. Artists, writers, and savants added to the glories of the land by their work, and, greatest achievement of all, an "Alsatian genius," the cook of the Marquis de Contades, invented that renowned delicacy, *pâté de foie gras*. This inspires "Hansi" to a wild, artistic outburst on the margin of one of his pages. There he shows Strassburg's world-famous delicacy, decorated with little flags, amid a riot of pretzels and gaily colored cakes.

Birth of the "Marcelline."

Then came the French Revolution, and liberty-loving Alsace leaped to the van in the armies that tramped through Europe, shaking the thrones of Kings to their foundations. It was in Strassburg, as "Hansi" reminds his readers, that Raoul de Laube composed the "Marcelline"—the "Strassburgaise" it should be called, says he—the song destined to become

the national battle song of France. "Hansi" writes:

"That song cost us 600,000 men," said a German once, one who ought to know what he was talking about. In Alsace the Germans are still afraid of it, and we of the land which gave it birth are forbidden to sing it. But many Alsatians cannot obey this order, and their too retentive memories have cost them long weeks in prison.

Weight or Walt.

In the armies of Napoleon many brave Alsatians fought their way to fame, among them Kleber and Kellermann, names revered to this day by their fellow-countrymen. But there came a time when Napoleon, beset by countless foes, was beaten to his knees, and then once again "the men from across the Rhine" swept through lovely Alsace. For four long years, writes "Hansi," German soldiers gorged themselves on the abundant food of the Alsatians, until they grew so fat they could hardly move. One of his most amusing illustrations shows an officer posted close to a bridge across the Rhine, beside a huge scales on

which German soldiers headed back to the Fatherland are being weighed. Each is expected to tip the scales at two hundred pounds or more. If not, he is forbidden to return to his home in Germany, but must go back to where he was stationed in Alsace, there to make the inhabitants feed him up to the required weight.

At the end of the four years the Germans, stuffed full of good things, waddled laboriously over the Rhine, and Alsace was once more French.

More happy days! "Hansi" shows the welcome of the French King in a neat little Alsatian village, the first railway train puffing over a smiling landscape, French troops parading through a quaint gabled town surrounded by delighted youngsters. And then, without warning, we turn to a page on which a huge shadowy spiked helmet serves as a background for the text. We have reached "the terrible year."

Words and pictures now breathe death and horror and grief. "Hansi" tells of the German bombardment of Strassburg, of the heroic defense of the little garrison, of how the people of Baden over the Rhine used to come down to the river bank to see the bombs shriek through the air and buildings crumble or burst into flame, just as if they were spectators at an exhibition of fireworks.

Irreconcilable Foes.

He tells of the occupation of the province by the Germans after they had crushed French resistance, of their systematic attempts to Germanize the Alsatians, to stamp out their affection for France. But he does not fail to put touches of cheerfulness on the lugubrious pages that depict the new state of affairs. We see groups of gaunt, yellow-haired men and women, in strange, ill-fitting clothes, at whom Alsatians stare with broad smiles—the vanguard of the "Prussian invasion." "They want us to adopt their costume," sneers "Hansi." "All right, we will—on one day every year—Mardi Gras."

He concludes his history with these words:

During forty years nothing has changed in our land. Two peoples, two races, continue to live there together without ever mixing. On the one hand is the Alsatian, proud of his inheritance, of his ancient civilization, above all of the sufferings he has endured; on the other hand, is the invader, noisy and full of arrogance, seeking under the pretext of Germanization to take possession of all the resources of the country, to impose upon it his customs, his language, and all that makes up his "Kultur." And that, as you know, my children, is something that will be forever impossible. . . .

Let us hope for better days, my children, because the future, do not forget, belongs to God, and not to the infamous man who presides over the Pan-Germanic League.

FACTS AND FANCIES

Another Horror of War.

TERRIBLE times, these! The other day an innocent-eyed young lady, whose demeanor has always been sweet and gentle, went to a bookstore and returned with three volumes under her arm. "What have you there?" she was asked by a male friend. Of course he expected for an answer the titles of three fluffy novels full of moonlight and love.

Instead the gentle young thing rattled off stily:

"Oh, I've just bought 'Armies and Navies in the World War,' 'The Beginnings of the Great European Struggle,' and 'Battles of the War on Land and Sea.'"

"Ye gods!" gasped the man, and then under his breath: "Sherman was right."

Irrepressible.

YOU can't down wags. They get into the solemnest conversations. Even the great war over in Europe hasn't instilled reverence into them. One was hovering on the outskirts of a war talk recently, wherein somebody said:

"What is the exact German for that which they have in the German Navy? you know what I mean—the one where they lift their glasses and drink to 'The Beer!'"

"Zum Tag!" said another. "Dem Tag!" said a third. "I insist that they simply say 'Der Tag' when they drink," repeated the first man.

"No, that's the nominative case. It must be in the dative," objected one of the others. "There are a whole lot of deductions in German, you know," said Germans decline almost everything.

"Yes, but not a drink," interposed the war.

They glared at him. But the solemn discussion was ruined.

Not Cabinet Size.

AN ex-Senator in Washington was talking one afternoon to a group of newly elected Congressmen about to be sworn in. "Be careful, boys," said he, "not to appear green. Think before you speak, and you'll not give yourselves away. I should like to hear that any of you had acted as a new member from Arkansas once did. As soon as he reached Washington he went to a photographer's to be pictured for the papers."

"I want my likeness taken," said he. "Cabinet?" asked the photographer. "The man from Arkansas reddened and looked pleased. 'No,' he replied, 'just plain, everyday Congressman.'"

Yes, Who?

It has been argued back and forth that nobody knew that this war would break out. Well, if that is the case, who put the gun wise that the hairy cape would be the fashion this year?



A Vandal Destroying Works of Art in the Olden Days.

One of the German Government Ambassadors in Alsace Called by "Hansi" the Direct Descendants of the Vandals.

PREPAREDNESS WITHOUT MILITARISM

By THEODORE ROOSEVELT

Seventh Article in His Series on What America Should Learn from the War

THE other day one of the typical ultra-pacifists or peace-at-any-price men put the ultra-pacifist case quite clearly, both in a statement of his own and by a quotation of what he called the "golden words" of Mr. Bryan at Moberly. In arguing that we should under no conditions fight for our rights, and that we should make no preparation whatever to secure ourselves against wrong, this writer pointed out China as the proper model for America. He did this on the ground that China, which did not fight, was yet "older" than Rome, Greece and Germany, which had fought, and that its example was therefore to be preferred.

This, of course, is a position which saves the need of argument. If the average American wants to be a Chinaman, if China represents his ideal, then he should by all means follow the advice of pacifists like the writer in question and be a supporter of Mr. Bryan. If any man seriously believes that China has played a nobler and more useful part in the world than Athens and Rome and Germany, then he is quite right to try to Chinify the United States.

In such event he must of course believe that all the culture, all the literature, all the art, all the political and cultural liberty and social well-being which modern Europe and the two Americas have inherited from Rome and Greece, and that all that has been done by Germany from the days of Charlemagne to the present time, represent mere error and confusion. He must believe that the average German or Frenchman or Englishman or inhabitant of North or South America occupies a lower moral, intellectual, and physical status than the average coolie who with his fellows composes the overwhelming majority of the Chinese population. To my mind such a proposition is unfit for debate outside of certain types of asylums. But those who sincerely take the view that this gentleman takes are unquestionably right in copying China in every detail, and nothing that I can say will appeal to them.

The "golden words" of Mr. Bryan were as follows:

"I believe that this nation could stand before the world today and tell the world that it did not believe in war, that it did not believe that it was the right way to settle disputes, that it had no disputes which it was not willing to submit to the judgment of the world. If this nation did that, it not only would not be attacked by any other nation on the earth, but it would become the supreme power in the world."

Of course, it is to be assumed that Mr. Bryan means what he says. If he does, then he is willing to submit to arbitration the question whether the Japanese have or have not the right to send unlimited numbers of immigrants to this shore. If Mr. Bryan does not mean this, among other specific things, then the "golden words" in question represent merely the emotionalism of the professional orator.

Of course, if Mr. Bryan means what he says, he also believes that we should not have interfered in Cuba and that Cuba ought now to be the property of Spain. He also believes that we ought to have permitted Colombia to reconquer and deprive of their independence the people of Panama, and that we should not have built the Panama Canal. He also believes that California and Texas ought now to be parts of Mexico, enjoying whatever blessings complete abstinence from foreign war has secured that country during the last three years. He also believes that the Declaration of Independence was an arbitrable matter and that the United States ought now to be a dependency of Great Britain. Unless Mr. Bryan does believe all these things, then his "golden words" represent only a rhetorical flourish. He is Secretary of State and the right hand man of President Wilson, and President Wilson is completely responsible for whatever he says and for the things he does, or rather which he leaves undone.

We Should Look Facts in the Face.

NOW, it is quite useless for me to write with any view to convince gentlemen like Mr. Bryan and the writer in question. If they really do represent our fellow-countrymen, then they are right in holding up China as our ideal, not the modern China, not the China that is changing and moving forward, but old China. In such event Americans ought frankly to class themselves with the Chinese. That is where, on this theory, they belong. If this is so, then let us fervently pray that the Japanese, or some other virile people that does not defy moral, mental and physical impotence, may speedily come to rule over us.

I am, however, writing on the assumption that Americans are still on the whole like their forefathers who followed Washington, and like their fathers who fought in the armies of Grant and Lee. I am writing on the assumption that even though temporarily misled they will not permanently and tamely submit to oppression, and that they will ultimately think intelligently as to what they should do to safeguard themselves against aggression. I abhor unjust war; and I deplore that the need even for just war should ever occur. I believe we should set our faces like flint against

any policy of aggression by this country on the rights of any other country.

But I believe that we should look facts in the face. I believe that it is unworthy weakness to fear to face the truth. Moreover, I believe that we should have in us that fibre of manhood which will make us follow duty whithersoever it may lead. Unquestionably we should render all the service it is in our power to render to righteousness. To do this we must be able to back righteousness with force, to put might back of right. It may well be that by following out this theory we can in the end do our part in conjunction with other nations of the world to bring about, if not—as I hope—a world peace, yet at least a vital minimizing of the chances for war and of the areas of possible war. But meanwhile it is absolutely our duty to prepare for our own defense.

This country needs something like the Swiss system of war training for its young men. Switzerland is one of the most democratic Governments in the world, and it has given its young men such an efficient training as to insure entire preparedness for war, without suffering from the least touch of militarism. Switzerland is at peace now primarily because all the great military nations that surround it know that its people have no intention of making aggression on anybody and yet that they are thoroughly prepared to hold their own and are resolute to fight to the last against any invader who attempts either to subjugate their territory or by violating its neutrality to make it a battle-ground.

A Bishop of the Episcopal Church recently wrote me as follows: "How lamentable that we should stand idle, making no preparations to enforce peace, and crying 'Peace' when there is none! I have scant sympathy for the shortsightedness of those who deny preparation for war as a means of preventing it."

The manager of a land company in Alabama writes me urging that some one speak for reasonable preparedness on the part of the nation. He states that it is always possible that we shall be engaged in hostilities with some first class power, that he hopes and believes that war will never come, but adds:

Full Preparation Is Nation's Only Insurance.

I may not believe that my home will burn down, or that I am going to die within the period of my expectancy, but nevertheless I carry fire and life insurance to the full insurable value on my property and on my life to the extent of my ability. The only insurance of our liberties as a people is full preparation for a defense adequate against any attack and made in time to fully meet any attack. We do not know the attack is coming; but to wait until it does come will be too late.

"Our present weakness lies in the widespread opinion among our people that this country is invincible because of its large population and vast resources. This I believe is true if, and only if, we use these resources or a small part of them to protect the major part, and if we train at least a part of our people how to defend the nation. Under existing conditions we can hardly hope to have an effective army in the field in less than eight or ten months. Today not 1 per cent. of our people know anything about rifle shooting."

I quote these two out of many letters, because they sum up the general feeling of men of vision. Both of my correspondents are most sincerely for peace. No man can possibly be more anxious for peace than I am, for if war ever came I would probably have to go to it myself, if I was not too old, and my four sons would certainly have to go. I ask those individuals who think of me as a firebrand to remember that during the seven and a half years I was President not a shot was fired at any soldier of a hostile nation by any American soldier or sailor; and there was not so much as a threat of war. Even when the State of Panama threw off the alien yoke of Colombia and when this nation, acting as was its manifest duty, by recognizing Panama as an independent State, stood for the right of the governed to govern themselves on the Isthmus, as well as for justice and humanity, there was not a shot fired by any of our people at any Colombian.

The blood shed at Vera Cruz, like the unpunished wrongs committed on our people in Mexico, had no parallel during my Administration. When I left the Presidency there was not a cloud on the horizon, and one of the reasons why there was not a cloud on the horizon was that the American battle fleet had just returned from its sixteen months' trip around the world, a trip such as no other battle fleet of any power had ever taken, which it had not been supposed could be taken, and which exercised a greater influence for peace than all the Peace Congresses of the last fifteen years. With Lowell I most emphatically believe that peace is not a gift that carries long in the hands of cowards; and the fool and the weakling are no improvement on the coward.

Nineteen centuries ago in the greatest of all books we were warned that whose loses his life for righteousness shall save it, and that he who seeks to save it shall lose it. The ignoble and abject gospel of those who would teach us that it is preferable to endure disgrace and discredit than to run any risk to life or limb would defeat its own purpose; for that kind of submission to wrongdoing merely invites further wrongdoing, as has been shown a thousand times in history, and as is shown by the case of China in our own days.

Moreover, our people, however ill prepared, would never consent to such abject submission; and indeed as a matter of fact our publicists and public men and our newspapers, instead of being too humble and submissive, are only too apt to indulge in very offensive talk about foreign nations.

Of all the nations of the world we are the one that combines the greatest amount of wealth with the smallest ability to defend that wealth. Surely one does not have to read history very much or ponder over philosophy a great deal in order to

realize the truth that the one certain way to invite disaster is to be opulent, offensive, and unarmed.

There is utter inconsistency between the ideal of making this nation the foremost commercial power in the world, and of disarmament in the face of an armed world. There is utter inconsistency between the ideal of making this nation a power for international righteousness and at the same time refusing to make us a power efficient in anything save empty treaties and emptier promises.

I do not believe in a large standing army. Most emphatically I do not believe in militarism. Most emphatically I do not believe in any policy of aggression by us. But I do believe that no man is really fit to be the free citizen of a free republic unless he is able to bear arms and at need to serve with efficiency in the efficient army of the republic. This is no new thing with me. For years I have believed that the young men of the country should know how to use a rifle and should have a short period of military training which, while not taking them for any length of time from civil pursuits, would make them quickly capable of helping defend the country in case of need.

When I was Governor of New York, acting in conjunction with the Administration at Washington under President McKinley, I secured the sending abroad of one of the best officers in the New York National Guard to study the Swiss system. As President I had to devote my attention chiefly to getting the navy built up. But surely the sight of what has happened abroad ought to awaken our people to the need of action, not only as regards our navy, but as regards our land forces also.

Australia has done well in this respect. But Switzerland has worked out a comprehensive scheme with practical intelligence. She has not only solved the question of having men ready to fight, but she has solved the question of having arms to give these men. At present England is in more difficulty about arms than about men, and some of her people when sent to the front were armed with hunting rifles.

Our own shortcomings are far greater. Indeed, they are so lamentable that it is hard to believe that our citizens as a whole know them. To equip half the number of men whom even the British now have in the field would tax our factories to the limit. In Switzerland, during the last two or three years of what corresponds to our high school work, the boy is thoroughly grounded in the rudiments of military training, discipline, and marksmanship. When he graduates he is put for some four months in the army to receive exactly the training he would get in time of war. After that he serves eight days a year and in addition often joins with his fellows in practicing at a mark. He keeps his rifle and accoutrements in his home and is responsible for their condition.

Efficiency is the watchword of Switzerland and not least in its army. At the outbreak of this terrible war, Switzerland was able to mobilize her forces in the corner of her territory between France and Germany as quickly as either of the great combatants could theirs; and no one trespassed upon her soil.

The Swiss training does not to any appreciable extent take the man away from his work. But it does make him markedly more efficient for his work. The training he gets and his short service with the colors render him appreciably better able to do whatever his job in life is, and, in addition, benefit his health and spirits. The service is a holiday, and a holiday of the best because of the most useful type.

There is no reason whatever why Americans should be unwilling or unable to do what Switzerland has done. We are a far wealthier country than Switzerland and could afford without the slightest strain the very trifling expense and the trifling consumption of time rendered necessary by such a system. It has really nothing in common with the universal service in the great conscript armies of the military powers. No man would be really taken out of industry. On the contrary, the average man would probably be actually benefited so far as doing his life work is concerned. The system would be thoroughly democratic in its workings. No man would be exempted from the work and all would have to perform the work alike. It would be entirely possible to arrange that there should be a certain latitude as to the exact year when the four or six months' service was given.

Officers of course would need a longer training than the men. This could readily be furnished either by allowing numbers of extra students to take partial or short-term courses at West Point or by specifying optional courses in the high schools, the graduates of these special courses being tested carefully in their field work and being required to give extra periods of service and being under the rigid supervision of the regular army. There could also be opportunities for promotion from the ranks for any one who chose to take the time and the trouble to fit himself.

Soldiers Must Have Actual Camp Practice.

THE four or six months' service with the colors would be for the most part in the open field. The drill hall and the parade ground do not teach more than 5 per cent. of what a soldier must actually know. Any man who has had any experience with ordinary organizations of the National Guard when taken into camp knows that at first only a very limited number of the men have any idea of taking care of themselves, and that the great majority suffer much from dyspepsia, just because they do not know how to take care of themselves.

The soldier needs to spend some months in actual campaign practice under canvas with competent instructors before he gets to know his duty. If, however, he has had previous training in the schools of such a type as that given in Switzerland and then has this actual practice he remains for some years efficient with no more training than eight or ten days a year.

The training will be given in large bodies. It is essential that men shall get accustomed to the policing and sanitary care of camps in which there are masses of soldiers. Moreover officers are wholly

useless in war time unless they are accustomed to handle masses of men in co-operation with one another.

There are small sections of the population out of which it is possible to improvise soldiers in a short time. Men who are accustomed to ride and to shoot and to live in the open and who are hardy and enduring and by nature possess the fighting edge already know most of what it is necessary that a soldier should know and they can be taught the remainder in a very short time if under the right man. Morgan's Virginia Riflemen, Andrew Jackson's Tennesseans, Forrest's Southwestern Cavalry were all men of this kind; but even these men were of real use only after they were trained for many months or else if their leaders were born fighters and masters of men like Morgan, Jackson, and Forrest. Such leaders are rare. The ordinary dweller in civilization has to be taught to shoot, to walk, (or ride if he is in the cavalry,) to cook for himself, to make himself comfortable in the open and to take care of his feet and his health generally.

It may well be that the Swiss on an average can be made into good troops quicker than our own men; but most assuredly there would be number of Americans who would not be much behind the Swiss in such a matter. A body of volunteers of the kind I am describing would of course not be quite as good as a body of regulars of the same size, but they would be immeasurably better than the average soldiers produced by any system we now have or ever have had in connection with our militia.

Average American Not Interested in Army.

OUR regular army would be strengthened by them at the very beginning and would be set free in its entirety for immediate aggressive action; and in addition a levy in mass of the young men of the right age would mean that two or three million troops were put into the field who, although not quite as good as regulars, would at once be available in numbers sufficient to overwhelm any expeditionary force which it would be possible for any military power to send to our shores. The existence of such a force would render the immediate taking of cities like San Francisco, New York or Boston an impossibility and would free us from all danger from sudden raids and make it impossible even for an army corps to land with any prospect of success.

Our people are so entirely unused to things military that it is probably difficult for the average man to get any clear idea of our shortcomings. Unlike what is true in the military nations of the Old World, here the ordinary citizen takes no interest in the working of our War Department in time of peace. No President gains the slightest credit for himself by paying attention to it. Then, when a crisis comes and the War Department breaks down, instead of the people accepting what has happened with humility as due to their own fault during the previous two or three decades, there is a roar of wrath against the unfortunate man who happens to be in office at the time. There was such a roar of wrath against Secretary Alger in the Spanish war. Now, as a matter of fact, 90 per cent. of our shortcomings when the war broke out with Spain could not have been remedied by any action on the part of the Secretary of War. They were due to what had been done ever since the close of the civil war.

We were utterly unprepared. There had been no real manoeuvring of so much as a brigade and very rarely had any of our Generals commanded even a good-sized regiment in the field. The enlisted men and the junior officers of the regular army were good. Most of the officers above the rank of Captain were nearly worthless. There were striking exceptions of course, but, taking the average, I really believe that it would have been on the whole to the advantage of our army in 1898 if all the regular officers above the rank of Captain had been retired and if all the Captains who were unfit to be placed in the higher positions had also been retired. The Lieutenants were good.

The lack of administrative skill was even more marked than the lack of military skill. No one who saw the congestion of trains, supplies, animals, and men at Tampa will ever forget the impression of helpless confusion that it gave him. The volunteer forces included some organizations and multitudes of individuals offering first-class material. But as a whole the volunteer army would have been utterly helpless against any efficient regular force at the outset of the '98 war, probably almost as inefficient as were the two armies which fought one another at Bull Run in 1861. Even the efficiency of the regular army itself was such merely by comparison with the volunteers.

I do not believe that any army in the world offered finer material than was offered by the junior officers and enlisted men of the regular army which disembarked on Cuban soil in June, 1898, and by the end of the next two weeks probably the average individual infantry or cavalry organization therein was at least as good as the average organization of the same size in an Old World army. But taking the army as a whole and considering its management from the time it began to assemble at Tampa until the surrender of Santiago, I seriously doubt if it was as efficient as a really good European or Japanese army of half the size.

Since then we have made considerable progress. Our little army of occupation that went to Cuba at the time of the revolution in Cuba ten years ago was thoroughly well handled and did at least as well as any foreign force of the same size could have done. But it did not include 10,000 men, that is, it did not include as many men as the smallest military power in Europe would assemble any day for manoeuvres.

This is no new thing in our history. If only we were willing to learn from our defeats and failures instead of paying heed purely to our successes, we would realize that what I have above described is one of the common phases of our history. In the war of 1812, at the outset of the struggle, American forces were repeatedly beaten, as at Niagara and

Bladensburg, by an enemy one-half or one-quarter the strength of the American army engaged.

Yet two years later these same American troops on the northern frontier, when trained and commanded by Brown, Scott, and Ripley, proved able to do what the finest troops of Napoleon were unable to do, that is, meet the British regulars on equal terms in the open; and the Tennessee backwoods-men and Louisiana volunteers, when mastered and controlled by the iron will and warlike genius of Andrew Jackson, performed at New Orleans a really great feat. During the year 1812 the American soldiers on shore suffered shameful and discreditable defeats, and yet their own brothers at sea won equally striking victories, and this because the men on shore were utterly unprepared and because the men at sea had been thoroughly trained and drilled long in advance.

Exactly the same lessons are taught by the histories of other nations. When, during the Napoleonic wars, a small force of veteran French soldiers landed in Ireland they defeated without an effort five times their number of British troops at Castlebar. Yet the men whom they thus drove in wild flight were the own brothers of and often the very same men who a few years later under Wellington proved an over-match for the flower of the French forces. The nation that waits until the crisis is upon it before taking measures for its own safety pays heavy toll in the blood of its best and its bravest and in bitter shame and humiliation. Small is the comfort it can then take from the memory of the times when the noisy and feeble folk in its own ranks cried "Peace! Peace!" without taking one practical step to secure peace.

We can never follow out a worthy national policy, we can never be of benefit to others or to ourselves, unless we keep steadily in view as our ideal that of the just man armed, the man who is fearless, self-reliant, ready, because he has prepared himself for possible contingencies; the man who is scornful alike of those who would advise him to do wrong and of those who would advise him tamely to suffer wrong.

The great war now being waged in Europe, and the fact that no neutral nation has ventured to make even the smallest effort to alleviate or even to protest against the wrongs that have been done, show with lamentable clearness that all the Peace Congresses of the past fifteen years have accomplished precisely and exactly nothing so far as any great crisis is concerned.

Fundamentally this is because they have confined themselves to mere words, seemingly without realizing that mere words are utterly useless unless translated into deeds and that an ounce of promise which is accompanied by provision for a similar ounce of effective performance is worth at least a ton of promise as to which no effective method of performance is provided.

Furthermore, a very serious blunder has been to treat peace as the end instead of righteousness as the end. The greatest soldier patriots of history, Timoleon, John Hampden, Andreas Hofer, Koerner, the great patriot statesman-soldiers like Washington, the great patriot-statesmen like Lincoln, whose achievements for good depended upon the use of soldiers, have all achieved their immortal claim to the gratitude of mankind by what they did in just war. To condemn war in terms which would include the wars these men waged or took part in precisely as they include the most wicked and unjust wars of history is to serve the devil and not God.

We Should Resist Aggression, Not Be Aggressors.

AGAIN, these peace people have persistently and resolutely blinked facts. One of the Peace Congresses sat in New Jersey at the very time that the feeling in California about the Japanese question gravely threatened the good relations between ourselves and the great Empire of Japan. The only thing which at the moment could practically be done for the cause of peace was to secure some proper solution of the question at issue between ourselves and Japan. But this represented real effort, real thought. The Peace Congress paid not the slightest serious attention to the matter and instead devoted itself to listening to speeches which favored the abolition of the United States Navy and even in one case the prohibiting the use of tin soldiers in nurseries because of the militaristic effect on the minds of the little boys and girls who played with them!

I advocate that our preparedness take such shape as to fit us to resist aggression, not to encourage us in aggression. I advocate preparedness that will enable us to defend our own shores and defend the Panama Canal and Hawaii and Alaska and prevent the seizure of territory at the expense of any commonwealth of the Western Hemisphere by any military power of the Old World.

I advocate this being done in the most democratic manner possible. We Americans do not realize how fundamentally democratic our army really is. When I served in Cuba, it was under Gen. Sam Young and alongside of Gen. Adna Chaffee. Both had entered the American Army as enlisted men in the civil war. Later as President I made both of them in succession Lieutenant Generals and Commanders of the Army.

On the occasion when Gen. Chaffee was to appear at the White House for the first time as Lieutenant-General, Gen. Young sent him his own star-shaped-shoulder-strap with a little note saying that it was from "Private Young, '61, to Private Chaffee, '61." Both of the fine old fellows represented the best type of citizen-soldier. Each was simply and sincerely devoted to Peace and Justice. Each was incapable of advocating our doing wrong to others. Neither could have understood willingness on the part of any American to see the United States submit tamely to insult or injury. Both typified the attitude that we Americans should take in our dealings with foreign countries. (Copyright, 1914, by the Wheeler Syndicate, Inc.)

[Mr. Roosevelt's article in next Sunday's Times will be on "The Navy as Peacemaker."] 6

EUGENE BRIEUX TALKS OF THE DRAMA'S FUNCTION

Author of "Damaged Goods" Declares That the Dramatic Exploitation of Vice Is Revolting—Thanks the Sane Judgment of Americans for Appreciation of His Work.

THERE are two subjects concerning which Americans may reasonably be supposed to ask questions of M. Eugene Brieux, who has come to New York to represent the Académie Française at the meeting of the American Academy of Arts and Letters this week. One, of course, is the war. And the other—equally of course—is his play "Les Avariés," which, under the name "Damaged Goods," was the sensation of last season.

Will Not Talk War.

"I do not want to talk about the war," he said, as he sat on a lounge in his hotel one morning last week. "It is quite too terrible in itself without dwelling on it. I have just come from Paris. The theatres are all closed, but they will probably be open again soon."

His legs were crossed as he spoke, and he nervously swung one dapper, slippered foot with the curious effect of a gesture. For M. Brieux speaks not only with his lips, but with his whole body—his keen blue eyes, his hands, his shoulders and, actually, with the slippered feet already mentioned.

"I cannot say," he continued, "what effect this war will have on the

drama. I have all I can do to speak of the past and the present; I am no prophet."

But when "Damaged Goods" was mentioned, M. Brieux lost all his nervousness and constraint. He has not forgotten that when, in his native country, the censor forbade the production of that play, America gave it a royal welcome.

"I am very grateful to America," he said, giving the words a cordiality which printer's ink cannot reflect, "for the reception given to 'Damaged Goods.'"

No Exploiter of Vice.

It was not understood correctly at the start in France, but was almost instantly appreciated in the United States. And that was due to the sane judgment of the American public.

"The people of the United States saw that I was not seeking a sensation or a scandal. So I wish to take this opportunity to thank America for taking 'Damaged Goods' in the spirit in which I wrote it."

This naturally led to a mention of some of the objections which certain American publicists had made to the production of "Damaged Goods." M. Brieux was most emphatic in disclaiming any wish to portray vice unless virtue was thereby served.

"Of course," he said, "I understand and sanction plays that are written merely to entertain. But I condemn unsparingly anything of a pornographic nature. I say this unequivocally, and you may repeat it as strongly as the printed word can express it."

"The idea of the dramatic exploitation of vice revolts me, sickens me," which of your plays is your favorite?" asked the reporter. "Is it that early one, 'Blanchette'?" Or is it 'Les Hanneçons'?"

M. Brieux reflected with a quizzical expression. Then he threw out his hand in a gesture of despair.

"Never ask a father," he said, "which of his children he loves best. Even if he had a preference he would feel bound to keep silent on the subject."

"I consider," he said, turning with relief to one of his favorite topics, "that the drama, like other forms of literature, may legitimately be used as an instrument for the amelioration of social conditions. Of course, this truth has not always been recognized."

"But Diderot, the father of bourgeois drama, knew that it could so be used. And there is Molière—practically all his plays voice a thesis of social import. My life-work is to use the theatre in an endeavor to better conditions, and my sincere wish, my greatest wish, is that at the end of my life there may be a little less suffering on this earth."

There was little of his characteristic vivacity about M. Brieux as he said these words. He spoke simply, but strongly, with a modesty and force that emphasized his sincerity.

And indeed the record of his work shows that the criticism of the social system has always been his aim. "Blanchette," produced in 1892, points out the evil results that sometimes come from the education of girls of the working class; "M. de Reboval" is a scathing attack on hypocrisy; "L'Engrenage" is directed against corrupt politicians; "Les Bienfaisants" against fashionable people who play at charity; "L'Evasion" against the superstitious belief in the doctrine of heredity; "Les Trois Filles de M. Dupont" shows the evils of the French system of marriage dowry; "Le Résultat de Courses" is directed against gambling; "La Robe Rouge" tells us that the law sometimes serves injustice; "Les Remplaçants" exhibits the evils of putting children out to nurse; and "Damaged Goods"—but at this date no one needs a description of this play!

M. Brieux is not so modern as to acknowledge no merit in earlier dramatists. Nor does he claim for his generation the discovery of dramatic realism.

"Angier, whom I might call my spiritual father, wrote plays of the

most powerful realism," he said, "and was a dramatist who recognized the value of the exact portrayal of life."

M. Brieux is not familiar with the stage settings of Gordon Craig and Max Reinhardt. In general he is in favor of simplicity in presentation. He said:

"An excess of detail or richness in scenic production is actually harmful to a worthy play. It is the word that counts. Mark Antony's speech 'For Brutus is an honorable man' needs no elaborate setting to be effective."

When the names of contemporary dramatists were mentioned, M. Brieux displayed again that discreet reticence with which he had replied to questions about the war.

"I plow my own furrow," he said, "and I have too much to attend to in trying to keep it straight and deep to be able to look at my neighbors and to inspect their work. And I could not, at any rate, express an opinion on the subject of English and American authors, for I read English so poorly that I may not understand and may have missed many good ones. I have heard this one and that spoken of, but only in a haphazard way, so I really am not qualified to give my impressions. If my impressions were unfavorable, I should not be courteous to my colleagues, and if my impressions were favorable, I could not, because of my lack of experience, be sufficiently comprehensive."

Eugenics in France.

"I have never seen the American production of 'Damaged Goods,'" said M. Brieux, in answer to a question. "It may be that 'La Robe Rouge' will be produced under the name 'The Soul of a Judge.' If this play is produced, I certainly shall see it."

The thought of "Damaged Goods" brought the conversation to social problems, and eugenics was mentioned. "I do not know," said M. Brieux, "just how much interest has been taken in eugenics in America, but I know that it is considerable. In France, too, people are interested in eugenics, but not to so great an



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extent as they are in the United States. However, it will spread.

"France is thinking more and more about eugenics, and, incidentally, she

owes much of her stimulation along this line to the contagious influence and enthusiasm of America."

To the rash question as to whether

the war would find its reflection in one of M. Brieux's plays the dramatist replied, with a gesture so emphatic that it nearly lifted him from the lounge: "No! I shall certainly not write anything in connection with the war. It affects me too horribly for me to contemplate it. Other writers may do very useful work in writing about the war. But not I!"

"If any one were to ask me," said M. Brieux, "if a young country could produce real drama, I would say 'The United States answers the question.' A new, vigorous community can express as powerful a message as an older one, with all its background of experience."

M. Brieux said all this with charming courtesy, with an air, indeed, of leisure, as if he were willing to devote the entire day to entertaining the reporter. But several people were waiting to see him; among them, Prof. Brander Matthews. And to Prof. Matthews, M. Brieux remarked in French: "Will you excuse

me a moment longer? I shall soon be at your service. I am undergoing torture!" Whereupon the torturer withdrew.

AMERICAN PLAYS TOO MECHANICAL, SAYS HUBERT HENRY DAVIES

Too Little Real Psychological Study in Them, Declares Well-Known English Playwright, Who Does Not Believe in Stage Preaching and "Uplift."

BETWEEN the whirlpool of Sentimentality and the jagged rocks of The Uplift is no easy course for the dramatist to steer. But thus only, according to Hubert Henry Davies, can the playwright reach the journey's end of A Good Play. The English dramatist, who has just returned to London after the production of his play, "Outcast," here, has brought us hints for the writing of plays, hopes of an untouched dramatic field, comments of the effect of the war upon the making of drama, and withal some none-too-pleasant criticism of American plays.

But on these two initial prohibitions hangs the law of dramatic truth as the Foundation for any real achievement in good and serious drama: A playwright must scorn the easy ways of making happy endings. And he must flee the wish to educate and to uplift. A sentimental ending to a realistic play is, in Mr. Davies's opinion, nothing short of immoral.

And, on the other hand, a dramatist must keep himself well in hand and remember that he is a dramatist and not a preacher. The object of a play is not to point a moral, to raise shop-girls' wages, or protest against political corruption, or even to reform divorce laws. A drama may suggest a deep social problem; but it is not the dramatist's business to solve it. And he has no right to set out to show his audience how to be good.

It is easy to see how the straight course between pleasantness and preaching may be very difficult to follow. And it is easy to listen to such advice from Mr. Davies, because he knows exactly what he is talking about. He has had to run the gauntlet of criticism and censure and all manner of serious discussion in London because his own latest play neither ends happily on the one hand, nor attempts to solve the world's most ancient problem on the other.

"A happy ending" tagged on to a play that tries to be true," said Mr. Davies, scornfully, while talking to a Times reporter. "Why, that is absolutely immoral!"

"As for solutions—well, a play is no place to be didactic. The individual has to think out the solutions of his problems for himself. A play is just one thing—the study of a bit of life." And right there Mr. Davies begins his criticism of American drama. It has its good points, to which he is eager to do full justice; it has produced some remarkably fine and true pieces of work. But on the whole—this drama that is made in America—does not fulfill the one condition of a "good play": It is not "the study of a bit of life."

America has its sentimental plays, Mr. Davies says; it has its uplift plays a-plenty. It has many interesting and vigorous and technically excellent



Hubert Henry Davies.

melodramas. But, with certain rare and notable exceptions, the American drama is mechanical; its psychology is superficial and conventional, usually quite meaningless; its literary value is negligible; its plot is machine-made. There are many skillful playwrights in this country, Mr. Davies avers. And that, he points out, is exactly what is the matter. There are many talented playwrights; of dramatists we sadly need a few.

"You have splendid actors in this country," said Mr. Davies. "You have the most interested and responsive audiences. You have brilliant writers. What you need is to produce plays that have a sounder basis of psychology. You need more simple humanness in your drama, I think."

It is, of course, in the interests of "humanness" that Mr. Davies is so

disdainful of sentimentality and didacticism. But, as he very quickly explains, his condemnation of sentimentality requires some definition.

"I do not mean that a play that is merely sentimental in the first place is all wrong," he said, "because I do not mean to discuss that type of play at all. What I am talking about is the real drama, the drama that aims at a true presentation of life. If you set out simply to tell a pretty story, that is all right. By all means make it a pretty story. But if you set out to give your audience a real picture of life—in other words, if you are trying to write real drama—don't make compromises. In this play of mine I have a woman of the streets working out the actual regeneration of a man who has been on the verge of going to pieces; her own regeneration is worked out, too, and she loves the

man. But the man doesn't love her. He loves another woman, and always has, and at the end of the play he does not marry the girl from the streets."

"I have been very much criticized for allowing my play to end without the marriage of these two. And yet it seems to me that to have had the man marry the girl at the end would have been a really immoral thing to do. It wouldn't have been, it seems to me, true. It would have made the whole picture of life meaningless. It was necessary for these two to help each other and be good to each other and work out their own lives as best they could. But a patched-up marriage on the one hand, or a patched-up renewal of the man's first love affair on the other, would have been all wrong."

"And yet it would have been just as bad if I had tried to 'teach a lesson' in this story of a street girl. I suppose that things pretty much like this happen in a good many people's lives. This is a social problem, of course. But it isn't the dramatist's business to set out to tell people how to solve it. The problems of regeneration and the problems of kindness and loyalty are individual problems. A play is a picture of life. And I do firmly believe that a playwright should always try his very best to preach."

"You don't believe in the uplift in the drama?" remarked the reporter, in Mr. Davies's pause.

"The what?" said the Englishman, and frowned. "What is the uplift?" Then, just as the reporter was about to explain, he laughed. "I see," he said. "That is what you call the didactic play, isn't it? The uplift! I see. How interesting!"

"No, I don't believe in the uplift in the drama," he agreed. "I think that a playwright should simply study life. But I do not think that your American plays study life enough."

"I think that they are good plays of their kind," he added, quickly. "They have force and incident and brilliance. But it seems to me that on the whole the playwright in America lays too much stress on the building up of a mechanical plot and too little on human nature. Psychologically, your plays are superficial. One would think now, to see the purely American plays in New York, that this was a country where the predominant interest was in crooks."

Apparently some one wrote a crook play that was successful, and then a great many other people set out to write crook plays, too. These plays are successful, of course, and they are good plays, but they are machine plays.

Mr. Davies knows American life and the American drama well enough to speak with no little authority. He has lived in San Francisco, and he

has at various times spent months in New York. He knows a great many Americans in London and Paris, and he goes to see every American play that is produced in his own country.

"The trouble with them is simply that they are mechanical," he repeated. "There is too little real psychological study at the foundation of them all. There isn't enough actual observation behind them. And, too often, they are, it seems to me, not American enough. They don't really reflect, I think, the actual life of your very interesting country. I can't see why they don't. For the life of a country like this is surely interesting enough to study and to write about. What your drama needs is to be humanized."

"Of course, you have had some plays that were notable exceptions to all these criticisms. You have had some fine things. And I personally find a good deal that is interesting in the work of your George Cohan. I don't mean that his plays have any literary value—they haven't; I don't mean that they are the best things that you are producing. But I do think that in these racy sketches that he writes and produces there is the real observation, the actual local color, the human study and portrayal that American drama needs. Mr. Cohan's plays are representative. They couldn't have happened outside of America. They may deal only with a very obvious and perhaps superficial type of life, and, as I said, they have no literary value whatever. But they are human and honest and American, with actual study of people instead of just a mechanical structure. That is why they are good. And if some of your playwrights extend some of that study into other phases of American life you ought to have some very good plays."

"It seems to me that America is just teeming with material for good plays. The life of this country is so full of psychological interest. There must be good human plays everywhere. Why don't more people write them?"

"I should like," declared Mr. Davies, with a decisiveness that showed that he had given this matter careful thought, "I should very much like to write a play about America myself!"

"Of course, I couldn't do it," he laughed. "That is," he added, gravely, "I know enough about America and the Americans, I think, to write a New York play that would go in London. But I couldn't do one that would go in New York. I should be sure to make some dreadful mistake, and my serious drama would be"—he laughed again—"amusing."

"But I do want to write a play about Americans," he added, conclusively. "I want to write a play about Americans abroad. That is untouched dramatic material. And it is intensely interesting. No one has ever done it. No Englishman has ever written about Americans abroad. Yet London is full of Americans, interesting people, with interesting contributions to offer to our life. It is all fascinating."

"You see, you are so very different from us, and so very like us. The supposed mannerisms of the traveling Americans have been done to death, in plays and fiction, and these so-called 'portrayals' of so-called 'types' were very crude and inaccurate. I suppose that no American would recognize the British conception, in fiction and drama, of the 'typical American,' just as no Frenchman would recognize or be amused by the 'typical Frenchman' of the English novel and stage. We aren't amused by American and French versions of English 'characteristics,' either, and we don't find them accurate. They aren't. None of these 'types' is. They are reproductions of tricks of manner that either do not exist or have been grossly exaggerated in the supposed reproduction. We have seen a good many of these 'typical Americans' on the stage; they are invariably from the Middle West; they always have loud voices and crude manners; they continually say, 'I guess.' To the real Americans, as we know those who live in London, these 'types' bear no resemblance at all."

"Now, it may be that many Americans do say, 'I guess.' I personally do not know. But I do know that among the many Americans that I know who live in London or Paris, or equally in New York and one or both of these cities, there are absolutely no 'American mannerisms' at all. These superficial differences between American and English people simply do not exist. Americans talk and act just as English people do. They do not have loud voices. They do not have crude manners. They do not have strange vocabularies. They are perfectly at home in London."

"One noticeable external distinction the American woman abroad does possess. You can always tell an American woman anywhere because she is so exceedingly well dressed. That is the only difference in externals. And yet, there is a difference. There are a great many differences. They are differences of attitude, of idea. They are essentially psychological differences. They are noticeable in Paris, which is full of American men, and in London, which is full of American women. They leave their mark, of course, upon the societies of these cities. They are fascinating things to study and to try to portray—all sorts of nuances."

"Perhaps most Englishmen don't take the trouble to study out any of this at all. At any rate, no one has ever tried to write about it, even in a novel, much less a play. As I said, we have plenty of horrible 'types' that are anything but types, as a matter of fact. The realities we haven't tried to touch. A few Americans have done it in fiction—Mrs. Atherton and Anne Douglas Sedgwick both touch upon this theme, and they both know their ground. But there has never been, so far as I have known, any English attempt to do justice to the American abroad. And it keeps running itself into a play in my mind."

"Of course, the chief difference be-

tween Americans and English," said Mr. Davies, in answer to an obvious question, "is that the Americans have so untraditional a point of view. That is their great distinction, and a part of their great charm. They are not bound by any tradition whatever. They are not bound by anything. They have the utmost freedom of viewpoint toward everything in the world. It is all exceedingly attractive."

"And then they are so friendly and genial. There is nothing belligerent about them. They are delightful company, not only because they are interesting, but because they are so amiable. They are so easy to get on with. Every one likes them. At the same time, they have odd little reserves. I often feel that Americans are shocked by the freedom with which we discuss everything in England. In spite of their own liberty of action, their untrammelled attitude toward the world, with no traditions to hold them, they do not actually talk about things as freely as the English."

"Those are only a few attempts at generalizations. They are all interesting little points, I think. Of course, the Americans do not seem like foreigners to me, partly because I have been in America so much and partly because I know so many Americans in London and Paris. Perhaps that is why I am so anxious to put them into a play."

"You see," smiled Mr. Davies, boyishly, "I like them so much!" It is quite probable that Mr. Davies's American play, when he writes it, will be a very gay and happy sort of drama. But it will not be sentimental. It will make no compromise with tragedy. And it will not try to teach us, or to teach the English, how to behave. As a matter of fact, the English playwright's aversion to didacticism in the drama extends to the point of an earnest dread of being "preachy" in an interview.

"I feel," he complained, "extremely self-conscious." He pressed his fingertips together just under his chin and screwed up his face in a grimace that was a laughable burlesque of a stern pedant. "So," he said, and laughed, "I feel as if I had to—to 'be an author' and talk, for the edification of mankind. It makes one feel exceedingly self-conscious and exceedingly uncomfortable. It is quite as if one were being filmed."

Mr. Davies is a young man, although he has ten plays to his credit, and he began his dramatic career in San Francisco. He came to this country from England in 1893, and lived for eight years in California. In San Francisco he began to write vaudeville sketches, and in 1903, two years after his return to England, he produced in London and promptly sent over to us that delightful comedy "Cousin Kate." Both "The Mollies" and "A Single Man" have become well known in this country. But the author has gone a long way on the road to uncompromising realism since the days of "Cousin Kate." He holds no brief, to be sure, for tragedy. But he finds the study of life and people, grave things or gay, the only theme worth writing plays about.

NO NEED OF ALARM

For Housewives Over
Foot and Mouth Disease

Meats Should Be Well Cooked and Milk Boiled During Cattle Quarantine, Says Chief Pathologist Mohler of the Government Bureau of Animal Industry.

HOUSEWIVES need not fear the purchase of infected meats in the markets, as the result of the widespread outbreak of foot and mouth disease among cattle, according to expert opinion in the Department of Agriculture. But all meats should be well cooked and all milk should be boiled.

"We have had outbreaks of foot and mouth disease in this country from time to time during the last fifty years, but none to approach the present one in seriousness and extent of spread," said Dr. John R. Mohler, Chief Pathologist of the Bureau of Animal Industry in Washington, to a correspondent of THE TIMES.

"On the worst of previous occasions not more than four States had to be quarantined; this time the drastic precautionary measure has been extended to fifteen States, forbidding the interstate transportation or export of cattle, sheep, swine, the hides and hoofs of such animals, hay, straw, etc."

"We have no means of knowing from what source the epidemic originally started. It was at Niles, Mich., that the disease was first discovered, and investigation proves that it has spread over a large part of the Middle West. Among the States already quarantined are New York, New Jersey, and Delaware, Massachusetts and Rhode Island, Pennsylvania and Maryland. The malady has been carried by infected cattle into Montana."

"Housewives have no need to fear diseased meat in the markets. In the first place, we are rapidly killing off and burying all animals affected by the complaint. Secondly, even though such meat were to find its way to somebody's table, it would be harmless unless eaten raw. Cooking kills the germs."

"On the other hand, people in the quarantined areas would do well to boil their milk—especially that which is given to babies. Raw milk derived from cows sick with foot and mouth disease is dangerous. Boiling is an easy precaution and well worth taking."

"Nobody knows where foot and mouth disease originated, but it has been permanently established in Europe for centuries, and from that source it has been repeatedly introduced into the United States. In one noteworthy instance, however, the serious epidemic of 1893, it appears to have been imported from Japan."

Malady Is Highly Contagious.

"The malady is otherwise known as 'aphthous fever,' or 'eczema epizootica.' It is a highly contagious fever caused by a bacterial germ that has never been identified (probably for the reason that it is too small to be seen by the highest-power microscope), and its most characteristic symptom is an eruption of blisters in the mouth, around the feet above the hoofs, and between the toes."

"Although regarded as in particular a disease of cattle, it readily attacks hogs also, as well as sheep and goats. The buffalo, the camel, the deer, the chamois, the llama, the antelope, and the giraffe are subject to the complaint. Horses, dogs, cats, and even poultry sometime acquire the infection, and help importantly to spread it."

"Man himself is not immune, and human beings in many instances suffer from foot and mouth disease—children especially, as a result of drinking milk from infected cattle. Adults who come into contact with sick animals are liable to contract the malady. In such cases the symptoms resemble those observed in cattle. There is fever and difficulty in swallowing, followed by an eruption of blisters in the mouth and occasionally by a similar breaking-out on the fingers."

"The disease has appeared so seldom in the United States, and outbreaks of it have been so restricted in their spread, that the great losses which it may cause are not appreciated by our people. They have had no experience of an epidemic of sufficient magnitude to illustrate its serious character. Efforts have been made to show that the malady was mild, with a relatively small death-rate, and some surprise has been expressed at the adoption of such radical measures as slaughter. The promulgation of such views, founded upon ignorance, has had the effect of arousing a certain amount of opposition to the work of stamping out the disease on previous occasions, hindering its progress and even jeopardizing its success."

"In Europe, on the other hand, there has been abundant opportunity to become familiar with the disease, which in that part of the world is now dreaded more than any other which affects the farmer's livestock. Even in the mildest outbreaks, when only 2 or 3 per cent. of the grown animals die, there are incidental sources of loss much more important. Affected cows cease to give milk, and the difficulty of chewing the feed causes a rapid and extreme loss of flesh. The udders often become inflamed and ruined by the formation of abscesses; inflammation of the feet may cause the horn to drop from the base, permanently injuring the animal. Altogether these

may be a loss of 20 to 50 per cent. of the value of the cattle."

"Sometimes foot and mouth disease assumes a malignant character, causing the death of 5 to 50 per cent. of the adult animals and 50 to 80 per cent. of the sucklings. This has happened within the last few years in Germany, the resulting losses being much greater than from all other contagious maladies of cattle combined. In some sections the cattle have been swept away by tens of thousands, many farms losing from a third to half of their stock. Observation of the malady in European countries, indeed, offers a striking warning of the disastrous effects which might follow the spread of this dangerous infection over the whole extent of the United States. Not only would the immediate losses be gigantic, but the disease might linger for a long period of years. To guard against such a calamity, the most rigid and even severe measures are amply justified."

Quarantine Not Enough.

"The work done during the outbreak of 1902, especially in Massachusetts, demonstrated in a striking manner the efficacy of slaughter in stamping

near Detroit, Mich., and Government inspectors were sent to investigate. As a result, a quarantine of the State of Michigan was declared by the Secretary of Agriculture Nov. 25. Almost immediately thereupon affected animals were discovered in Carroll County, Md., just over the Pennsylvania border, and a quarantine was placed on the State of Maryland."

Methods to Stamp Out Disease.

"An arrangement was made by the Federal and State authorities to work together for the eradication of the plague, the plan followed for stamping out the disease being practically the same as that which had been successful in the case of the New England outbreak of 1902—namely, to enforce a strict quarantine, to discover all infected animals and localities, to slaughter and bury all diseased and exposed animals, and to disinfect the premises occupied by them."

"The owners of condemned animals were reimbursed to the extent of their appraisal value, the Federal Government paying two-thirds of the money and the State one-third. Expenses of burial, disinfection, etc., were shared in the same proportion."

"For use in such an emergency,

infected or suspected animals are cleaned and disinfected; also any stockyards that may happen to be in the infected areas."

"By no means the least interesting feature of the outbreak of 1908 was its origin, which at first was a mystery. Inasmuch as the Bureau of Animal Industry maintained a strict quarantine on imported livestock, and in view of the fact that the importation of ruminants from countries where foot and mouth disease existed was prohibited entirely, it was considered highly improbable that the infection had been introduced with imported animals. Various other theories were suggested, one of them being that the contagion might have been brought on the clothing of immigrants."

"Before long, however, it was ascertained definitely that the epidemic had started near Detroit, and further investigation traced the disease to calves that had been used in propagating smallpox vaccine by an establishment in that city."

Traced to Japanese Vaccine.

"This led to a suspicion that the vaccine produced by this outfit was contaminated by the virus of foot and mouth disease—an idea which was presently confirmed beyond the peradventure of a doubt by scientific experiments with the vaccine in question. Healthy calves inoculated with the vaccine developed foot and mouth disease."

"Further inquiry developed the fact that the Detroit firm had obtained this particular strain of vaccine from a concern in Pennsylvania, and tests made of the vaccine produced by the latter firm showed that it was likewise contaminated with germs of foot and mouth disease."

"The Pennsylvania concern had got its vaccine virus in Japan six years earlier, and all the evidence pointed to the conclusion that the New England outbreak of 1902 was attributable to the same cause—i. e., the same lot of Japanese vaccine."

"As soon as the facts as to the contamination of the vaccine became known, immediate steps were taken by the Surgeon General of the Public Health Service to eradicate all this contaminated vaccine virus in America."

"The licenses of the two firms were at once suspended, all the suspected vaccine virus on hand at their establish-

LETTERS OF SOLDIERS

Give Vivid Pictures
Of Realities of War

Unknown English Chroniclers Tell of the Human Side of the Great Conflict in Letters Sent to Their Homes Without a Thought of Having Them Published.

A GERMAN cavalry division was pursuing a division of English infantry. The English ranks were suddenly reinforced; they turned and charged the Germans, who fled in disorder.

All the Germans fled—but one. Says an English soldier, Trooper S. Carrill: "When they saw us coming they turned and fled, at least all but one, who came rushing at us with his lance at the charge. I caught hold of his horse, which was half mad with terror, and my chum was going to run the rider through when he noticed the awful glare in his eyes, and we saw that the poor devil was dead."

That ghastly vision of the mounted corpse can find no place in histories of this war. It has no historical significance even if it did receive a place in the cable dispatches from the front. Only from the lips of soldiers or from their pens when they snatch a few moments from the business of war to write to their people at home come such naïvely graphic accounts of trivial but illuminative incidents.

In many an American family is treasured a packet of yellow papers, on which are written in ink fast fading away brief and intimate impres-

sions of the civil war by men who waged it. Every war has thus its unknown, unnumbered chroniclers, who send to their little home circles narratives that for startling realism no highly paid special correspondent could surpass.

Trooper Carrill's letter is one of a number contained in an extraordinary volume just published by the George H. Doran Company of New York, with the title "In the Firing Line" (50 cents net). Mr. A. St. John Adcock collected a large number of letters sent home during the last few weeks by English soldiers fighting in France and has arranged them to form what is perhaps the most essentially human account of the great war that has yet appeared.

"Light Brigade" Over Again. Consider, for instance, the narrative of Private Whitaker of the Coldstream Guards. He fought through the terrific four-day battle near Mons, and his account of it follows. It must be remembered that the British troops who took part in that battle had sailed from Southampton only four days before:

"You thought it was a big crowd that streamed out of the Crystal Palace when we went to see the Cup Final. Well, outside Compiegne it was just as if that crowd came at us. You couldn't miss them. Our bullets plowed into them, but still they came for us. I was well intrenched, and my rifle got so hot I could hardly hold it. I was wondering if I should have enough bullets when a pal shouted, 'Up, Guards, and at 'em!' The next second he was rolled over with a nasty knock on the shoulder. He jumped up and hissed. 'Let me get at them!' His language was a bit stronger than that."

When we really did get the order to get at them we made no mistake. I can tell you. They cringed at the bayonet, but those on our left wing tried to get around us, and after racing as hard as we could for quite five hundred yards we cut up nearly every man who did not run away."

You have read of the charge of the Light Brigade. I saw two of our fellows who were unhorsed stand back to back and slash away with their swords, bringing down nine or ten of the panicky devils. Then they got hold of the stirrup-straps of a horse without a rider and got out of the mêlée. This kind of thing was going on all day."

In the afternoon I thought we might get a bit of rest, as they came for us again in the night by moonlight. When

they came from goodness knows: but as we could not stop them with bullets they had another taste of the bayonet. My Captain, a fine fellow, was near to me, and as he fetched them down he shouted, 'Give them socks, my lads!'

How many were killed and wounded I don't know; but the field was covered with them."

It is also of the four days' battle that Private J. R. Taft of the Second Essex Regiment wrote. How typical of real life, as distinct from romance, is his ready transition from his devout thanksgiving for his safety to his amused recollection of the popular song that rose above the crash of shot and shell:

"We were near Mons when we had the order to trench. It was just dawn when we were half way down our trenches, and we were on our knees when the Germans opened a murderous fire with their guns and machine guns."

We opened a rapid fire with our Maxims and rifles; we let them have it properly, but no sooner did we have one lot down than up came another lot, and they sent their cavalry to charge us, but we were there with our bayonets, and we emptied our magazines on them. Their men and horses were in a confused heap. There were a lot of wounded horses we had to shoot to end their misery."

We had several charges with their infantry, too. We find they don't like the bayonets. Their rifle shooting is rotten; I don't believe they could hit a haystack at 100 yards."

We find their field artillery very good; we don't like their shrapnel; but I noticed that some did not burst; if one shell that came over me had burst I should have been blown to bits."

I thanked the Lord it did not. I also heard our men singing that famous song, 'Get Out and Get Under.' I know that for an hour in our trench it would make any one keep under, what with their shells and machine guns. Many poor fellows went to their death like heroes."

The writer of the following letter, too, was telling of Mons. To friends far away, at peaceful Barton-on-Humber, he wrote:

"Just a line to tell you I have returned from the front, and I can tell you we have had a very trying time of it. I must also say I am very lucky to be here. We were fighting from Sunday, 22d, to Wednesday evening, on nothing to eat or drink—only the drop of water in our bottles which we carried."

No one knows—only these that have seen us could credit such a sight, and if I live for years may I never see such a sight again. I can tell you it is not very nice to see your chum next to you with half his head blown off. The horrible sights I shall never forget. There seemed nothing else only certain death staring us in the face all the time. I cannot tell you all on paper. We must, however, look on the bright side, for it is no good doing any other."

There are thousands of these German men, and they simply throw themselves at us. It is no joke fighting seven or eight to one. I can tell you we have lessened them a little, but there are millions more yet to finish."

With the Bluejackets. Of the battle that reddened the foam of the North Sea during the last days of August many a seaman recorded his impressions. And what curious things stuck in the memories of the weary, powder-stained survivors!

"The funny thing—which you should have seen," wrote Midshipman Hartley to his parents, "was all the stokers grubbing around after the action looking for bits of shell." And a seaman on H. M. S. Hearty wrote:

Two cooks were in the galley of the Arethusa, just having their rum when a shell killed one and blew the other's arm off. A funny thing, they've got a clock hanging up; it smashed the glass and one hand, but the blowing thing's still going."

There is the scullion in Seaboard Gunner Hartley's letter to his parents who waited for tidings in their cottage on the Isle of Wight:

We and another ship in our squadron came across two German cruisers. We routed one and started on the second, but battle-cruisers soon finished her off. Another then appeared, and after we had plunked two broadsides into her she slid off in flames."

Every man did his bit, and there was a continuous stream of jokes. We pelted on the projectiles 'Love from England,' 'One for the Kaiser,' and other such messages. The sight of sinking German ships was gloriously terrible, funnels and masts lying about in all directions, and amidst a huge furnace, the burning steel looking like a big ball of sulphur. There was not the slightest sign of fear, from the youngest to the oldest man aboard."

But it remained for a naval lieutenant, whose name is not given, to describe, in a letter to a friend, one of the most remarkable incidents of the war, an incident which might have occurred in the imagination of Jules Verne or of H. G. Wells in his youth. He wrote:

The Defender having sunk an enemy, lowered a whale to pick up her swimming survivors; before the whale got back an enemy's cruiser came up and chased the Defender, and thus she abandoned her whale. Imagine their feelings—alone in an open boat without food, twenty-five miles from the nearest land, and that land the enemy's fortress, with nothing but fog and foes around them. Suddenly a swirl alongside and up, if you please, pops his Britannic Majesty's submarine E-4, opens his conning tower, takes them all on board, shuts up again, dives, and brings them home 250 miles!"

In his introduction to the book St. John Adcock calls the private letters of the soldiers "the most potent of recruiting literature." Undoubtedly this is true of some of them. The casual, almost flippant, records of splendid heroism, the reflection of a spirit of gay courage, the description of the most picturesque and romantic aspects of battle—these tend, certainly, to fill the mind of stay-at-home readers with a desire for participation in this great adventure.

Wholesale Slaughter.

But, on the other hand, such passages as: "The dead were piled up in the trenches about ten deep, and there were trenches seven miles long," and "Our Maxim gun officer tried to fix his gun up during their murderous fire, but he got half his face blown away," are not likely to make fighting seem a pleasant occupation. It is true that the dead referred to in the first of these passages are the enemy's dead; still, there is a wholesale quality about those seven-mile trenches filled with dead ten deep that is not a recruiting literature."

Nor is this letter, vivid in its realism, likely to make those not already warlike eager to enlist. It was sent to his parents at Hiramcombe by Private William Burgess of the Royal Field Artillery:

We left our lading place for the front on the Tuesday and got there on Saturday night. The Germans had just reached Liège, then, and we got into action on the Sunday morning. The first thing we did was to blow up a bridge to stop the Germans from crossing. Then we came into action behind a lot of houses attached to the main street. We were there about ten minutes when the houses started to fall around us. The poor people were buried alive. I saw poor children getting knocked down by bursting shells."

The next move was to advance across where there was a Red Cross Hospital. They dropped shells from airplanes and fired on it until the place was burnt down to the ground. Then they got a big plan on to retire and let the French get behind them. We retired eight miles, but we had to fight until we were forced to move again. We got as far as Le Cateau on Tuesday night. We camped there until 2 o'clock next morning."

Then we all heard there was a big fight coming off, so we all got together and cleared the field for action. (The letter mentions the numbers of men engaged, and states that the Germans were in the proportion of three to one.) We cut them down like rats. We could see them coming on us in heaps and dropping like hail. The Colonel passed along the line and said 'Stick it, boys.' I tell you, mother, it was awful to see your own comrades dropping down—some getting their heads blown off and others their legs and arms. I was fighting with my shirt off. A piece of shell went right through my shirt at the back and never touched me. It stuck into a bag of earth which we put between the wheels to stop bullets."

We were there, all busy fighting, when an airplane came right over the line and dropped a bomb, which caused a terrible lot of smoke. Of course, that gave the Germans our range. Then the shells were dropping on us thick. We looked across the line and saw the German guns coming toward us. We turned our two centre guns on them and sent them yards in the air. I reckon I saw one German go quite twenty yards in the air."

Just after that a shell burst right over our gun. That one got me out of action. I had to get off the field the best way I could. The bullets were going all around me on the way off; you see, they got completely around us. I went about two miles and met a Red Cross cart. I was taken to St. Quentin Hospital. We were shelled out of there about 2 in the morning, and then taken in a train and taken down to a plain near Rouen. Next morning we were put in a ship for dear old England."



Dr. John R. Mohler, Chief Pathologist of the Bureau of Animal Industry.

Dr. Alonzo D. Melvin, Chief of the Bureau of Animal Industry.

out the complaint and the utility of relying upon quarantine alone. Just so long as any considerable number of diseased animals remain alive, giving off contagion which may be disseminated by people, dogs, cats, rats, chickens, and possibly through other agencies, just so long may the trouble be expected to spread rapidly."

"Unfortunately, when an epidemic occurs, cattle-owners often manifest a disposition to conceal the condition of their herds, thus obstructing the efforts made to extirpate the mischief."

"Up to the present time there have been only a few outbreaks in America, the first one of importance occurring in 1870, when the contagion was introduced from Europe by way of Canada, spreading into the New England States and into New York. The disease on that occasion appears to have assumed a mild form, and its spread was quite easily arrested."

Other Outbreaks.

"About 1880 there were two or three lots of animals brought to this country affected with the complaint, but they were quarantined and danger of an epidemic was forestalled. Again in 1884 there was a small outbreak at Portland, Me., caused by imported cattle, but the malady did not spread beyond a few herds outside of the quarantine station."

"It is not definitely known how the infection was introduced in 1902, but the first herds affected were in Chelsea, Mass., in the vicinity of the docks—indicating that the trouble was brought from Europe by ship."

"Once again it arrived, early in November, 1908, and this time in the neighborhood of Danville, Penn. More accurately speaking, it was first observed in that locality, and a resulting investigation revealed the fact that it was more or less prevalent in a number of counties of Pennsylvania. Within a few days cases of it were found in the vicinity of Akron, N. Y., and a quarantine was declared which included the entire territory of the two States."

"Inquiry developed the fact that the disease had been brought into Pennsylvania by two lots of cattle which came through the stockyards at Buffalo, N. Y. These two shipments were found to have originated in Michigan, New York, and Ohio."

"A few days later a suspicious case was reported in several herds

the Bureau of Animal Industry was, as a part of its regular organization, a large force of trained veterinarians, many of whom have had experience in such campaigns. The States, too, have livestock sanitary officials, with laws under which prompt action can be taken."

"The value and importance to the country of an efficient central organization to look after the interests of the livestock industry are well demonstrated on an occasion of this kind. In 1898 it had been necessary to delay operations in order to organize a force to deal with the outbreak, the contagion would doubtless have spread in the meantime to the Middle West, and probably to the range country of the Far West, where its eradication would have been either impossible or attended with the greatest difficulty and expense."

"As it was, not a day was lost in beginning effective work, and the disease practically was confined to the areas to which it already had spread at the time of discovery."

"Besides the work of slaughter, burial, and disinfection, veterinary inspectors were sent to trace all rumors of foot and mouth disease, and to locate any probable centres of infection."

"A large force was maintained in the infected regions, and thorough and systematic inspection and re-inspection were made of all animals from farm to farm. The Bureau of Animal Industry had engaged in the work of inspection and eradication a total of 872 employees, of whom 159 were veterinarians."

Disinfection of Premises.

"The work of disinfecting premises is difficult and tedious, various methods being employed according to local conditions."

"Where it is conducted on a large scale, a water tank filled with a 5 per cent. chlorinated lime solution is used with a steam pump, the steam being furnished in some instances by a traction engine. In cleaning and disinfecting barns and stables, the wooden fittings and flooring are as a rule torn out and burned, and the disinfectant is then freely sprayed over walls and ceilings. In some cases fumigation is preferred for the interior of barns containing great quantities of hay or other material which would be damaged or ruined by other methods."

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lambments was destroyed, and all such vaccine on the market was withdrawn and destroyed. The Public Health Service then proceeded to examine every strain of vaccine virus on the market, and to require all manufacturers of such vaccine to test their virus for the presence of foot and mouth infection. As a result, the Government is now able to give assurance that there is no market vaccine virus thus contaminated."

"Unlike most other infectious maladies, foot and mouth disease may attack the same animals repeatedly. The immunity derived from an attack is manifestly of a very limited duration. Hence inoculation with the virus as a protective measure is of no use. Although the germ has not been isolated and identified, it undoubtedly exists in vast numbers in the serum of the blisters on mouth, feet, or udder, in the saliva, the milk, and even in the blood."

"Consequently, the infection is easily and rapidly spread. Animals may be infected directly, as by licking, and in the case of calves by suckling; or indirectly by manure, hay, utensils, drinking troughs, railway cars, barnyards, and pastures. Human beings may carry the virus on their clothing, and transmit it from their hands while milking. Milk may communicate the disease to animals fed with it."

"When an outbreak occurs in a herd, the owner should make every effort to keep other animals from coming into contact with his cattle."

"This remark applies especially to dogs, cats, goats, and poultry, which having access usually to the stables and barnyards, furnish excellent agencies for disseminating the plague. The owner should be equally careful not to admit any person to the stable or other place where the diseased cattle are kept—particularly a person having to do with cattle elsewhere."

"Quarantine works well as far as it goes and is an important precautionary measure, but in a country like the United States where an infection of this kind is liable to spread rapidly by means of cars, manure, hay, and other feed, and where the results of its obtaining a firm foothold would be so disastrous, this restrictive method is too slow and tedious."

"More radical steps are demanded, in order to suppress and eradicate completely the menace in the quickest and most thorough manner possible. It is therefore best to go directly to the root of the trouble by purchasing and slaughtering all affected or exposed cattle."

"An outbreak of foot and mouth disease may quickly result in direct losses amounting to many millions of dollars. But in addition to this, a considerable spread of the contagion in this country would entail the entire stoppage of our export trade in live animals, interference of domestic commerce, and the loss of many thousands of jobs by the slaughter of the

LOUIS N. PARKER TELLS HOW TO WRITE A PLAY

With Whimsicality and Satire the British Playwright Discourses of His Craft—He Sets Forth Some of the Deadly Dramatic Sins and Gives Some Hints for Dodging Failure.

By Louis N. Parker.

TO write a play—it is almost the easiest thing in the world. The only easier thing is not to write a play, but that no one has had the courage to try. At any rate, I have never yet met any one from a Bishop to a tram-conductor, including the other sex between these extremes, who had not at some period written a play, or, at least, meditated writing one. In acute cases they had the manuscript on their persons.

I was once on what I thought might possibly be my death-bed, though it subsequently turned out otherwise, and my doctor, who until then had seemed perfectly respectable, shyly produced a brown-paper parcel and asked me to cast my eye over it and give him my opinion. He said there was just time.

The first thing to do when, as they say, "commencing playwright," is to acquire a cottage on Hindhead, borrow a motor car, and be photographed in the one outside the other. Or you can be photographed golfing—"addressing the ball," I believe it is called. But that is less advantageous, as it shows more of you. This picture you will have published with the legend: "Mr. Foljambe-Biore, the eminent playwright, in his 80 H. P. Panhard at the door of his cottage on Hindhead, resting after completing his play 'The Folly of Virtue,' which is now being considered by several London managers." Then you are a playwright.

But if you insist upon performing a work of supererogation and really writing an alleged play, the process is longer, though not necessarily more difficult. You take an idea. Take it wherever you find it. Ideas come in conversations with a friend—from the friend. Many plays have been written after conversations with me—plays which would have made their authors' fortunes if they had not been complete failures. Some authors deny that any idea is necessary, and prove the correctness of their theory.

Having got your idea from somewhere you must next make up your mind whether you mean to write for a paying public or for deadheads. Deadheads are the earnest students of drama who never pay. If you want to see them seek the platform of any suburban station—West Kensington for choice—at 7 o'clock on any evening. It is crowded with them. They wear a sort of national costume—the ladies knitted shawls and the gentlemen cloth caps. If you elect to write for the paying public you will probably find you have written for the deadheads after all.

But if you deliberately write for the deadheads you will not be hailed as a playwright, but as a very great playwright, as one of the ornaments of English dramatic literature. The drama is one of the arts in which complete failure to attract a public is the true test of genius. The moment you have unhappily stumbled upon a subject which people like, and you are spurred by the litterati, and you go about apologizing for yourself. You must make up your mind whether you want to be truly great, or truly solvent.

The choice of an idea for a play is, after all, no such difficult matter, as there is only one. All dramatic art resolves itself into the question of how many acts it takes to marry Edwin to Angelina, or, in our modern way, to divorce Angelina from Edwin, which, however, amounts to the same thing, as Angelina subsequently marries another Edwin whose name is Bertie. You may disguise this subject as you like by pretending to make your central theme the Housing of the Poor, or Tariff Reform, but in the end Angelina marries or is divorced from Edwin just the same. You can also be very bold and suppress the marriage ceremony. Then you are ultra modern. But the ultimate result remains identical, unless your theme be neo-Malthusianism, though it may not appear in the first column of The Times.

Censoring's the Thing.

Do not be afraid. Remember that a first play is always, invariably, and without exception, a glorious and glittering triumph, especially if it is not played. There is nothing that will enhance a beginner's fame as to get himself censored. Then he is a made man, and his fame travels from one end of the country to the other. It is not difficult to get censored. Then you write to the papers. You need scarcely take even this trouble. A hundred people will write to the papers about you. Nothing arouses the indignant enthusiasm of the earnest playgoer so much as the censoring of a play he would not pay a shilling to see. You become a National Question, a Pivot of the Constitution. Magna Charta is dragged in, and somebody totally acquainted with the drama writes an article "Ichabod." You also become an argument in favor of a National Theatre.

Having got your idea, the next thing is to find a title. That is perhaps even more important than the idea. The great point about a title is how it will look on the "buses." A play of mine (excuse me) was very nearly a failure out West because they thought the title meant a new breakfast food. It was called "Disraeli." You see what a thin line divides success from failure. A good title—that is, a taking one—is more than half the play. "The Worst Woman in London" is a stroke of genius. We all want to see her. Our sympathies go out to her in a rush. We feel we love her. We expect much

of her. The French are the masters in the art of inventing titles. "La Femme Nue." Think of it. To be sure, that was disappointing, as the play turned out to be psychological instead of physiological.

The title need have no connection with the play. You can write a politico-economical pamphlet, and call it "Julius Caesar." Or you can write a medical pamphlet and call it "On and Off," and if it is more off than on, you have no idea what a crowd of brilliant creatures will swoop on the opportunity. The good title means nothing, but looks portentous. You should also consider, and perhaps modify, your own name. Everywhere, except in America, names are food for mirth, and if you happen to be called Mark Anthony Brown, the wits will remind you of it. Not once, but forever.

However, having got your idea, or somebody else's, and your title, you next proceed to the construction of your play. The most modern school deny the necessity of construction at all. Their plays have no beginning, no middle, and, unfortunately, a long-delayed end. The end is the only attractive part. But I am old-fashioned and I stick to construction. It is one of the most fascinating points about a play because it is impossible. In constructing a play you have to keep one eye on the audience all the time; possibly it is the only occasion on which there will be an audience to keep an eye on.

Let Them Get Seated.

The first rule you have to observe is not to begin until the curtain has been up long enough to allow your audience to get into their seats. It is one of our most hallowed national customs not to go into a theatre until the curtain has risen. If by some stupid blunder we have arrived punctually we smoke a cigarette in the lobby. So the cunning playwright takes care not to start his story until at least five minutes later. You will occupy these five minutes with a colorless scene of some kind, just to keep the groundlings amused. In some cases you will begin each act in the same way. It depends on how fashionable your audience is and how thirsty.

While I am on this point, I may as well say that for a converse reason you must finish your play five minutes before the final curtain falls. Another of our national customs is to get up and leave the theatre the moment Edwin has embraced Angelina, although the author may have reserved a quaint comedy touch or a dramatic surprise for the actual end. It is no use altering the hour of performance. Begin at midnight if you like; we shall not come until five minutes after. Leave off at 10; we shall go out five minutes before. It's in the blood. The idea that an audience owes any consideration to authors or actors is entirely foreign to us. The very suggestion of it is almost an impertinence. Why, even when a great conductor like Hans Richter forbids us to chatter to our seats during the introduction to "Parsifal," we only obey with an amused toleration. "These musicians!" Think of the colossal row there would be if a theatrical manager issued a similar edict!

Whatever you do, take yourself seriously, otherwise nobody else will. Be interviewed. And, when you are interviewed, take care to stage-manage yourself properly. "Yes," said Mr. Foljambe-Biore, when we interviewed him as he smoked a gold-tipped cigarette between two rehearsals, "the drama in England is, as you say, in a hopeless condition; but I trust this play may show that there are still some earnest workers who have its highest interests at heart. The subject? There is no subject. It is just a slice of real life cut raw



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and bleeding. There are only three characters: a man who works all day, another who works all night. Yes—tollers—tollers. And then, of course, the woman who deceives both. The crash comes when they discover her treachery. How do I bring that about? By the simplest means. One of them is given an unexpected holiday. How do I solve the problem? Problems are never solved. How did I get the idea? Who knows? I was motoring in the Pyrenees (flavor this according to taste) "when, &c., &c." This is a new subject? Yes, I hope so. What did you say? Box and Cox? What are Box and Cox? Have I any special message for your readers? No, no; except that I hope this work of mine may convey a much-needed lesson to this London of ours. What are my future plans? Ah! First, a much-needed—no, I said that just now—a highly necessary rest. Yes, I hope to see you in my villa near Florence. Then I may get to work on a play which I hope may convey a much-needed message—

At this moment the leading actor came up hat in hand to consult the celebrated author on the pronunciation of a word. "You see," said the latter, passing a weary hand over his thoughtful brow, "one is much

harassed, much harassed." The interview was at an end.

And the run of the play was at an end three nights later.

Collaboration has many advantages, one of which is that you needn't do any of the work; but you should be careful of your choice of a collaborator. The man who marries loses a sweetheart; the man who collaborates loses a friend; it is difficult to avoid the impression that he gets all the coppers while you get all the kicks. If the play be a success he will acknowledge he wrote it. If it be a failure, you will acknowledge he wrote it. If any one asks either of you which really wrote it, you will both look pained and surprised, and answer: "What do you think?" All your lives, you will let slip the words "My play," and all your lives you will be ashamed of doing so.

Poor Old Shakespeare!

Nor can I advise you to dramatize a novel. If it had 5,000 readers, there are 500,000 people who will say what a bad job you've made of it. To be sure, you won't mind that if they all pay to see it.

Remember that the manager's reader judges a play by the first two pages of the manuscript. If he doesn't

like these, he writes you an extremely polite note to the effect that he has read your play with perfectly hysterical delight, but it is, unfortunately, scarcely suited to his theatre. Therefore, you must try to arouse his interest the moment he opens the play. Shakespeare had his eye on the manager's reader when he made Horatio whisper: "What! Has this thing appeared again tonight?" That gripped the poor man, and he was forced to read on. On the other hand, I must remind you that no audience ever gets into the theatre until five minutes after the curtain has risen, so, as I have already told you, you must delay the real beginning of your play. This is one out of the fog of cleft sticks you will find yourself in when you write a play. In all other respects Shakespeare is a bad model, as it is universally agreed he did not know the rudiments of his craft. Not one play of his is ever played—I will not say exactly, but approximately—as he wrote it.

It is a notorious fact that there is no one, whatever his nationality or however shadowy his education, or limited his intellect, who is not perfectly equipped to alter, transmute, arrange, and adapt Shakespeare's crude and amateurish efforts. Write

a play, indeed! Why, he couldn't even write the simplest sentence of four words in so clear a manner as not to render it open to 75,000 different readings. We are still in doubt as to whether his most representative hero was mad or sane, or madly sane or sanely mad. Indeed, Shakespeare was so vague an artificer that some are in doubt as to whether he wrote plays at all.

Do not, however, carry this desire for a striking effect too far. I was asked to read a play once—and this is a fact. It was a five-act tragedy, and with liberal allowance for intervals for much-needed refreshment it would have played nearly an hour. The first act represented the utterly dark interior of a cavern in the heart of the Caucasus. It was, very superfluously, night. There was to be deep silence during the first five minutes after the curtain had risen. Then a voice proceeding from an unseen speaker at the back of the cavern began. And continued. It gave us an agonizing history of the speaker's sufferings. It went on for ten minutes and ended as nearly as I can remember: "And must I, the last descendant of the Badenwellers, nursed in all the luxury which untold wealth can lavish on its favorite, must I perish here, deprived of a loving mother's solicitous attention, in squalor and anguish, with noisome nocturnal fowl for companions?" (He groans. Curtain.)

That is carrying originality and the search after dramatic effect too far. Perhaps. Who knows? This very boldness might have won an audience's enthusiasm.

You Never Can Tell.

For, oh, my students, take this well to heart. There is no foretelling the success or failure of any play that was ever written. It is impossible to write well enough to insure success. It is impossible to write badly enough to insure failure. Fine plays fall miserably, and bad ones run a million nights. And there is no expert. In all the universe there never has been, there is not, and there never will be, one man who can foretell the fate of a play. If there were, what a fortune he would make. Trust nobody's opinion, for whether it be good or bad, it is equally worthless. A playwright whose name wild horses shall not drag from me was more than once told by managers, actors, and even the cold-blooded business manager, he had written a Heaven-sent masterpiece which must run a year to maximum receipts. Simply couldn't help itself. On the strength of their opinion, he ran about the city and grinned like a dog; and the play was howled off on the first night.

On the other hand, a play by the same nameless author was, utterly condemned in its production. The stage manager—a person of vast experience who "produces" twenty-five plays every season—took him aside and said: "If there is one thing I do know, it is our public. I'm sorry to have to tell you they won't stand your play. Not a week, Sir!" The entire company was told the same thing. Parts in the next play were distributed among them with instructions to learn them at once. The author was left dead, while the staff rushed to the telegraph to order the new scenery. That was in January of 1911, and the play is still running.

Don't be long. Be as short as you can. It is better to be as short as you can than to be as short as other people can make you. We are rapidly adopting the telegraphic style. An audience has no sooner got into the theatre than it is on tenter-hooks to get out again. Have you not read the pathetic paragraph which invariably appears on the third morning of a new play's existence? "The Folly of Virtue," which began at 8:30, now begins

and 9:10, and instead of leaving off at 11:15, ends punctually at 10:45."

There are a thousand of other details. Your hero must always enter from the centre of the background. So must your heroine. It is no use telling me you want them to enter from the side. They won't do it. If there is no door in the centre of the background you must cut one, even if it opens on the bottomless abyss. You must never under any circumstances ask your hero and heroine to stand or sit with their profiles to the audience. Consequently your hero must breathe his passion into your heroine's back hair. It is a form of address entirely confined to the stage; yet it always fulfils its purpose, for observe that the heroine does not even turn around to answer him; she merely gasps three times and sinks helplessly backward into his arms. Your hero must seldom sit down; never on the furniture provided for that purpose. He may sit on the arm of a chair, on the pedestal of a statue, on cathedral steps, or on the corner of a table. The latter is his favorite perch. Then he can swing one leg and show his sock.

Your hero never leaves his hat in the hall; he always brings it with him into the drawing room, where at last the footman takes it from him. If he have gloves on he takes them off, but if he have no gloves on he puts them on at once. Your hero or heroine must never come unawares. You must prepare their entrance. Even if the characters on the stage have never heard of them, yet the dialogue must be premonitory: "I see some one coming up the garden path." "Who can it be?" "How nobly he treads!"—this in the case of a hero. "How she floats along the ground! The daisies scarcely bend under her weight!"—this in the case of the heroine. "His brow is clouded," or sunny, pensive, sad, as the case may be. "She seems to bring the Spring in her train." And then let us get into corners, crouch along the walls, climb onto the furniture in order to leave the central entrance open for him or her.

Then the footman appears at the side door and announces Somebody Something. There is an appreciable pause, to allow the audience to consult their programme, and then the Great One enters; not where the footman has announced him, but out of the bottomless abyss up centre, and comes down the whole length of the stage without noticing any one on it while the audience greets its old favorite with frenzied shouts.

You may ask what becomes of the drama at such a moment. The drama, my dear friends, goes to Sheol. By the time one of these enthusiastic receptions is over, the audience and the actors have the greatest difficulty in remembering what the drama was about, or where they are, or what they are doing.

May I warn you against what I consider an unwise proceeding? I think it is injudicious to invite your friends prematurely to a glorious supper after the first performance. It is intended to celebrate a joyful occasion, and the occasion is too often apt to turn out surprisingly otherwise. I know no form of entertainment quite so dismal as a supper after a fiasco. Most of your invited guests shrink it, and stay away, so that your table looks as if it had been to the dentist. Others are discreetly sympathetic, and that is dreadful. All of them avoid your eye, and talk very fast about purely external matters. Your own cheery spirits are the cheery spirits of a galvanized corpse. Believe me, call no author happy until after the last act, and scarcely even then; a play may endure for a night, but the Press cometh in the morning.

Hope Springs Eternal.

Have I seemed to be laughing at my own trade? Never think that. It is a good trade. Everybody bellittles it, but everybody strives to be in it. The very limitations that hamper it—and I have not told you the hundredth part of them—make it fascinating. The insuperable difficulties, the achievement of the impossible, are the only things that make life worth living. I have shown you quite clearly, I hope, how to write a play. I have also shown you that no one knows how to write a good play. If they did nobody would write plays at all, for we should all have retired to our mansions in Park Lane. But on, my brothers, we are all trying. And when next you witness what you unanimously decide is the very worst play you have ever seen, remember that one unhappy man thought it was the best play he had ever written. Leave off cursing the author, and drop a silent tear on the man.

The novelist sends out his book, and the friends to whom he has given free copies to read at least tell how great it is. To be sure, there are days when he does not get his morning paper, because his wife has intercepted the bad notice, and lies in a good cause. So time passes, and the failure of the book falls on him gradually, like a cooling Autumn shower. The playwright has to face an audience of 1,500 people at once and take his chance. If he have failed, the 1,500 howl at him as a lynching mob howls at the horse-thief. It is about to string up, and the cruel notices come, not in dribbles, but in one full swoop. And yet, and yet, and yet—the very night of his Waterloo, if he be a true man and a true playwright, he goes home and lays out his foolscap—oh, the irony of words!—and mends his quill, and, with a brave flourish, writes the title of his next play. The other is dead—the next shall carry him to the stars.

AMONG NEW YORK'S POLITICIANS OF YESTERDAY

Anecdotes About Bygone Elections Which Came Out at a Recent Dinner Given by an Old-Timer

THERE was a dinner party not long ago at the residence uptown of an old-time politician where some reminiscences of former days were given. Two of the reminiscences related to three men well known in public life in the seventies.

The first anecdote concerned a hot election for Assemblyman in New York City. It seems that in the election of 1872, in the then Seventeenth Assembly District, in which the Hudson River Railroad freight yard is located, Thirtieth Street, near Ninth Avenue, the candidates were William T. Graff, Republican, and Andrew J. Blessing, Democrat. Blessing was a hustler for votes. Just a few minutes before the polls were to close he found himself near a polling place within a stone's throw of the railroad yard and espied an engineer, a friend of his, stepping off his engine. Blessing rushed over to him. He little knew of what importance that engineer's vote was.

"Have you registered, John?" Blessing blurted out as he gasped for breath after his fast run across the street.

"Sure I have,"

"And you've just come in and haven't voted yet? Get a big move on you, rush over there and vote for me; this is your election district. Hurry!"

"Bah! What's the good of my one vote, Andy? You'll be elected by 500 majority, everybody says."

"Come along, anyhow," persisted Blessing, seizing the engineer by the shoulder and dragging him over to

the polling place. John's vote had scarcely dropped into the ballot box when the polls were officially declared closed, and the canvassers went to work at the count.

Now, it so happened that Blessing, being a practical man, without sentiment, had taken care to cast a vote for himself. Graff, on the contrary, had believed that it would be gracious on his part not to vote for himself, so he voted for all Republican candidates except Assemblyman, for which he voted a blank ballot. The Board of County Canvassers' official figures as to the result were: Blessing, Democrat, 3,125; Graff, Republican, 3,124.

The second reminiscence dealt with an incident in the Mayoralty election of 1872 in New York, the Republican candidate receiving only 4 votes out of 200 cast in the Twentieth Election District of the Second Assembly District. The candidate of the G. O. P. was the late William F. Havemeyer, who had been elected Mayor in 1845 and again in 1849. His friends began an inquiry to find out why he had received so few votes in the election district in question.

The two candidates opposing the Republican were Abraham R. Lawrence, Tammany, and James O'Brien, Apollo Hall Democracy. In those days the big ballot was not used; there was

instead a small ballot (with a few exceptions) for each candidate. On the outside of the folded ballot was printed in large type the name of the office, and inside, in small type, was the name of the candidate.

The two chief parties in the city got out their own ballots, and each had the outside type of an individual design. These ballots were distributed from party booths near the polling places. It is said that the voter, in nine cases out of ten, took his lot of party tickets as they were handed to him by the booth attendant, glanced

Flashes

It is impossible to be in two places at once, unless your lawyer is slick enough to prove an alibi for you.

To be in politics is no place for the man who is too proud to beg and too honest to steal.

Before embracing an opportunity it is a good plan to find out who has been embracing it before.

Every man should be ambitious to get to the top. There's a big up-coming in being in a position where you can look down on others.

at them to see if he had all he wanted for the offices named on the outside, and then, without looking inside, presented them at the polling place, saw that the election inspector dropped each in the right ballot box, and then left.

So much careless voting is declared to have been done in this way that the local party leaders in their deals with one another frequently stole a march on the careless voter by printing on the outside of one party's ballot the name of the office in the same kind of type used by the other party. It was found that it was this sort of work which had resulted in Havemeyer's getting but four votes. But it further developed that of these four votes, two went to him by mistake, two of the voters stating that they had not intended to vote for him but for O'Brien, but their ballots must have had Havemeyer's name on the inside.

Another reminiscence at the dinner was that of a newspaper man of thirty-five years ago, who so manipulated affairs that he got a commission. In those days the Mayor's appointments had to be confirmed by the Aldermen. The Mayor had made several appointments for this particular place, but the Aldermen had promptly rejected every one of them.

although the position was not of political importance or power. The newspaper man was somewhat of a political worker in his district and thought he saw a chance to make his friends feel that he was somebody. So he went to the Mayor, who liked him as a reporter of events in which he, the Mayor, figured frequently, and asked for the appointment merely as an "empty honor."

"The Aldermen will put your head in the basket with the others," said the Mayor. "But what of that?" replied the newspaper man. "I'll have been nominated all the same and that's something."

Days passed and the Mayor made no nomination. Meanwhile the newspaper man was doing important work for himself among the Aldermen. "Why, I don't want the place particularly," he told them individually, "and if I should be confirmed it would be easy for me then to decline it, and you and the Mayor could keep up the fight as if I hadn't been ever heard of."

Finally the Mayor appointed the journalist. To the Chief Executive's astonishment the nomination was confirmed. The Aldermen, hearing that the Mayor had another man in his mind who would be more objectionable to them than any he had sent in before the newspaper man's name went before them, told the latter to "stand pat"—not to decline the appointment. Of course he accepted it, and it is recorded that he filled out his term of office to the satisfaction of the Mayor and everybody else.

ALTMAN COLLECTION AT MUSEUM OPENS WEDNESDAY

Art at Home and Abroad: News and Comment

THE Metropolitan Museum has taken on a new and stimulating aspect with the installation of the Altman collection in five galleries that will be opened to the public on the 18th of this month. The public, prone to pass with more or less reserve among such works of art as appeal poignantly to the deeply initiated mind, will wander about these rooms with unconstrained enjoyment, yet the art with which they are filled is on the higher levels of technical accomplishment. The paintings in particular will have something to say to all who come, something not literary necessarily or anecdotal, but concerned with life and with human character. This characteristic taken in connection with their clear beauty of execution means, of course, that in the fullest sense of the words they are great art.

In what already has been written of the Altman collection, and of such writing the columns would run to pages and the pages to volumes, stress consistently has been laid upon the extraordinary quality of the various examples and of the collection in mass. Those who know little or nothing of quality have echoed the true connoisseurs and experts, and over the whole country the fame of Mr. Altman's exacting judgment has been spread. This fastidious insistence upon quality is so important to America in the present stage of her development that too much cannot be said in praise of a collection based upon artistic merit. It is not, however, necessary to ignore the fact that together with this high technical standard is found a predilection for humanly interesting works, pictures that find their response in the minds of the least erudite by virtue of their reality, their profoundly sympathetic statement of character, their sincerity and freedom from artfulness.

The Dutch School.

Consider the Rembrandts, generally named as the "feature" of the collection. Here is the famous old woman who cuts her finger nails. The homeliness of the subject extends to the treatment. The artist shows us merely a tidy dame, well clad, with dignity in her strongly molded features. She has the same naturalness that Nicholas Maes was able to obtain in his early pictures of old women reading or knitting or sitting at table with their cats. Rembrandt's loftier genius asserts itself in his uncompromising elimination of insignificant detail, in the breadth with which he treats such detail as he retains, and in his concentration of interest on the intelligent face and expressive gesture. The occupation is an incident. It serves very well to show the rugged loveliness of the old hands still capable and steady, but you think very little of the incident in looking at the picture. You hardly think even of the old woman with her furrowed cheeks on which gray shadows rest. It is the general significance that impresses itself, the strength and beauty of old age before it has fallen upon incapacity.

Here also are Titus, the painter's son, and "The Lady with a Pink," both people of flesh and blood who might yesterday have walked and talked with you. Here is Hendrickje Stoffels overflowing with energy. "Plate Washing His Hands" contains one of Rembrandt's rare and lovely versions of childhood in the boy who holds the basin and ewer. "The Toilet of Bathsheba After the Bath" shows once more the insignificance of the incident in a great painting. It is of no importance that one serving woman is caring for Bathsheba's feet and another for her hair as she sits among her draperies. Nor is it of importance that the painter has used his rich imagination to create the environment and detail. The important matter is the vitality of the fair, sound flesh and the centering of the spectator's interest on the glowing figure, the perfect artistic unity between the vague, airy background and the central scene, the straightforward rendering of the intimate episode, which curiously keeps its intimacy despite the view of the buildings and distant town, hazy and mysterious, throwing into relief the vivid group of women, and the public aspect of the tiring place. There is the sensation of life itself in the painting of this solid little figure robed in light, and most of us are so constituted that when a painting conveys to us the sense of "that pulsing life in which for our term of years we share, we are conscious of a feeling of adventure, of extension of opportunity."

In the room with the thirteen Rembrandts are the other pictures of the Seventeenth Century Dutch School. There are three by Frans Hals, so fresh and exuberant in handling, so lively in conception, so plastic and pictorial, that no one who is able to come to them in simplicity of mind, without preconceptions of the way such things have been painted by other masters, can fail to feel their force and their buoyancy. Here again is life, and life as we all crave it in our hearts, the plenitude of physical power, the high spirit, the quick response of the muscles to the will.



"Yonker Ramp and His Sweetheart," by Frans Hals.
(In the Altman Collection.)

However far one may get from the habits and tendencies of the romping world portrayed by Hals, its mobility and animation, its jovial self-confidence, especially its healthy freedom from sentimentality, stir the mind and accelerate the pulse. Once more we realize how little the incident counts. The "merry companies" frequented by the painter were often bibulous far beyond the limits set by modern taste, but he is not so much concerned to record the customs of his time as to communicate the cheerful mood of these people. If Rembrandt plunges us into sympathetic retrospection, or at least into contemplation of poetic and general truths, Hals blows away all vapors of the spirit and tells us that there living is excellent and fit to enjoy. His toppers and his laughing cavaliers alike find their account in the pleasure of living. The crowds that presently will pause before his pictures in the Altman collection will find nothing cryptic in his meaning. There is nothing to be explained in the work of so competent an artist except the fact that he knew how to paint—that he knew amazingly how to do the thing he wanted to do.

The trio, Nicholas Maes, Pieter de Hooch, and Jan Vermeer of Delft, are together in this room, companioning their masters. Why are these the "Little Masters" and the others the great masters? Just for this reason: The thing they say is not quite so important to them as the way they say it. When Rembrandt wishes to tell us that the light on a young body wraps it in glory, nothing in the world is allowed to interfere with that point that he has in mind to make. Nothing delays his communication of it. Nothing delays the statement of Hals that every one in his picture is intensely and consciously alive and has a sense of physical well-being. But Maes, showing us the most charming

hold. Every one knows how entwined about the stronger growth of our spiritual existence are these most precious daily affairs, hence there is apparent only a slight barrier between these admirable and lovable "Little Masters" and the painters of higher rank. It is hardly perceptible in their technical accomplishment. It is only seen when the reach of their human feeling is measured.

The others in the room are the meticulous Dou, whose care for accuracy reduced his sitters to tears and rage; the fastidious and aristocratic Gerard Terborch, in an exquisite blond picture then Albert Cuyt, Meindert Hobbema, and Jacob Ruysdael. It was a quaint fancy to associate with these Dutch painters, so mature and homely and radiant with unobscured feeling, the little French sculptures of the eighteenth century. Houdon's marble "Bather" the central figure, with Clodion and Pigalle and Falconet as chorus chanting the love of ladies and of wine.

In the second gallery are the other paintings, Flemish, Italian, German, and Spanish. In this gallery one turns naturally to the left, as one should not, the catalogue numbers running the other way. The large early canvas by Velasquez is less enthralling after leaving the Dutch room than the Memlings.

Flemish Primitives.

The old man's head by Memling that came from Baron von Oppenheim's collection in Cologne is in a Gothic frame with blue in the arched recesses. Seeing it thus creates a sudden realization of how much a frame means to a picture and a sense of wonder that modern artists are so passive in the shackles of commercial framing. Nothing, however, could spoil that good head. If the visitor has a liking for

faintly discernible beard bristles that speak of delayed shaving; the puffy sagging of the flesh under the eyes; the wrinkles that spread over the forehead; the moles and the crow's feet and the red-rimmed lids. With all this dwelling on the surface of the flesh, however, nothing is permitted to diminish the impression of character. The kind brown eyes tell it no more plainly than the little whimsical mouth. No one feature tells it alone, but the lovely harmony of all makes it visible. The portraits of Thomas Portinari and his wife are in the same vein, dealing with personalities slightly veiled by social training. Even here there are points to lure a detective curiosity. The lady's long fingers have done more work than those of her husband.

To appreciate Memling's technical achievement it is only necessary to turn from these portraits to that of a man in a high cap by Dirk Bouts. There is character here, too, and in plenty, and the pattern made by the narrow head continuing the lines of the cap is very severe and interesting, if not particularly sensitive. But where Memling has carved with a chisel, Bouts has whittled with a knife. Note the high lights in the eyes, how Bouts has put them in casually, little dots of dead white that lie on the surface; then how Memling has let them subtly emerge from the liquid darkness, hardly discernible as touches of the brush.

Memling's large painting, "The Marriage of St. Catherine," is interesting for its history as well as by its treatment, having once belonged to Sir Joshua Reynolds, who certainly never profited by its lesson of direct expres-



"The Madonna and Child with St. Anne," by Albrecht Dürer.
(In the Altman Collection.)



Marble Bust of Louise Brogniat, by Houdon.
(In the Altman Collection.)

sion. The competition has the characteristic suavity and purity of the master in his religious pictures, the bland landscape setting harmonizing with the type of saints and angels, their bulging foreheads and downcast eyes contributing to the general effect of childlike innocence and mild sentiment.

The Early Italians.

Escaping with difficulty from the wall of the Memlings, you move toward Italy and find Filippino Lippi showing his struggles between Botticelli's influence toward rhythms of line and his own love of multitudinous decoration. In strong contrast with his unquiet presentation of the familiar theme, "Virgin and Child with St. Joseph and a Child Angel," is Cosimo Tura's portrait of Cosimo d'Este, with its razor-like profile and its uncompromising severity of treatment. The shoulders of the sitter are not very boldly constructed, but the painter has lavished all his power on the head.

A painter finds interesting his method of sending the front plane of the face back by the subtle blue tone brought into the flesh color in contrast with the warm sienna underpainting where the hair meets the cheek and the flicker of this warm color in the cheek's shadow. No modern painter has built up his planes more exclusively with color, yet the head has the aspect of a line drawing, so firmly in its bounding line set against the flat background.

Passing the amiable Sebastian Mainardi, Botticelli is found with his "Last Communion of St. Jerome," the walled interior built up after the fashion of the marvelous stage. This is Botticelli in his freshest mood. There is nothing in the picture of the painter's strangely stimulating language, nothing of the profound science of curves marking his earlier work, nothing at all that places him aloof from the natural common world. St. Jerome kneels to take the wafer, the officiating and attendant monks are pitiful and quiet. The composition is perfectly balanced, the color flows, a gentle stream of light and shadow, a

this a "Crucifixion" by Fra Angelico, in which the casual visitor will feel at once a deep serenity and sweetness of mood, an avoidance of all that remotely could suggest horror. The tender body is rent, but it hangs nevertheless in peace without contortion of limb or feature. The group gathered about the cross shows no passion of emotion. The landscape smiles. The force of the composition will be apparent to the more initiated, an architectural arrangement of horizontals and perpendiculars, with one slow curve formed by the disposition of the figures.

From Angelico to Andrea Mantegna involves only a moment's detention to note how the warmth of the Venetian school emerges in Antonello da Messina's "Portrait of a Young Man." Mantegna's "Holy Family" has been so much discussed since its record-breaking sale from the Weber collection that the public will wonder, no doubt, why this dark mild woman with her grave child, attended by the serious figures of Joseph and the Magdalen, should have stirred the auction room to sensational bidding. There were reasons moving to collectors. Authentic examples of Mantegna's work are of the rarest, and two critics oftener opposed than in agreement, Mr. Berenson and Dr. Bode, were in complete accord over the merit of this fifteenth century masterpiece. The picture is, moreover, in exceptionally fine condition. Painted in distemper on canvas, so lightly that the grain of the linen is seen through the pigment everywhere, not a single stroke of modern retouching has blurred its beauty. Finally, it has the most admirable characteristics of the master to whom it is ascribed. He was capable of severity amounting to coldness, but this picture is severe only to the point of a benignant and noble dignity. He was given to detaching his figures from their backgrounds with an almost violent effort toward silence and sculptural effect. In this instance the figures emerge gently

his training from Zeitblom, the most immobile of fifteenth century German painters. It is not surprising that Hans von Ulm inherited something of this passive mood. In comparison with the Rembrandt portraits his rendering of the waxen face of Count Ulrich Fugger of Augsburg lacks significance of expression. Nevertheless, the painter's scrupulous fidelity to external facts brings its reward in the character unconsciously revealed. This man in his brown skull cap and black coat, with his high smooth forehead, and his slightly plaintive mouth, is a personality whose psychological traits are written for us as clearly as his physical features. It is an extremely creditable introduction to the Holbeins that follow, the Lady Rich and the Lady Lee, of which so much has been written that one need say nothing more. Near their enameled surfaces hangs the gaired Dürer with his "Madonna and Child with St. Anne." German sentiment reaches its full in this Teutonic group. The Virgin is hardly more than a child, her hair is neatly braided down her back, and she wears the plain dress, high collar, and protecting ruche appropriate to the little "backfisch" of a simple household. Her expression is charming, precisely the expression of a domestic little girl who loves babies. The child is sleeping and his parted lips reveal two well developed teeth. St. Anne, a part of whose face only is seen through the opening of her complicated head-dress, assumes a certain significance of expression not quite in keeping with the complete naturalness of the other figures.

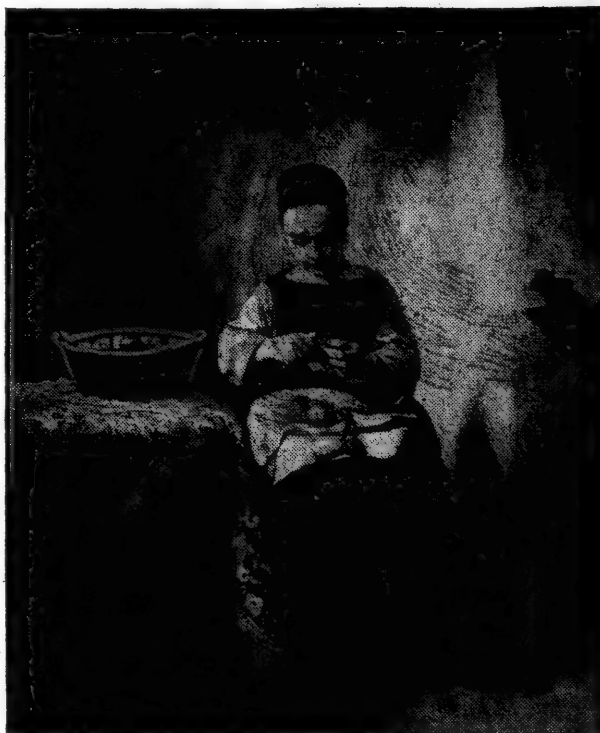
Among these German types hangs Van Orley's "Virgin with the Child and Angels" in the happiest of outdoor domesticity. The figures are placed in an ornate courtyard. "All the delights which the artist could imagine as belonging to a noble country residence are here," says Mr. Burroughs. In his handbook to the collection, "the green terrace dotted with wild flowers, on which the figures are placed, is confined by masonry carefully joined with lead and a brick wall coped with stone where peacocks strut. The fountain, which is of bronze, throws a jet of water into a pool at the left. There is a paved court to the palace and beyond is a Gothic wall. Trees are at the left and in the distance is a precipitous hill with two groups of buildings joined by a drawbridge. Two angelic figures appear in the clouds and a hunter with his dog trudges up the hill." The whole effect is that of gaiety and absorption in the joys of maternity, and of the peculiarly wholesome sentiment that connects itself in northern countries with pleasures taken in the open air.

The Later Schools.

Coming to the last of the four walls, consciousness of a greater area of canvas in each picture and of a corresponding opening out of the increased design and breadth of execution makes itself felt. We are in the sixteenth century and among artists of a different type of feeling. The first picture on this wall is the portrait of Filippo Archinto by Titian. The seated figure is drawn with respect for its imposing character, a splendid line circumscribes the form. Of the subject Mr. Burroughs says: "He lives in a famous anecdote which is repeated in the catalogue of the John J. Johnson collection. It seems that when Governor of Rome he was called upon to decide who was the father of a certain child. Of the two claimants one was a German and one a Spaniard. Archinto caused food and wine to be brought and bade the child eat and drink. This he did, but would drink only water. Whereupon the archbishop told the German it was no child of his, because, had he German blood in his veins, he would never drink water when wine was within reach." There is nothing in the fleshy, rather commonplace face to deny his relish of such a lame device. The well-known characteristics of Titian's work are in the painting, especially the grays that have the look of the stone in Gothic cathedrals. Next to this portrait is the head of a young man which Dr. Bode recently has published as one of the few indisputable Giorgiones, a poetic and lovely painting. The two Van Dycks are both paintings of that master's so-called "Italian period," the portrait of the Marchesa Durazzo much the richer in color and also in feeling. Van Dyck was at his best with his Genoese sitters. Something of their sturdy force was communicated to him. His elegance became more sinewy, his delicacy deeper, his finicky temper more robust. This beautiful Genoese lady is mobile of feature and clear-eyed. She is not posing; it was thus that she habitually sat in her rich costume, talking, one knows, with animation.

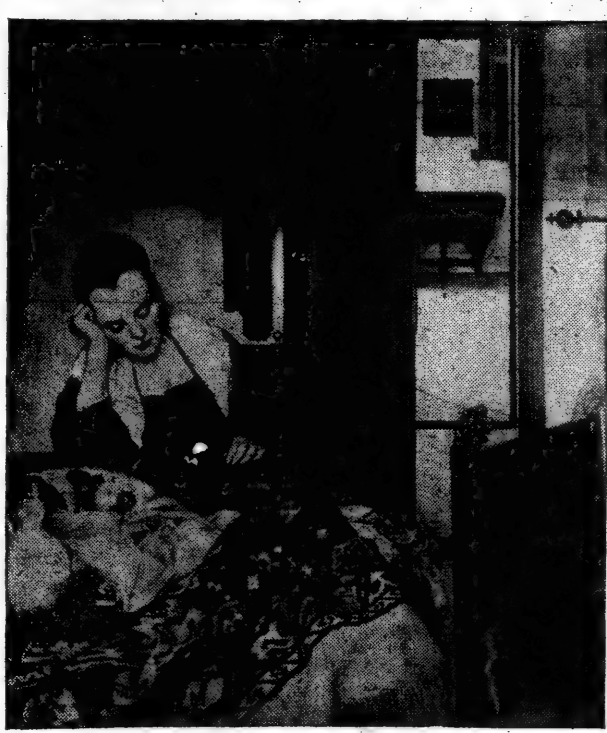
Velasquez is shown in two pictures, one early, the "Christ and the Pilgrims of Emmaus," the other the much-discussed "Portrait of Philip IV," which emerges triumphant from the consultations of the experts. The Gerard David, "Christ Taking Leave of His Mother," small and precious in quality, must be sought in the case with the enamels and rock crystals.

In this second room of pictures are three cases of such objects of art. They include tryptichs by Penckard, the famous pieces from the Splitter collection, including the Sixteenth Century reliquary of verre Eglomise and enameled gold; the Benevenuto Cellini couple. All these with the rugs and sculptures and the Chinese porcelains must be left for a later notice.



"Girl Peeling Apples," by Nicholas Maes.
(In the Altman Collection.)

of little houseworkers peeling apples, the type he will closely interrogate, fingers over the accessories, polishes his periods. The Dutch interiors painted by de Hooch are pleasantly prosy, they amble along like a good gossip relishing her tale. It is a capital tale, but one is not allowed to rush through it to get at once to the most significant fact. The attention is ever so little dissipated, it is the tale of one who finds the issues of life and death not so different in degree, after all, from the daily affairs of the house-



"Young Girl Asleep," by Vermeer van Delft.
(In the Altman Collection.)

workmanship, except the disproportionate size of the saint's head. It was painted about 1490, after Botticelli had come under the influence of Savonarola and had become devotional in feeling.

Next on this wall comes Verrocchio's "Madonna and Child," with burnished bosses of flesh that tell the story of familiarity with bronze and other metal work, and with a bit of still life, a rose on the balustrade, lovelier than anything in the picture. After

and naturally from their surroundings. The color also is of the most enchanting quality, silvered tones relieved by warm red and orange of great intensity. Next Mantegna, with his "Lady of Rank as Saint Bibiana," and the wall of the Germans is reached.

The Wall of the Germans.

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Colonel Roosevelt Describes His Travels
and Adventures Through Un-
explored Regions of Brazil

THROUGH THE BRAZILIAN WILDERNESS. By Theodore Roosevelt. New York: Charles Scribner's Sons, \$3.50.

IT did not need this latest labor from Col. Roosevelt's pen to vindicate his claim as an earnest, intrepid, and in every sense of the word genuine naturalist. As Executive and politician the Colonel has had to encounter criticism; the continuous rightness of his position and the soundness of his judgment have not always been universally accepted as apparent. But in that field in which he takes his holidays he has been able to inspire confidence unreserved; the "River of Doubt" controversy has been the only attempt of any consequence made to discover lack of ground for that confidence, and the indictment went up in very feeble smoke indeed when the actual records were produced.

Col. Roosevelt makes no extreme scientific pretensions. He is first and foremost a naturalist. But he has the attitude toward scientific phenomena that might be possessed by a scientist on a holiday from the laboratory, who for the moment escapes from that passion for classification which renders scientific research both valuable and unintelligible to the layman. Yet with Col. Roosevelt the assumption of such attitude does not mean relaxation of attention and indulgence in flights of fancy. Col. Roosevelt makes few guesses, he is obsessed by no theories; he is blessed with a power for minute and careful observation, and he lets it go at that. When he concludes, he concludes in open-minded recognition of the fact that he may not possess full data for his assumption. Here is an instance in point, tucked away in his account of the trip to the headwaters of the Paraguay:

It has been contended that the species (the whitetail deer) has spread from South America northward. I do not think so; and the specimen thus obtained furnishes a probable refutation of the theory. It was a buck, and had just shed its small antlers. The antlers are, therefore, shed at the same time as in the north, and it appears that they are grown at the same time as in the north. Yet this variety now dwells in the tropics south of the equator, where the Spring and the breeding season for most birds comes at the time of the northern Fall, in September, October, and November.

That the deer is an intrusive immigrant, and that it has not yet been in South America long enough to change its mating season in accordance with the climate, as the birds—geologically, doubtless, very old residents—have changed their breeding season, is rendered probable by the fact that it conforms so exactly in the time of its antler growth to the universal rule which obtains in the arctogeal realm, where deer of many species abound and where the fossil forms show that they have long existed.

But to emphasize in this direction and to quote passages such as the above is to create a misleading impression of Col. Roosevelt's book. "Through the Brazilian Wilderness" is not a scientific work; it is informal narrative, a chronicle of adventures through unknown country. Many a schoolboy could substitute for that preposterous favorite of childhood, "Swiss Family Robinson," the Colonel's account of the "River of Doubt," with all the hazards which attended that forty-eight-day journey. Here is adventure enough. Here are accounts of days when the thermometer registered 104 degrees Fahrenheit, of days when drenching rains fell; here are descriptions of all manner of difficulties—impossible portages, treacherous rapids, fever, lack of food—all the misfortunes that make the true explorer's life worth talking about. This Rio Duvida, or, as the Brazilian Government has since christened it, the Rio Teodoro, was not very lenient with the intrepid little party of men who attempted to put it on the map. If "canyons," as we say in the West, it rushes between steep cliffs, where portage along the banks is impossible and where destruction in the swift rapids is almost a certainty. Rivers, such as these have snuffed out the life of more

than one exploring party; in 1889 the Col. Telles Peres expedition lost all but one officer and two men in the attempt to descend one of the unknown tributaries of the Amazon; it is but recently that André lost two-thirds of his party while exploring Guiana.

The Roosevelt-Rondon party suffered, though it survived. It takes a little from the fine flavor of romance to be assured that the most extreme dangers of the wilderness, as far as animals are concerned, are to be feared not in snakes or jaguars but in ants and gnats. Yet the perils of these fairly insignificant creatures seem to have been impressed upon the memory of every South American explorer. There are many different kinds of mosquitos, many of them bearers of disease; there are gnats which leave loathsome sores as the result of their stings; there are ants which devour shoe leather and heavy helmets. Col. Roosevelt seems to have had bad luck with his clothing, by the way; once, in the night, a cow came and chewed his clothes up, and by the end of the journey the insect pests had riddled what remained with holes and reduced them to tatters.

On the whole, it must have been a rather distressful-appearing little band of men who stumbled that afternoon of April 15 into the rubber plantation, the first sign of human life they had seen for nearly seven weeks. Col. Roosevelt remarks conservatively that "none was in regally buoyant health." As a matter of fact, fever had broken out; one of the men had been claimed by the rapids, and the entire party had had an added strain by the murder of another of the men. The Colonel himself had wrenched his leg badly, inflammation had set in. Four of the canoes had been lost, from time to time baggage had been pitched overboard; the camaradas were thoroughly disheartened, the entire party had been living on half rations for some weeks.

Yet through all this Col. Roosevelt had found opportunity for some amazing diversions, following the trail of some curious bird, picking orchids, or reading a bit. For instance:

My own books seemed a trifle heavy, and perhaps I would have found the day tedious if Kermit had not lent me the Oxford Book of French Verse—Eustache Deschamps, Joachim du Bellay; the delightful La Fontaine, the delightful but appalling Villon, Victor Hugo's "Guitars," Mme. Desbordes-Valmore's lines on the little girl and her pillow, as dear little verses about a child as ever were written—these and many others comforted me much, as I read them in head net and gauntlets; sitting on a log by an unknown river in the Amazonian forest.

These personal touches enliven the account much, and are wholly suitable to the informal style which the author has adopted. While there is included in the volume an exact account of this river concerning which there has been much question, and painstaking description, with maps and charts, there is also a vast amount of running comment on a number of things which have nothing to do with the Rio Teodoro or natural history, but which give to the reader a pleasant sense of intimacy with the Colonel's trip. And occasionally there are sudden passages which reveal a love of birds and sky and woods in June, and a quick power of its expression, interpolated curiously in a rather brusque style. For example:

The little white-throated sparrows came familiarly about the palm cabins and white-washed houses and thrilled on the rooftops. It was a simple song, with just a hint of our northern whistled notes, sweet and plaintive melody, and of the opening bars of our song sparrow's pleasant, homely lay.

It brought back memories of glorious April mornings on Long Island, when through the singing of robin and song sparrow comes the piercing cadence of the meadow lark; and of the far northland woods in June, fragrant with the breath of pine and balsam fir, where sweetheart sparrows sing from wet spruce thickets and rapid brooks rush under the drenched and swaying alder boughs.

Then Col. Roosevelt goes right on to say:

From Tapiropan our course lay northward up to and across the Pico Alto.

Summing up the Roosevelt-Rondon expedition from the data offered in the Colonel's account, the results are not slight. Over 2,500 birds were collected, about 500 mammals, some reptiles, batrachians, and fishes—many of these new to science, for the regions traversed had never been worked by the scientific collector. In addition, a river some 1,500 kilometers in length, whose upper course was known to no one, was put on the map. And, lastly, Col. Roosevelt has been able to add one more excellent volume to a list which is already a praiseworthy record.

THE WAR IN EUROPE

Many Books and Pamphlets Dealing with
Various Phases of the Great Conflict
—Letters from Soldiers at the Front

IN THE FIRING LINE: Stories of the War by Land and Sea. By A. R. John Adcock. New York: George H. Doran Company, 50 cents.

WHO IS RESPONSIBLE? ARMAGEDDON AND AFTER. By Clouston Everett, author of "Studies in Foreign Education," etc. New York and London: G. P. Putnam's Sons, 50 cents.

THE GERMAN ENIGMA. By Georges Bourdon. Translated by Beatrice Marshall, with introduction by Charles Sorel. E. P. Dutton & Co. \$1.25.

WHAT GERMANY WANTS. By Edmund von Meck. Boston: Little, Brown & Co. \$1.

A SCRAP OF PAPER. By Dr. E. J. Dillon. New York: George H. Doran Company, 50 cents.

OXFORD PAMPHLETS, 1914. The Germans: Their Empire, How They Have Made It. By C. R. L. Fletcher. The Germans: What They Covet. By C. R. L. Fletcher. India and the War. By Sir Ernest J. Dreyfus. Russia: The Psychology of a Nation. By Paul Vinogradoff. P. R. A. Nietzsche and Treitschke: The World of Power in Modern Germany. By Ernest Barker, M. A. Serbia and the Serbs. By Sir Valentine Chirol. The War and the British Dominions. By H. St. Egebert. French Policy Since 1911. By F. Morgan and H. W. C. Davis. "Just for a Scrap of Paper." By Arthur H. Hall. M. A. Bacall and Bullets. By Sir William Osler. Oxford University Press: American Branch, 35 West each.

THE RED CROSS IN WAR: WOMAN'S PART IN THE RELIEF OF SUFFERING. By Mary Frances Billington, author of "Women in India." New York: George H. Doran Company, 50 cents.

FORTY YEARS AFTER: THE STORY OF THE FRANCO-GERMAN WAR, 1870. By H. C. Bailey, with an introduction by W. L. Courtney, LL. D. New York: George H. Doran Company, 50 cents.

HOW does the war look to the man in the trenches? That is the question which the man in the trenches answers in "In the Firing Line," chiefly composed of extracts from letters written home—many of them, to their mothers—by British privates. Here is a real book of the war. In language always of the simplest, in language at times so artless and so terrible that the phrases of many a lettered mind would seem paltry in comparison, these plain men tell of the battle of Mons, of the long retreat to the shadow of the walls of Paris, and of miscellaneous fighting.

The milkman's helper and the village constable and the hostler—to name three of the occupations represented—are not finding it "very pleasant" to see their "comrades" heads blown off, though at times they find killing the German masses to be "like shooting rabbits." One chapter is composed of extracts from letters written by sailors descriptive of the battle in the North Sea.

The letters are from Scotch and Irish, English and Welsh. Most of the men had not seen service before. Some fought the Boers; these say South Africa in comparison was "child's play" and "a picnic"; "Spion Kop was Heaven," remarks one. A number of letters are from wounded. In almost every instance the chief desire is to get well enough to return to the trenches. "I got away with my left hand split and three fingers blown to pieces. I had two bullets taken from my body on Tuesday, and I tell you I am in pain," remarks one of the Ninth Lancers, as he goes on to hope for recovery that he may fight again.

Regarding the letters as a whole, it is found that certain points are made again and again, that some features have impressed many minds. Striking, on average, it may be set down, as far as the testimony of these letters is concerned, that:

1. Horror is the main characteristic of this war to the soldier; no one who has not been on the firing line, in France or Belgium can picture, indeed can scarcely credit, the appalling sights of dead and wounded, the sounds of dying; "I cannot mention that place (Cambrai) and close my eyes," writes a Gordon Highlander; the wish is repeatedly recorded, "I hope I may never see such a sight again"; this war is far worse than recruits thought it would be; war is simply vivisection by wholesale without anaesthesia at the time of operating.

2. The Germans attack in masses, and in the early part of the war (with which the letters deal) the British fought them two and three, even ten to one; the masses opposite one soldier

PLAYBOOKS

Modern Drama That is Read and Acted

ROMANCE. By Edward Sheldon. New York: The Macmillan Company. \$1.25.
 MARY JANE'S PA. By Edith Ellis. Vol. XII in the Modern Drama Series. New York: Mitchell Kennerly. 61.
 VAN ZORN. By Edwin Arlington Robinson. New York: The Macmillan Company. \$1.25.

THE LITTLE KING. By Witter Byrner. New York: Mitchell Kennerly. 90 cents.

THE only shadow that dims the welcome to the book shelves of "Romance" is the regret that it was not ready in some reading edition when that extremely interesting play by Edward Sheldon was first produced in this city, now more than eighteen months ago. It should have been on sale in the lobby of Maxine Elliott's when the first posters of "Romance" were bedecking the boards and barrels of the five boroughs.

In the lobby of the Kingsway Theatre in Great Queen Street, London, a playhouse distinguished by the tenancy of Granville Barker, there is a little book stand where any evening you may buy for a shilling or thereabouts, not only a trip paper-bound copy of the play occupying the house at the moment, but nearly all the published plays by contemporary authors. This is an established institution, and more than one confirmed playgoer from the States has looked at it covetously as if half minded to carry it off bodily in a taxi. It may be interesting to know that this book stand takes in enough shillings to pay the expense of its maintenance, and Mr. Barker keeps it there because he knows that the producer who seeks to appeal to intelligence will find the course easier as the thespians of his community develop the habit-for habit it is-of reading plays.

Mr. Sheldon is an American playwright who has done fine things and from whom big things are expected. He is distinctly one whose manuscripts deserve publication, and it is good to see "Romance" take its place in the library beside "The Nigger." In this play, by means of an unusual construction, he has set within an enhancing, revealing and deftly interpretative frame a story that is of this century in its workmanship, but whose chords and philosophy are of the generation that produced Barben and Dumas the Younger. It is a play marked not only by Mr. Sheldon's bold disposition to experiment, but by his fine imagination and his graceful utterance.

"Romance" reads well. Perhaps it is the echo in the memory of Doris Keane's own infections that makes at once so simple and so suggestive the printed words used to indicate the fractured English of Mme. Cavalli. The published play, by the way, is dedicated to "D. K." presumably Miss Keane, to whom Mr. Sheldon owes much, but certainly not more than she owes him.

The selection of "Mary Jane's Pa." by Edith Ellis as the twelfth volume of the Modern Drama Series is at once a curious and a pleasing one, it is the recognition of substantial value in a comedy that was most entertaining in its performance by Henry E. Dixey and which has the specific virtue of a flavor which, while as unmistakably American as "Queed's" for instance, is produced as independently of local tags or types. It possesses, too, the evidence of a robustly charming fancy in the conception of Hiram Perkins, Nabal—the Indiana species of Paragot who comes back in the end to Mary Jane. The introduction, which is shyly with-

out signature, is not an illuminating comment on the play, and it bears marks of straining to ascribe to "Mary Jane's Pa." an importance of which that unpretentious work of the theatre is quite innocent. Some notion of the strain can be gathered from such a strangely excessive comment as this:

"Hiram is a scamp in many ways, but he is one of the most valuable characters created by means of the English language since the days of the immortal Falstaff. Without carrying the comparison too far, one might well speak of him as the American Peter Gyn."

Surely the press agent of "Mary Jane's Pa." on its arrival in town could hardly say more without fear of being struck dead at his task.

Both of these plays have been produced. This is not true, as far as memory and the title page serve to indicate, of "Van Zorn." A comedy in three acts by Edwin Arlington Robinson. From this play as a sample, it is to be noted with regret that so interesting a poet as Mr. Robinson should in the dramatic form be so halting in his utterance. His play is tantalizing. It has all the puckered brow and portentous manner of hidden meaning—but the meaning remains hidden even after the most attentive and respectful perusal.

There is all the suggestion of an effort at symbolism which may be and doubtless has been defined as the art of revelation by concealment. But it is difficult to finish Mr. Robinson's comedy without reaching the conclusion that the concealment here is due to inarticulateness. To read "Van Zorn" is to experience the baffling sensation of watching a play from the backdrops instead of from the first row in the orchestra. It is rather too bad to have to depend on the mapping of an ivory paper cutter in a character's fingers for a signal that a poignant moment is at hand. What you hear and see you seem to get by chance. At all events, it is not enough. "Van Zorn" lacks substance not because it is trivial but because—literally—it is not all there.

It is agreeable to turn to "The Little King," a moving one-act play by Witter Byrner. The text is terse, its story a chapter in the immense volume of romance and pathos which has been built and is still building around the wistful figure of the "lost Dauphin." Here Mr. Byrner visits the little King among his jailers on the day of his unhappy mother's execution and at a moment whose princeling will not suffer a substitute to offer him a means of escape. The material is, of course, rich in its sympathy. Mr. Byrner's treatment is sturdy and appreciative and "The Little King" is vividly dramatic.

Open-Air Politics

Some rather interesting discussions of political, social, and economic problems, including syndicalism and woman suffrage, are contained in a volume entitled "Open-Air Politics." The author of the volume hides behind the pseudonym "Junius Jay," and the publishers say all they know about him is that he is an American "eminent in public life and of more than national fame." The views the author presents appear in the conversations of a number of imaginary persons who are supposed to be assembled for a Summer outing in a camp in the wilderness. (Houghton Mifflin Company. \$1.25.)

Book of Small Houses

Aa illustrated volume entitled "The Book of Small Houses" contains pictures and descriptions of residential edifices that have been erected in various sections of the country at costs running from \$1,500 to \$10,000. Included in the volume are articles by Eliza Harwood Wharton, Charles E. White, Jr., and Mary W. Mount, each of whom has had extensive experience in house planning. (Macmillan Company. 50 cents.)

GREATER BRITAIN

Prof. Arthur L. Cross's Comprehensive History of England

A HISTORY OF ENGLAND AND GREATER BRITAIN. By Arthur Lyon Cross, Ph.D., Professor of European History in the University of Michigan. New York: The Macmillan Company. \$10.00.

THIS lucid history tells the fascinating story of England from the days of ancient Britain down to the Home Rule situation in Ulster in 1914; of the expansion of the domain of the tiny island kingdom of 50,000 square miles to the overlordship of 13,000,000 square miles—about one-fourth of the globe's land surface—and of 420,000,000 persons. The author brings the history up to the very minute, recording the repeal of the exemption clause of the Panama Canal Treaty bill on June 12 last in his discussion of the relations between Great Britain and the United States.

The book is written in a clear, direct style that makes easy reading; the facts are well presented; every chapter is crammed with information, without padding and without the lengthy dissertations and moralizings which are the sin of some historians. In short, it is an admirable volume for any one who wants a straightforward recital, complete yet reasonably brief, of the story of England.

The topographical arrangement is such that topics can be found with ease. Practically every paragraph deals with a separate topic or a separate subdivision of a topic, this topic being summarized in bold face type in a side heading at the beginning of the paragraph. Few paragraphs are over a page in length, while the average is half a page or less.

As Prof. Cross explains in his preface, particular stress has been laid upon those features which should be of peculiar interest to Americans because they touch fundamental American interests, such as the origin and development of the American common law, the causes of the American Revolution, and the growth of British imperialism.

In considering Greater Britain, the author points out that the trade of the British Empire now reaches approximately \$3,000,000,000 annually, while its total revenue exceeds \$2,000,000,000. With the exception of Canada and parts of India, the greater part of the empire was only acquired or settled during the last century.

To King Edward VII. and the Marquis of Lansdowne the author gives the credit, on the British side, for bringing about the entente cordiale with France, later expanded into the Triple Entente, which has had so momentous a part in the present war.

King Edward was particularly attached to France, both imperial and republican. As Prince of Wales he had made long and frequent visits in Paris, where he had many warm friends. In 1903 he went to Paris, during his first Continental tour since reaching the throne. This visit was returned by President Loubet shortly afterward. Prof. Cross explains that these visits prepared the way for the entente cordiale, concluded by Lansdowne and M. Delcassé, then Foreign Minister and now one of the strongest men in the present war cabinet, on April 8, 1904.

Of the terms of this understanding, one of the most important diplomatic arrangements in the history of Europe, Prof. Cross writes:

The British agreed to recognize French interests in Morocco, while the French agreed to recognize those of Great Britain in Egypt. In return for an assurance that the British Government would not alter the political status of Egypt, they agreed to ask for a direct treaty with the withdrawal of the British, and consented to allow them a free hand in the administration of Egypt's surplus revenues.

The entente cordiale was later expanded into a triple entente by the addition of Russia, the ally of France, and served as a counterpoise to the triple alliance of Germany, Austria, and Italy.

The author goes on to point out that Edward the Peacemaker could accomplish "very little" toward improving relations with Germany. He says:

The latter country, (Germany,) in consequence of the enormous development of population and industry following the Russian war, was sought to spread beyond the seas, and had reached the fact that Great Britain had pre-empted the best part of the colonial field. The British, on the other hand, were apprehensive of the increasing manufacturing and commercial development of Germany, and of her growing sea power.

Prof. Cross finds that the Mexican situation during the last year has "put a severe strain on Anglo-American relations."

Although the suffragettes have not yet attained the goal they seek, they have cause to feel grateful for the condition of women today compared to that of a few decades ago. The author says:

Although much remains to be done, the lot of women has greatly improved since the beginning of the century. Within the memory of those now living, the education of girls was largely in the hands of governesses and private schools, with the emphasis on deportment, music, and other accomplishments. Memory was trained at the expense of the reasoning faculties, and teaching was given out of elegant abridgments.

Since the middle of the century, however, their instruction has been approximated that of boys, and higher education has been opened to them. In 1867 women were admitted to examinations at the University of London, in 1881 at Cambridge, and in 1884 at Oxford. Meantime, two colleges for women, Girton and Newnham, had been founded at Cambridge. In 1887 the Ladies' Gallery was opened in the new House of Commons.

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and his company mates, for instance seemed like the "big boys" who streamed out of Crystal Palace when we went to see the Cup final—you couldn't miss them"; as fast as fifty or a hundred Germans are shot down, fifty or a hundred more take their places; they come on like "swarms of bees," like "countless thousands of sheep," like "pigs from a sack"; the consequent slaughter is prodigious, the British guns moving "then down like a farmer's machine cutting grass," like "a scythe," the fallen having been seen ten deep for long distances, in "heaps of semi-molting remnants."

3. The German artillery fire is good, the infantry fire is poor. Germans do not like the bayonet; they have killed British wounded, they have been brutal to women and children; they are merciless, they are brave.

4. In the naval battle in the North Sea German officers shoot their own men who sought to jump aboard from sinking ships; German shells fired on British boats picking up German wounded; German officers refused rescue and went down standing rigid on the bridge.

One soldier makes the odd comment that it is found that men from the big cities can stand the noise of battle better than those from the country. A Gordon Highlander states that in twenty-four hours' fighting 1,100 of his famous regiment were reduced to five officers and 110 men. A private of the Second South Lancashire tells his wife that he crawled for half a mile over dead.

Throughout the letters can be seen valor and fortitude and peace. The spirit of the British trenches is epitomized by Corp. Sam Haslett in mentioning "a young lad of the West Kents" who had run away from him and lay with a shell wound. "He hadn't long to live, and knew it, but he wasn't at all put out about it." The dying lad said to Haslett: "Mother and dad don't know I'm here, but you tell them I'm not sorry I did it."

Few normal men of British descent will read this book without feeling thrilled that they belong to the same race as these fighters of the great war. Despite the ante-bellum cries of "Decadence," Great Britain still breeds men.

In his book, "Who Is Responsible?" Mr. Brereton declares that Britons must see as their battle cry for this war "A fight to the finish" and "Never again." The nation will not stop the war until Germany is absolutely beaten, and this beating must be so complete that the danger of German militarism will be forever removed from the European horizon.

It is the Prussian tradition, starting with the days of Frederick, which has succeeded in "corrupting the Germany of today," so that the result is found that German diplomacy has no bungled affairs during the past twenty-five years that the empire has not a friend in the world outside Austria and Turkey. As to the international situation in Germany, the author's studies show that the vast mass of the nation lies "bound in the toils of the most scientific bureaucracy in the world."

Free speech and open criticism are declared to be practically impossible to Germans, and it is stated that investigation shows the intellectual élite of the country to be "little better than an academic garrison, with the back and cad of the Government. Even the schools are schools of chauvinism." Mr. Brereton finds that the spiritualism of Germany is buried today "under the weight of Prussian materialism. Germany is a science-ridden State."

It is as a result of these conditions that we have "the monstrous doctrine" that German civilization is not only the best, but that it is Germany's duty to impose it everywhere. Germany is a standing warning, says the author, of a too exclusively man-made civilization, in this connection, reminding us of a remark that the German was a male nation. Women must be looked to in the future as one of the great forces making for peace. Mr. Brereton prophesies that if the Allies win "the peace of the world for the next hundred years will largely rest with the women."

Georges Bourdon, editor of the Paris Figaro, made a tour of Germany last year for the purpose of obtaining a first-hand understanding of sentiment in the fatherland toward France and of conveying to Frenchmen that understanding through the Figaro. The results of his tour are contained in "The German Enigma."

M. Bourdon had a most interesting tour, being received by many of the most prominent men in Germany. In addition to talking with men of international fame, he also interviewed representative men in various business fields, manufacturers, bankers, and so forth, his attempt being to strike a general average of intelligent German

opinion regarding France. Among the well-known men he talked with were von Kiderlen-Waechter, President of the Reichstag; Prince Liechtenow, Ambassador to Great Britain when war was declared; Prince Hatzfeldt, former leader of the Conservatives in the Reichstag; Hermann Sudermann, Gen. Keim, President of the Military League, and Theodor Wolff, editor of the Berliner Tageblatt.

M. Bourdon returned to France somewhat puzzled. Everywhere he found evidence that German militarism is bred in the bone of the nation; at the same time every one whom he interviewed declared that Germany did not want war with any one, and with France least of all nations. The Germans insisted that the difficulty in the way of a rapprochement between Germany and France lay with France, because of the French refusal to forget Alsace-Lorraine. At the same time it was freely admitted by the Germans that their nation was arming to the teeth and constantly increasing the armaments. It was insisted, however, that this was done for purposes of self-defense. The German viewpoint, as obtained by M. Bourdon, is that it is one thing to be militaristic and quite another to be warlike and bellicose.

Dr. von Mach, an American and a graduate of Harvard, although of Prussian birth. His book is a calm, good-tempered attempt to place the German position in a favorable aspect before American eyes, and the book gains strength and assures itself of getting read in a fair-minded spirit by the average man because of its restrained, non-controversial tone.

The author, at the very outset, goes on record as to the writings of Gen. von Bernhardi, who has been so generally accepted in the United States and Great Britain as the spokesman for Germany. Dr. von Mach declares that von Bernhardi's "Germany and the Next War," which has been so widely quoted, "did not voice the popular sentiment of the German people." He asks why von Bernhardi's writing should be accepted as summarizing the German view when those of Homer Lea, "The British von Bernhardi," are not regarded as summarizing the British position.

As to "What Germany Wants," the title of his book, Dr. von Mach asks the question what he understands to be the Fatherland's desires. He says that she wants to keep the confines of her home land inviolate, while not desirous of joining to them new lands of unwilling people; she wants to develop her colonies and invest her money in building extra-territorial railways; she wants to develop home commerce and industry; she wants to be worthy of her great past and to make her own contributions to the civilization of the world; she wants social justice, she wants a stable peace, and she wants the good-will of the world. Since her industrial development started "she has never desired war." Her aggressiveness has been solely commercial.

In taking as the title of his book the German Chancellor's famous characterization of the Belgian neutrality treaty—"A Scrap of Paper"—Dr. Dillon declares that the phrase "is destined to stick like a Nessus' shirt to the memory of its author, his imperial tutor, and their country until such time as the militarism which originated it has been consumed without residue." The phrase is a "Satanic sneer," and "so much powerful dissolvent of organized society has been devised since men first began to aggregate."

Dr. Dillon finds that Germany has been and is wholly in the wrong, and that it would be hard to imagine a worse case than that with which she is forced to go before the judgment of the world. "Brutal force, in the form of jackboot tyranny," is "the new social gospel of the Hohenzollerns, the last word of Teutonic culture."

There are ideas and facts of interest in each of the Oxford pamphlets. In

the first of his pamphlets on the General-Fletcher holds that the military morals of today are very much worse than those of our ancestors, pointing out that "in particular the French and English, when they met, always fought each other like gentlemen," and by no means stooped to such methods as have been introduced in this war (as the author charges) by the Germans. In his pamphlet on India, Sir Ernest Trevelyan says that the supply of trained soldiers in India, keen for war, "is practically inexhaustible," and that the expressions of loyalty from all parts of India are the fruit of many years of "honesty and straight dealing" by the British.

In "The Red Cross in War" it is explained that the book was marked the passing of the old and coming of the new in military nursing. Besides a comprehensive description of the splendid British Red Cross, the French and Russian Red Cross are dealt with. The French Red Cross is declared admirable, while the Russian organization is stated to be "as perfect as any in the world."

"Forty Years After," besides giving the history of the Franco-Prussian war, draws comparisons between conditions then and now. Incompetent Generals caused the French defeat in 1870. The Germans are stated to be carrying out in 1914 the Bismarck theory of war, the author quoting Bismarck to the effect that strength and assurance leave the inhabitants of the districts which it conquers with "nothing but their eyes to weep from."

SONGS FOR THE NEW AGE

SONGS FOR THE NEW AGE. By James Oppenheim. The Century Company, \$1.50.

ONE of the most encouraging things about life and literature is that they are both so everlastingly new. Every poet sings his new songs to a new age, whether he specifically tells us so or not; so Mr. Oppenheim by the title of his new book indicates the entire normality of his poetical "reactions." This is good news about any poet, and is especially welcome with regard to one whose prose work had hardly prepared us for the beauty and dignity of a number of these verses.

Mr. Oppenheim is at times rather impatient with the new age:

Everybody kind and gentle, and men giving up their souls in the war for the women—
What an idea!
How brave!

But he finds consolation for his "anti-idealism" in the comfortable thought that after all

This is an excellent age for the instruction, revolt, and the return of revolutions.

His own contribution to revolt lies less in the spirit than in the letter of his verse, which is altogether unrhymed and, as the author himself

calls it, "polyrhythmic." There will not be lacking, undoubtedly, one who will see in "Songs for the New Age" merely an echo of Whitman, but this is not just to Mr. Oppenheim. He merely claims the same freedom that Whitman did, and uses it according to the light given him. In spirit the poems are as old as the soul of man, but are given an up-to-date touch which justifies their title by the way in which the soul looks upon itself. For this age is, beyond most that have preceded it, a self-conscious and self-analytical one; we are on terms of almost intimate intimacy with ourselves. And Mr. Oppenheim's poetry is strongly self-conscious, not in any ill sense, but as the natural expression of any soul vitally interested in itself and convinced that the chief object of the solar system has been to provide a suitable cradle for it must be self-conscious. The note of the book is "We." Its sub-titles are "We Dead," "We Living," and "We Unborn." The first group teaches that

The real sin is in being divided against yourself; in wanting one thing and doing another; that failure to express one's individuality strongly and directly, is the only death.

"We Living," sings "like the shouting of a backstay in a gale," of passion lifted to a plane where the physical and spiritual blend. It includes the best poems of the book. "A Woman for the Adventure" voices with willful and naked egotism the desire of every man for a woman who shall be at once perfect mistress, mother, and boon companion. One may exaggerate, but it is not untrue that the poem is full of the self; it is a demand worst of all, and paradoxical: As I stand father to the children of her body, I want the woman who stands father to the children of my spirit: Yes, she who comes to her fulfillment through my vision and my work.

In the third part of the book, "We Unborn," the qualities and the defects of Mr. Oppenheim's talent are emphasized, not to my exaggeration, but to use a vulgar phrase, he has bitten off more than he can chew, but it must be said that he chews vigorously. Speaking for the bitches whose

"I thirst; I thirst no liquor can reach my state,
And a hunger a hunger by no bread filled,
As I invoke in his final lines, the Cosmic Mother:

Bear me on thy tides and pour through me into great and unworldly creations
Let my lips in the darkness bear witness to thee:
Let my words be thy works through the toll of my hands:
Let me be lost in the day dawning, dropping the stars of thy heavens on the darkened streets:
I am thy son, and I would have thee take joy in me:
I am thy unborn Mother, moving toward the morn of my nativity.

It is to be hoped that Mr. Oppenheim will write more "We Living" poems. For those of us who are really dead don't know it; and, worse still, don't care, which is the essence, in fact, of being dead, and nothing short of Gabriel's trumpet will awaken us. And the same underlying malady, a certain inarticulateness about us which does not make for artistic effect. But this is a minor fault, and a human, by all means, Mr. Oppenheim.

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Trade Wind Key, the "desert island" which he describes, actually exists and the flora and fauna as he has described them are to be found there. Pirates' forts, buccaners' ruins, relics of more adventurous days, exist as he has described them. Mr. Verrill was impressed with the possibilities of the place for the adventures of a modern Crusoe and experimented. He actually performed the feats of the hero of his story. Mious the suffering and the treasure finding, the story is a true though voluntary performance. Realism was given when the writer was obliged to subside for three days on rainwater from pools in the rocks, no other fresh water being obtainable.

A lesson the writer would teach is the necessity of learning to observe nature closely, and retaining in the memory of such observations for future need, enabling one in time of trouble to overcome difficulties and mitigate discomforts. The author regrets that it is not in his power to "transport a shipload of adventure-loving American boys to this island-gean and there turn them loose to ramble over the ruins, explore the dense tropical forests, penetrate the caves, and search for hidden treasure in the old underground vaults." The boys would be only too glad to go.

A solid and interesting book of 687 pages is "The Story of Our Army for Young Americans," by Willis J. Abbot, with illustrations from old prints and photographs. (Dodd, Mead & Co., \$2.) It is a history of the defenders of the country from Colonial days and the Revolutionary War to the present time of peace. It is well written and the grown-up boys who know more about the subject matter will also find it interesting. "In the Trenches on San Juan Hill" is one of the later pictures, and the cover shows a line of men firing from the trenches. Pictures showing the devastations of these wars are tame now compared to those of the great European conflict which is making history daily.

Worth while are "Stories from Wagner," by J. Walker McSpaden, with illustrations in color, (Crowell, \$1.50), "Stories from Robert Browning," by V. Cameron Turnbull, with soft-toned illus-

trations in color, are preceded by a sketch of Browning as a man and poet. The interest of the stories the writer hopes will lead the young people to an immediate and close acquaintance with the poems. The sympathetic introduction will help them to do so.

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A big book in big type with many pictures is "The Topsy-Turvy Fairy Book," by Anna Alice Chapin, with a gay-colored cover. (Dodd, Mead & Co.) A very nice story, indeed, is "Lady Rumdoodleum's Children," much better than its name, by S. B. Dinkelspiel, one of the "Mother Dear" books. (Desmond Fitzgerald, \$1.) It is made up of stories told by "Fip," little Lisa's name for Philip, to Mother Dear's children, Martha Mary, Edward Lee, and the others—stories which grow together into one big story. "Wild Kingdom of Feather and Fin" is the name of a book by Jean M. Thompson, which tells its own stories of animals, birds, and fish. (W. A. Wilde Company, \$1.25.) Several short stories in a small, thin book are to be found in "The Animal School," by Frances Weld, with gay-colored pictures by Clara E. Atwood. (The Pilgrim Press, 50 cents.)

"Little Buffalo Robe" is a long story of a little Indian girl who is lost, and her adventures, which she tells in the Indian way, and of the things she sees and thinks. Ruth Everett Beck, the author, is the wife of an army officer and knows the Indians and the imagery of their thoughts. The illustrations are by Indiana, Angel De Cera and Lene Star, of the Art Department of the Carlisle Indian School. (Henry Holt & Co., \$1.50.) "Good Stories for Great Holidays," by Frances Jenkins Olcott, (Houghton Mifflin Company, \$2) is a book thought out and arranged with much care. It contains 120 stories for seventeen holidays. It is not only intended that they shall be read by the children and used for reading aloud, but for story-telling, which the compiler believes is a worthy holiday pastime, developing the holiday spirit. Many authors and many countries have been drawn upon for the stories, and myths and fables have been used. All the familiar holidays of the year and many of which people seldom think have been given their stories. At the end of the book are reference lists for story-telling and collateral reading, a subject index and indexes of authors and titles.

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word "Little." "Little Miss Muffet," "Little Jack-Horner," "Little Polly Plunderer," and all the rest. The text is printed in brown and so are the nice little pictures.

A big beautiful thick book, much broader than it is high—why do they make them that shape when they are so much harder to handle!—is "The Jessie Wilcox Smith Mother Goose." (Dodd, Mead & Co., \$2.50.) The illustrations, black and white in the text and full page in color, are very charming as they cannot fail to be by this artist, particularly the first one of the "baby in the tree top." A real mother goose and her little white goslings adorns the inside cover pages. There is an interesting historical note preceding the rhymes.

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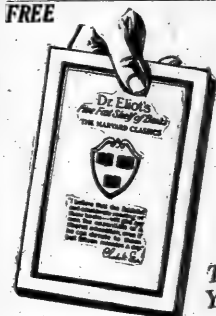
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THE ART OF SPIRITUAL HARMONY. By Wassily Kandinsky. Translated with an introduction by M. T. H. Sadler. Boston and New York: The Atlantic Monthly Company, 1914. Price, \$2.75 net.

ART. By Clive Bell. Boston: Frederick A. Stokes Company. Price, \$1.25.

ART TALKS WITH RANGER. By Halsey Rusted Bell. G. P. Putnam's Sons, 1914.

ETCHING. By George T. Pownman. New York: John Lane Company, 1914. Price, \$1.50.

Many books are written about paintings, sculptures, buildings, pottery, woodwork, museums, fountains, formal gardens, &c. Almost no books are written about art. It is interesting therefore to find in the list of recent works two at least that come clearly under the more general classification. The first, taking them in order of importance, is Kandinsky's "The Art of Spiritual Harmony," the translator's equivalent for "Über das Geistige in der Kunst," the work in which Kandinsky, leader of the new art movement in Munich, cheerily attempts to write down his philosophy. Whether he succeeds or not must be left to the judgment of philosophers. He does, however, make perfectly clear to even the most casual reader what every artist of the slightest importance knows—that art is not nature or imitation of nature, that it is constructive and springs from an inner necessity for expression. He goes farther than most artists in declaring that in a work of art "the more obvious the separation from nature, the more likely is the inner meaning to be pure and unhampered." This is the essence of Kandinsky's singularity. He is so much impressed by the freedom of art from any obligatory subordination to or connection with nature that he has attempted to work out a method by which painting can get spiritual values into the mind of the observer without leaning upon the element of representation. This is what he says:

A painter who finds no satisfaction in mere representation, however artistic, is in his longing to express his inner life, cannot but envy the ease with which music, the most artistic of the arts today, achieves this end. He naturally seeks to apply the methods of music to his own art. And from this results that modern desire for rhythm in painting, for mathematical abstract construction, for repeated notes of color, for setting color in motion.

He adds; and those who have thought of him as an unbalanced "modernist" should note the sanity of his contention:

"This borrowing of method by one art from another can only be truly successful when the application of borrowed methods is not superficial, but fundamental. One art must learn first how another uses its methods, so that the method borrowed is afterward applied to the borrower's art from the beginning, and suitably. The artist must not forget that in him lies the power of true application of every method, but that that power must be developed."

Filled with the picturesque correspondences that spring promptly to an artist's mind, verbose but in no manner outrageous or even eccentric, the book is one to be read quite simply; as one might read the letters of one musician to another, getting intuitively at the thought back of occasional technical phrases. That is the way the author would like to have us approach his pictures also, which is not so easy.

Mr. Sadler, in his preface, makes it "somewhat easier" by drawing an interesting parallel between the art of Kandinsky and that of Picasso. He says that Kandinsky is "painting music." That is, he has broken down the barrier between painting and music, has isolated the pure emotion that we call "artistic emotion," and has succeeded in producing upon some minds, at least,

by means of lines and colors in combinations independent of representation, the same effect as harmony and rhythm in music produce upon persons who are truly musical. Picasso's admirers also call him a "visual musician." But Picasso attempts to carry water on both shoulders, and endeavors to harmonize certain forms of reality, a number, a button, a few capital letters, with a surrounding aura of angular projections. It is something like imitating a dog's bark or the breaking of a plate in sound, and then proceeding from this realistic representation to the abstract forms of music. In other words, he is trying to make the best of two worlds, while Kandinsky is content with searching out the logical analogy between color and sound, between line and rhythm.

The second book to be dedicated to pure art is by a critic, Clive Bell, and indicates how far the educated modern critic has come toward apprehending the artist's passion for significant form. He has passed far by that stolid stumbling block of the subject in art. He has passed that question of likeness. He has arrived at an artistic standpoint. Of representation he says: "Let us not imagine that representation is bad in itself; a realistic form may be as significant in its place as part of the design, as an abstract. But if a representative form has value it is as form, not as representation. The representative element in a work of art may or may not be harmful; always it is irrelevant. For to appreciate a work of art we need bring with us nothing from life, no knowledge of its ideas and affairs, no familiarity with its emotions. Art transports us from the world of man's activity to a world of aesthetic exaltation. For a moment we are shut off from human interests, our anticipations and memories are arrested; we are lifted above the stream of life. The pure mathematician rap in his studies knows a state of mind which I take to be similar if not identical. He feels an emotion for his speculations which arises from no perceived relation between them and the lives of men, but springs, inhuman or superhuman, from the heart of an abstract science."

So far Mr. Bell is on secure ground. When he comes to particular instances most of his readers will gasp. It is not improbable that he meant his statements to produce that effect. He divides historic art into slopes, and by a slope he says he means that which lies between a great primitive morning, when men create art because they must, and that darkest hour when men confounded imitation with art. Giotto stands on one peak from which we slip downward toward the Classical Renaissance in which flounder Correggio and Michelangelo. He writes:

The sixteenth century produced a race of artists peculiar in their feeling for material beauty, but normal, counting as they do at the foot of the hills; in their technical proficiency and aesthetic honesty. Craft holds the candle that terrifies the barbarism of the cupboard. The significance of form is visible and impudently felt, the power of creating it is lost almost, but finer descriptions have rarely been painted.

It is in this insensitiveness to art of a kind that does not reveal its significance by means of the formal that he has learned that Mr. Bell shows his lack of the deep insight often called tolerance which marks the highest order of mind. The arch rebel Kandinsky is more at one with Michelangelo than Clive Bell.

When an artist of experience talks he is apt to say something. He is like a business man, opposed to sentimentality and sure of his own mind on the subjects that interest him. The public no longer expects poetic vagaries from

painters and sculptors, and has, in fact, developed an unusual liking for their spoken word. These talks with Mr. Ranger, which his interviewer secured with the avowed intention of using them for publication, probably suffer somewhat from the painter's knowledge that he was talking for print, miss somewhat the casual ease of unhampered intercourse. Nevertheless they contain much interesting material, some of it drawn from personal experience in meeting technical problems, some of it reminiscence and anecdote, and the last, no doubt, will make the most direct appeal to the general public.

In the chapter on the restoration of pictures Mr. Ranger is not happy about museum methods. "Museums," he says, "seem to have a knack of doing the wrong thing," and he points to Turner's "Slave Ship," which he once knew as a "sumptuous and rather lurid piece of color," and which is now "an incongruity which sets your teeth on edge," owing to unkindly removal of the varnish; to the two Rembrandts, "Dr. Tulp and His Wife," in the Boston Museum, and to various pictures in the Metropolitan Museum which have been spoiled for him by restorers. He then turns to the backgrounds against which museum pictures are hung and finds them cheerless. On the occasion of the Whistler exhibition at the Metropolitan Museum in 1910, with the walls covered with checkered, he found the dark pictures looking far heavier and darker than they really were owing to this strong contrast, the beautiful "Bogtor" being almost unrecognizable, and when Mr. Frick's Rembrandts were shown at the Hudson-Fulton exhibition the gray walls spoiled for him the grays in the pictures that "flickered and trembled through the golden tones enveloping them" when they hung on the walls of their owner's house.

As an artist he keeps to the old close union between art and nature, which the public find easier to understand than Mr. Kandinsky's independent attitude. Browning was quite sure that art was given to make us love

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etcetera. The author stresses the fact, however, that technical facility is of no avail if one is not first an artist, and for the benefit of the careless beginner insists upon the necessity of constant and severe drill in drawing before etching is attempted. The second part of the volume is given up to descriptions of materials, recipes for acid baths and preparations for the plate, hints for printing, &c. Interest in the graphic arts is increasing so rapidly in this country and practical work of this kind sees so few that the book should meet with an enthusiastic welcome.

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THE CALL OF THE STARS. By John R. Kippax. G. P. Putnam's Sons, \$2.50.

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THE PAN-ANGLES: A Consideration of the Federation of the Seven English-Speaking Nations. By Sinclair Kennedy. With a map. Longmans, Green & Co. 41-43.

THE federation of the one hundred and forty-odd millions of English-speaking whites scattered in all quarters of the globe is the subject of an elaborate "consideration" by Sinclair Kennedy. He regards it as the best, practically as the only, way in which this vast body of whites can retain the power they now have or maintain the standard of living which they have reached. What they have they possess because they wanted it and were strong enough to take it and have been, as yet, strong enough to hold it. This hold, however, is menaced in various directions, particularly and most nearly by Russia, more remotely by Japan, still more remotely by the Chinese. Fully to be prepared to meet the menaces that may thus arise, the author thinks that the co-operation of Germany with the English-speaking whites should be secured and would be, if not indispensable, extremely desirable.

While Mr. Sinclair Kennedy was telling steadily in the compilation of the great mass of facts on which he bases his conclusions, Germany made war on Russia and on her ally, France; England took arms against Germany and summoned Japan to her aid in the Orient. Whatever else may come out of this vast convulsion, it is impossible that the main elements in the problem Mr. Kennedy studies so confidently shall ever again present themselves in the form that he sees them. It may come about that the United States and the six nations embraced in Great Britain may form a federal union to care for their common interests; but obviously it will not be in liaison with Germany or in hostility to Russia or Japan. And we venture to think that any such federation as ultimately may be evolved will have a broader, better basis than the mere taking and keeping everything within reach.

Mr. Kennedy's thesis is a plausible one, and it is worked out with great patience and in a very candid spirit. But the underlying assumption is, we believe, radically mistaken, as well as essentially brutal. It is, in substance, the assumption that the goal of one people must be a loss to another, in war, in expansion, and in trade. Even in war the assumption does not necessarily hold, and in expansion and trade it need not hold at all. The net outcome of the Boer war was not a loss for the Boers. That of the long series of wars in India was not a loss for the defeated tribes. The expansion of British rule and commerce since free trade was adopted has not been at the expense of other peoples. And when the present world conflict comes to an end it may very well be that the old belief in force as the sole basis of national strength and prosperity may largely be abandoned and the principle of federation be substituted for the arbitrament of arms. Mr. Kennedy's exposition of what federation might do for the English-speaking white nations has a peculiar interest in connection with this possibility.

GOLFING PHILOSOPHY

THE HAPPY GOLFER: Being Some Experiences, Reflections and a Few Deductions of a Wandering Player. By Henry Leach. Macmillan's. \$1.25.

Mr. Leach is himself the happiest of happy golfers, a veteran player who stands as a formidable disproof of the theory that golf begets neurosis. In his frequent visits to this country as golfing correspondent of The London Times, or other English newspapers, he has impressed the golfers he has met not only as a competent judge of play, but as an unprejudiced one, who has made it his business to inform the British public as to the progress of the ancient game in America. It is one of Mr. Leach's pleasant theories that golf is a game of universal interest, that "it appeals men of all ages, every nationality, all occupations, dispositions, and temperaments." We are not inclined to find any personal application in his remark that "savages have attempted golf and found they liked it." He is sure that the feelings induced by golf are "subtler and sweeter" than those inspired by any other game or sport.

The "physical delight that arises from the driving of a golf ball with a wooden club in the manner that it ought to be driven" has been a part of his experience; while he likens the joys of the "short game" to playing to listening to Mendelssohn after Beethoven. Various chapters in this book treat of recent golfing incidents in this country, including Quilmer's memorable defeat of the foremost British professional, Vardon and Hay, at Brookline, and a tournament at Onwentsia, while there are chapters also on the development of American golf and the management of our golfing clubs. He describes golf in Canada, in France, Spain, and Italy, on the Riviera and in the Pyrenees, and he has an argument to present in favor of British golf courses with which nobody can seriously disagree.

But, as a whole, Mr. Leach's new book is chiefly noteworthy as an exposition of the golfing character and a study of the human peculiarities associated with the game. To enjoy it most one must have had some experience as a golfer. To appreciate Mr. Leach's ideal of the happy golfer perhaps one who has too the "short game" will played to listening to Mendelssohn after Beethoven. Various chapters in this book treat of recent golfing incidents in this country, including Quilmer's memorable defeat of the foremost British professional, Vardon and Hay, at Brookline, and a tournament at Onwentsia, while there are chapters also on the development of American golf and the management of our golfing clubs. He describes golf in Canada, in France, Spain, and Italy, on the Riviera and in the Pyrenees, and he has an argument to present in favor of British golf courses with which nobody can seriously disagree.

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The Rev. Dr. Adolph A. Berle, Director of the New England Civic Institute, implicitly believes that to secure enduring social advance we must build upon a moral and spiritual base; he finds this base, he says, in historic Christianity, his view being that in the historical unfolding of civilization the constant factor of growth has been an "increasing acceptance of the moral and spiritual sanctions which Jesus Christ laid down in the Christian Gospel." These opinions Dr. Berle sets forth in a volume, entitled "Christianity and the Social Race," and along with them he presents some sharp criticisms of "impatient idealists" and "fanatical reformers" who seem to be carried away by an irrational rage for change, which in the case of a projected reform defeats the very purposes for which the reform originally was begun. (McBride, Nast & Co. \$1.50.)

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THAT portion of this book which deals with the trade life of Belgium brings to the mind of the American reader in vivid fashion just what the present war means to this industrially ruined land of hard-working, thrifty men and women.

The industrial story is that of a country which in eighty-four years—since 1820, when she threw off the Dutch yoke and became an independent kingdom—through diligence and commercial ability has become the sixth nation of the world in extent of yearly trade done. It is shown that in 1902 Belgium's combined imports and exports totaled \$1,781,897,330. This sum is surpassed only by the trade of the United Kingdom, Germany, the United States, France, and the Netherlands. Belgium's trade has slightly exceeded that done by three of the great powers—Austria-Hungary, Russia, and Italy—as well as the vast trade of British India. What Belgian national independence plus Belgian energy and brains, has accomplished in this comparatively brief period in the life of a nation is shown by the fact that in 1831 the total trade, exports and imports combined, was but \$57,308,700. At this time the country had a population of slightly over 4,000,000, while the population now is but slightly over 7,500,000, yet the trade is forty-eight times as great. Freedom from Dutch domination, the business abilities of King Albert's predecessors—Leopold I. and Leopold II.—and the commercial genius of the Belgians themselves have wrought the marvel.

The author, who resided for twelve years in Brussels and who interestingly writes with much sympathy of the Belgians and with much praise, gives the text for the modern story of the country in his opening sentence: "To ceaseless industry the Belgian people owe their national existence." He goes on to declare that this industry has placed Belgium, relatively to its population, "at the head of the two worlds in economic competition."

Belgium may literally be said to be a nation of workers, for Mr. MacDonnell states that 40 per cent. of the inhabitants, including the males and females of every age, work at regular callings. So abhorred is idleness that many persons follow more than one trade, working at different pursuits in different seasons. Brabant brick villagers, for instance, are brickmakers or harvesters

in Summer and Autumn and lacemakers in Winter. More than 40 per cent. of the laborers in Belgium are occupied in handicrafts, other than those of agriculture.

Of the nation's ante-bellum prosperity the author writes:

The more the figures relating to imports and exports are analyzed, the clearer becomes the proof of the country's prosperity. A large quantity of the imports to Belgium consists of raw material, which, handled by skillful workers, increases the country's wealth. Belgium enriches herself by what she retains at home as well as what she exports. Economists assert that, so rich is the country, as purchases abroad are made entirely from revenue.

Looking on the returns relating to imports, exports, and population published by various Governments, Belgians assert that their country's industry is greater than that of any other country in the world. The product of labor, as summarized by them, is, per head, as follows: Belgium, £29 15s 10d; Holland, £28 10s; Germany, £10 10s 10d; France, £15 6d; the United States, £15 10s; Italy, £13 10s; Austria-Hungary, £13 10s 6d; Japan, £12 8s; Russia in Europe, £12 8s; Finland, £12 8s 10d.

The money earned by the Belgians goes not into the hands of few, but of many. The number of employed increases in greater proportion than the number of employers or persons working on their own account. Trusts, in the author's words, "have not proved terrific in Belgium," while the only mill-trust, "who has succeeded in obtaining control of an industry, M. Salver of soda fame, is more of a beneficent Liberal, with strongly marked Socialistic sympathies, than a grinding tyrant."

It is the Belgian boast, says the author, that they alone of Continental peoples have full freedom of speech and organization. The workmen have used this freedom to organize, and they have obtained notable advances in wages. In the last fifty years wages in all pursuits have increased and in most they have doubled.

King Albert, who succeeded his uncle in 1909, is described as "the people's king" and declared the most popular of Belgian sovereigns. His wife is a German, a Bavarian Princess, Leopold I. had been a German, too, having been Prince of Saxony-Coburg. Belgian politicians before the accession of Albert thought him a weakling, because he had been so much in the background while Leopold II. reigned. They "were speedily undeceived when he came to the throne." He has exhibited the same spirit of mastery which characterized the two Leopolds; he "inclines to no party, is swayed by no clique, but, with clear mind, seeks ever the advancement of his people and his country's good."

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TOPICS OF THE WEEK

THERE are few writers whose work has won a place in international literature who have remained so closely identified with their native haunts as WASHINGTON IRVING. New York has produced other men and women who have achieved a not unenviable literary fame, but Irving remains the city's foremost man of letters, the writer whose penetrating humor and delightful facility for giving a local habitation to the children of his fancy, will ever be associated with the land of his birth. It is thus eminently appropriate that in the Tercentenary exhibition at the New York Public Library a special room should be devoted to the original manuscripts, first editions, letters, pictures, &c., of the author of the immortal Knickerbocker History, who was, by the way, the first President of the Board of Trustees of the Astor Library. The collection forming this special exhibition belongs to Mr. ISAAC N. SELIGMAN and is probably the most complete of the kind. Its principal feature unquestionably is an unpublished journal in which IRVING relates the incidents connected with his travels through France, Sicily, Italy, and Holland. This journal fills two large manuscript volumes, and although it was probably not avowedly written for publication, it is strange that it has eluded the publisher all these years. IRVING was a keen observer of men and affairs of his day. What he saw he turned into literature with a gentle touch of humor that was peculiar to his genius as a writer. It is difficult to imagine a man better equipped by nature and training than IRVING to furnish an entertaining book of travels. His unpublished journal portrays the Europe of his day

as he saw it on the occasion of his first youthful tour of the Continent. Doubtless it contains numerous observations of a personal intimate character that the author set down for his private amusement. But coming from a man of such importance in literature as WASHINGTON IRVING this will scarcely be rated as a blemish. In reality it enhances the value of a journal whose publication at this time would contribute an eminently appropriate feature to New York's Tercentenary celebration.

THOSE who are versed in the theories of criminal psychology will doubtless find an abundance of curious and interesting material in Sir MELVILLE MACNAUGHTEN'S "Days of My Years," a book that has just made its appearance in London. Two years ago Sir MELVILLE retired from his position as head of the Criminal Investigation Department at Scotland Yard. His career as a London detective covers a period of twenty-four years, and his book is naturally concerned with the details of most of the famous crimes that came under his observation during that time. The Whitechapel murders furnished him his initial experiences at Scotland Yard, and in his present volume of reminiscences he gives it as his belief that the "Jack the Ripper" of that strange series of crimes was a sexual maniac who committed suicide in 1888. He finds the same criminal impulses at the root of the Crippen Case, and in that of Dr. NEIL CREAM, the Lambeth poisoner of 1892. Sir MELVILLE's theory regarding the Whitechapel murders corroborates to a large extent the theory cleverly elaborated by Mrs. BELLOC-LOWNDES in her last story, "The Lodger."

FOR the last two decades few literary men visiting this country for the first time have escaped the New York skyscraper. Whether this is due to the machinations of the interviewer who first buttonholes the new arrival, or whether the skyscraper really is the most impressive thing that we have to offer wandering poets, playwrights, and novelists, it would be difficult to say. It is pleasant to note, however, that the latest pilgrim of this kind from abroad, M. BIEUX, is delighted with the skyscraper. When DICKENS visited this country more than seventy years ago, there were no skyscrapers to attract his attention—but there were cuspidors and abnormally elevated boot soles, and his animadversions on the subject were not pleasant reading. At any rate, taking DICKENS's visit as a starting point, the lapse of seventy years shows a gratifying enlargement of the American landscape as seen by the literary foreigner.

IN spite of its Scriptural authority one rather deprecates a too literal acceptance of the adage "there is nothing new under the sun." In a sense there is nothing old under the sun. Every age has a new way of looking at things, and although the "things" themselves may be old they acquire novelty through this changed point of view from which they are regarded. Hence one is disposed to grant the possibilities implied in the title of the weekly "Journal of Opinion"—"The New Republic—the first number of which has just made its appearance. The six editors who are announced as responsible for the conduct of this new periodical belong to what is rather vaguely termed the younger generation in literature and politics, a fact increasing the likelihood that The New Republic will live up to its name. Nevertheless, it is a little difficult to discover wherein the novelty of The New Republic is to be found. We are told that "it is an at-

tempt to find national audience for a journal of interpretation and opinion," as if that comprised its claim to being "new." At first glance there is nothing especially distinctive in this. Few journals, whether daily, weekly, or monthly, fail to contribute something in the way of "interpretation and opinion" in fields commanding for the time being public interest. A journal, however, that confines its columns exclusively to editorial criticism of the varying tendencies of modern times has not often been attempted in this country. ADDISON and STEELE immortalized this type of journalism in The Spectator of their day, and it has been received with more or less favor in England ever since. Its success in this or any country depends, of course, on the depth and sincerity of the "interpretation and opinion" filling its columns.

THE trouble with the so-called younger generation in literature, when venturing on such enterprises as The New Republic, is apt to be a somewhat exaggerated notion of the "message" that is to be delivered to mankind. The young literary enthusiast is generally the discoverer of a new world, which he takes to be quite different from the poor, decrepit old world in which he finds himself. If his "message" fails to attract attention, it is because of its "radicalism"—a failure that brings its compensations in the feeling of kinship with other "martyrs in the cause of truth" that is thus produced. More often, however, this boasted radicalism turns out to be not particularly radical, its lack of originality being the real cause for its failure to make an impression. History, of course, furnishes many an instance of the persecution that has been visited on the head of the independent thinker. But today a wider culture, a broader way of looking at things, has changed the conditions that used to give birth to our martyrs. An originality that is not mere eccentricity, that is really creative, is sure of a hearing. The literary journal that sincerely cultivates it, and thus stimulates the thought of its generation, is more certain of success than ever before. Hence, there may be plenty of room for The New Republic.

IT is natural that in the literature of war a prominent place should be accorded to TOLSTOY's "War and Peace." By many this chronicle of the French invasion of Russia a century ago, with its historic portraits of NAPOLEON, KUTZOFF, and the Czar, is regarded as this author's masterpiece in fiction. For a vivid portrayal of the Russian soldier, however, TOLSTOY's "Sevastopol" is in many respects more remarkable than the novel that achieved a greater degree of fame. In "Sevastopol" TOLSTOY describes his own experiences as a soldier when, sixty years ago, he fought the French and English in a war which, as Mr. AYLMER MAUDE points out, "resembled the entrenched fighting now going on in France." "Sevastopol" was among the earlier of TOLSTOY's literary ventures, and hardly evinces the matured strength characterizing his later essays in fiction. Mr. MAUDE, however, emphasizes the interesting fact that "there is no other case in literature in which so great a writer has described so great a fight after himself taking so intimate a part in it; and assuredly no one else has ever revealed the heart and mind of the Russian soldier with such penetrating insight."

AS the Christmas season approaches one involuntarily exclaims, "Now that ANDREW LANG has gone, who will give us a fairy book this year?" For something like twenty-five years Mr. LANG, with the able assistance of his

wife, made it a custom to bring out an annual Christmas fairy book. The series that thus grew under the magic of his name and industry remains an appropriate and lasting monument to his memory. Each year the Lang fairy books appeared in a different color; the stories that they told seemed as infinite in variety as the combinations of hues offered by the rainbow. Doubtless the lore of fairyland is not exhausted and still appeals to young and old. It has seldom reached mankind, however, through so sympathetic a medium as this departed Scotchman.

IN A FEW WORDS

THE author of "The Green Curve," those grim and realistic stories of modern war published two years ago over the pen-name, "Ole Luk Oie," is Col. E. D. SWINTON, now attached to the General Staff of the Allies and author of the famous "Eye Witness" dispatches from the headquarters of Field Marshal Sir John French. A new edition of the book over the author's name is in press.

It is a singular fact that since the beginning of the war there has been a greatly increased interest in Katrina Trask's peace play, "In the Vanguard." In the last two months this play has been successfully produced on the stage of the Municipal Theatre at Northampton, Mass.; it has been read in hundreds of schools, and requests for permission to produce it have come from almost every State in the Union. The publishers report that the sales of the book in the second year since publication have greatly exceeded those of the first year.

Marjorie Benson Cooke's "Bambi" has been translated into Swedish and is being published serially in a magazine in Sweden, where it will later be brought out in book form.

The late Pierre de Couvalain, whose real name was Mlle. FAURE, lived nearly forty years as a governess in rich families, mainly American, dwelling on the Continent. At the age of 36 she retired and began to write, living in the greatest seclusion in Paris or traveling about France.

Cecil Chesterton, younger brother of G. K. Chesterton and editor of The New Witness, will visit this country in January for a lecture tour, in the course of which he will speak upon many historical and literary subjects.

A worker in Ranchhara, India, has written to Emma C. Dwyer asking permission to translate her "Folly of the Hospital Staff" into the vernacular language of the "help it will be to those not acquainted with the English language."

William Maxwell, author of "Salesmanship," is Second Vice President of the Edison Company, and, although he is less than 40 years old, can look back upon such varied occupations as canvasser, law student, law office clerk, credit manager, sales manager, and general manager of several industrial concerns. He has also written and sold a four-act play and numerous short stories and scenarios.

Marie Van Vorst is serving as a nurse in the American Ambulance Hospital in Paris.

A Henry Savage-Landor, who disappeared in the war mudstrom last month, recently came to the surface again in France, having been acting as a dispatch bearer between Antwerp and Bordeaux for the Belgian Government. He had passed through the German lines six times without having been detected.

Charles Immen Barnard, author of "Paris War Days," has been Paris correspondent of The New York Tribune for sixteen years. He is Chairman of the Harvard Club of Paris and President of the Association of the Foreign Press in that city.

Edith Wharton is writing "Impressions of War Scenes in Paris," which will be published in early numbers of Scribner's Magazine.

H. G. C. PERRY-AISCUGH, co-author of "With the Russians in Mongolia," who has been for some time in the Chinese Postal Service, is returning to England to join his old regiment, the Royal Enniskillen Fusiliers.

LATEST FICTION

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allow him to give up the brilliant opening in his career that his South American engagement offered. So, while she slowly travels toward death, she writes letters that are full of the tenderest love, bright hopefulness and exalted feeling. The slender volume is built upon a simple story scheme, but it is unusual in its refinement of touch and in the delicacy with which it infuses the tale with the fragrance of love.

THE NIGHT WIND'S PROMISE

THE NIGHT WIND'S PROMISE. By Vardine Varnum. New York: G. W. Dillingham Company. \$1.25.

This is the third and, the publishers announce, the final story in the series of novels dealing with the doings of Bingham Harvard, bank clerk and athlete, who, endeavoring to elude arrest for a crime he had not committed, showed such swiftness of action and such remarkable strength that the police of several cities named him "The Night Wind." That was the first novel. In this third story he is the honored and successful President of a bank and the devoted husband of the woman who, as a private detective, had been one of those who did their best to capture him in the first book. The scenes of this new novel are laid in and about New York and the story is based upon the attempt of a handsome and daring criminal to impersonate an American of wealth and secure a large amount of money which he has on deposit in Bingham Harvard's bank. He succeeds in getting the money and he also abducts Harvard's wife and for a time it looks as if he would succeed in getting out of the country with both booty and woman. The story has considerable complication of plot, many perilous and exciting activities, but it does not compare well with the earlier stories of the series. It lacks the swift, spontaneous movement that characterized them and it is overweighed with conversations that run to long speeches.

WE ARE FRENCH

WE ARE FRENCH. By Percy Moore Sheehan and Robert H. Davis. New York: George H. Doran Company. \$1.00.

This little story moves along swiftly with quite a stir and color of life in its pages, with sustained emotional intensity and many dramatic moments. It opens in a village in eastern France, and is concerned with two old soldiers who had spent seven years of their young manhood with the Legion in Algeria. Once while there they had been captured and one of them, a bugler, ordered by their Arab captors to blow the "Retreat" under promise of torture if he does not, blows a furious "Charge" and the Legion wins the battle. They are old men now, nearly blind, bent and white-haired, but the bugler's companion never tires of telling of that glorious moment. Finally, the one-time savior of the day is summoned to Paris to be made a chevalier of the Legion of Honor and the two old "soudous" march thither on foot. And on the way and in Paris there befall romance and tragedy. The story goes with a romantic swing and the characters of the two old men, especially of the one who does most of the talking and remembers with reverence the bugler's achievement, stand out, full of life.

A CHRISTMAS PARTY

Before she won wide attention by her prize story *Leona Dalrymple* had written several Christmas tales about a Southern household and a faithful old negro retainer named Uncle Noah. She follows these now with another novellette, specially suited to the holiday season, called "Uncle Noah's Christmas Party." (McBride, Nast & Co., \$1.) The Southern household is not as prosperous as it once had been, and none of the family aliver had been sold to provide

ready money. Uncle Noah decides that he will buy it back as a Christmas present for his master, Col. Fairfax. He goes about it surreptitiously, and in the course of his midnight journey runs upon a mysterious adventure, the outcome of which decides him to have a Christmas party of his own in the barn. He invites an old lady in an old-fashioned lavender silk gown and some neglected Italian children. And while his party is in progress he finds that he has uncovered an old and painful romance that in the glow of his Christmas tree comes to a happier conclusion. The little book has several page illustrations in color by Charles L. Wrenn and marginal decorations in tint by Charles H. Gutschard.

YOURSELF AND THE NEIGHBORS

YOURSELF AND THE NEIGHBORS. By Seumas MacManus. Illustrated by Othello Fegarty. New York: The Devin-Adair Company.

Is Ireland, as certain poets would have us believe, a place of haunted hills and shadowy waters, inhabited by the "melancholy Sidhe"? Or is it, as Synge told us, a barbarous land, where patrie wins for the criminal universal adoration? It is neither, according to one who knows the country and its people with a knowledge far more intimate than that of Mr. Yeats or the late John Synge—Seumas MacManus of Donegal.

"Yourself and the Neighbors" is not a collection of studies of Irish life; it is a book of stories by the champion story-teller of a nation of story-tellers. But it gives the reader a clearer idea of the many "women, and children who lived among the hills of Knockragh, a generation ago than the most exhaustive treatise or the most relentlessly realistic analysis.

One of Mr. MacManus's devices for making his tales more vivid (it was not unknown to the late Donald Mitchell) consists in using "you" for his hero. "That is, he tells how you herded the sheep, and daybreak and standing bare-footed in the frosty pasture, watched the red sun roll over the shoulder of Barnes Mor; how you fought the Back-of-the-Hill boys and rode to the town with your father on top of Jimmy Kelly's turf cart; how you courted and won Molly Gliride, saw your children grow up around you; and sank to rest beneath the green sod of Killynard. He reminds you of the old friends of your boyhood days, of the village Postmistress, the schoolmaster, the beggarman, the "come-home Yankee."

He tells again the stories you loved of Bactery and of the Gentle People—tells them as skillfully as any shamachie that ever sat in a chimney corner. He recreates the life of an Irish country-side; he puts, indeed, the very soul of his race into language that is colloquial but exquisite, now tense with passion, now shaken with mirth. He has art and knowledge and sympathy, and he has put them all into this entertaining and lovable book.

ALTOGETHER JANE

ALTOGETHER JANE. By Herself, Mitchell Kennedy. \$1.35 net.

This new book of a woman writer who, being accused of putting too much of herself into her stories, decides to write one which shall be entirely about herself—"Altogether Jane," and nothing else. She begins with her earliest recollections, and presents a rather attractive picture of a sensitive, talented child—that Jane is an unusual and decidedly gifted person is an impression which the author strives to convey throughout the book's sixty-five chapters, not very successfully. She was brought up in the old-fashioned school of many whippings and many very definite punishments, against which she makes a rather vigorous plea. At about sixteen she becomes engaged, and three years later is married to a man whose character never takes on any very definite shape to the reader. Meanwhile there have been religious doubts, a relinquishment

of the creed which she had formerly accepted without question, and attempts at authorship. Follows maternity, many struggles with poverty, and a love affair. When the book ends Jane is middle aged and somewhat battered and bruised, but she has "kept herself sweet, and so retained her possibility for happiness."

Much of the book is well done, Jane's childhood and youth are prettily described, her relations with her own "Boy" have a certain charm and pathos, and the scenes of her mother's death and her own grief are pictured with truth and poignancy. But the reader never believes in the remarkable capabilities which, according to Jane, might have made of her "a singer, an actress, or a writer," is inclined to smile at her interview with the man "at the top of the stage," who takes so calmly her modest proposal that he star her at once, and has a strong conviction that it was not her originality but her verbosity which caused so many editors to turn down her manuscripts. Of the other characters, only the mother is ever real. The rest of them are a small series of shapes. However, the book has promise despite its many faults.

THE BLOSSOMING ROD

THE BLOSSOMING ROD. By Mary Stewart Cutting. With frontispiece. Doubleday, Page & Co.

Mrs. Cutting's charming little Christmas story is for every one who loves the Day, and certainly many of those who love the day will enjoy hearing about Langshaw and the fishing-rod which "ceased to be a mere bundle of sticks," but was transformed "into one blossoming with love."

It is a simple enough little tale—one which reflects the experiences of many of those quiet, honest, obscure, hard-working, affectionate families whose homes are really homes, whether they live in suburban cottages, as the Langshaws did, or in city flats. And it is well that the genuine beauty of commonplace lives like these should be so put before us by the magic of talent and a sympathetic insight that even our often blind or averted eyes cannot fail to see it. The old-fashioned, sickly sentimental Christmas story was and is a thing to sour the milk of human kindness; but we are all the better and the sweeter natured for reading of such episodes as this of Langshaw and his Christmas present.

THE WARD OF TECUMSEH

THE WARD OF TECUMSEH. By Cleveland Marriott. Illustrated by Frank McKernan. Philadelphia: J. B. Lippincott Company. \$1.25.

It is a romantic and interesting background that Mr. Marriott chooses for his story of love and adventure, although of the kind that rarely brings conviction. His action takes place in 1812 and 1813, and most of it is in the wilderness of the Northwest Territory, in the regions that are now Ohio, Indiana, and Michigan. The scenery of such a staging depends so much upon the imagination of the novelist that even the greatest skill will have difficulty in making the reader feel the breath of actuality in the pages. Mr. Marriott goes at his task in what is perhaps the best manner, that of pure romance. He starts out with a lovely maiden of Huguenot descent, whose father, of a titled French family, had lived much with the Shawnee Indians, and on his death had left her in the care of Tecumseh, the Shawnee Chief. A relative of the British branch of the

family, a disreputable British officer, goes in search of her, intending to marry her and secure the estates to which she is heirless. A young son of the American branch rushes to her rescue. But she has already elected to remain with the Indians and spy for them against the whites. That is the situation at the opening of the story, which leads the reader through the Western wilderness, with much stirring adventure and with many hair-breadth escapes of one or another of the chief characters. They are intrigues and battles between the Americans and the combative forces of the British and the Indians, and all manner of dangers blockade the path of the heroic young American, bent on saving Tecumseh's ward. There is a very good portrayal also of Tecumseh himself, with his passionate desire to form an Indian empire.

PERSONS UNKNOWN

PERSONS UNKNOWN. By Virginia Tracy. Illustrated by Henry Raleigh. New York: The Century Company. \$1.35.

Considering that it is a first novel, the author of this story of a mysterious crime deserves not a little commendation. For it shows remarkable fertility of invention, an active and nimble fancy, and a style whose imaginative quality gives promise of better things. The story suffers indeed from too luxuriant an abundance of these factors, or, perhaps it would be better to say, too unbridled a use of them. The author must learn, for the sake of the greater plausibility it will give, to use her gifts with more discretion. She is prone to give her imagination such a loose rein that it gallops away into all sorts of unconvincing fantastic developments. That sort of an imagination is much more desirable in a young author than one that is plodding and heavy, but it needs a lot more watching and training.

The story has a double interest, although the two are so closely intermingled and this is skilfully done—that its central theme is practically a single thread. A mysterious murder, and a closely connected with it, a love affair, with the woman under suspicion of having committed the murder, quickly engage the attention of the reader. An ambitious young novelist, about to get his first manuscript published, sitting at his window on a hot night, top of a tall building, with an arm raised in dramatic gesture on a window shade across the street and a moment later hears a shot. When with the police he enters the apartment, he finds no one but a woman, dead, with a bullet hole in the breast, of the man who was about to publish his book. The story then develops into widespread, rather rambling complications, which include some of the Camerons, transplanted from Italy, and some excursions into the miredoes of a previous generation. The scenes are all laid in and about New York City.

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THE WONDERFUL ROMANCE. By Pierre de Coulevain. Translated by Ailsa Hall. Dutton, New York.

THIS, the latest book to be translated from the French of Pierre de Coulevain, is also the last book he wrote before his death, though possibly there may be another earlier volume still waiting translation. In reading some of the paragraphs of this long reflection upon life and life's meanings and impulses, for such in truth the book is, one notices a premonition:

"Remember, I have your promise," she said, still holding my hand. "You are coming to Louvie. You have seen the seeds; you must come and see it sprouting."

I nodded without speaking. A kind of superstitious fear prevents me now from making any plans or giving verbal promise.

Not that the book is morbid. On the contrary, it is sunny with optimism. It is indeed a sincere, almost a passionate, protest against a cynical or a despondent attitude toward "The Wonderful Romance," which is none else than existence itself. The writer relates how she came to take what she terms an objective rather than a subjective view of life, looking for causes behind the effects, and of joyful with which she was brought into more or less intimate contact, rather than her studies and reactions. This vision, she tells us, "has revealed, and continues to reveal, to me the incommensurable greatness of our atom lives."

The book is the most personal the author has given us, though all her stories are frank relations of personal experience. But here she puts down her philosophy, more in the style of a long essay interrupted by what the papers call human interest stories, and by what, in an elder day, might very likely have been described as "Polite Conversations." The result of this unconventional method and somewhat desultory plan is singularly agreeable. The thoughts are by no means always new, but they are good thoughts and true thoughts, expressed with grace and that feminine charm so marked in this Frenchwoman. She has an intense sympathy for people, an unquenchable curiosity. The slightest incident, a boy sitting asleep in the sun, a flower thrown aside, a girl opening a letter, anything sets her mind working, leading her away, and the reader with her, on all sorts of odd pilgrimages and fanciful imaginings.

She attempts, in this latest work, to approach all the greater forces that move mankind with the idea of seeing from what they flow and to what they lead. Thus she studies love, dreams, religion, sorrow. Always there are stories—stories she has watched, stories that have been in her mind, always she seeks to prove that we are in the hands of Providence, not free agents, and that this Providence is constantly working for good, using our evil and our weakness as means and, participating out grief, loss, gain and happiness, not for our own sakes, but for ultimate results.

Our own responsibility, lies in fulfilling our destiny to the utmost, and in recognizing that we are the agents of Divine force. With this in mind the author finds the disappointments, the sufferings of her life to have been worth while, and she is starting to Rome, there to spend Christmas with some American friends. "Is it not rather late in the day for me to make another pilgrimage to the Eternal City?" she asks. "I feel how this the threat of my life now is . . . it is hard to leave life now when I see it so immense, beautiful with an immortal beauty. Courage will come to me."

She did not set out to Rome, for she fell dead, shortly after writing the above words, in Switzerland. The book, which she called her baroque, "The Why," is the best thing she has done, both for

its literary excellence and its depth of thought. The translation is admirable.

ACHIEVEMENT

ACHIEVEMENT. By E. Temple Thurston. D. Appleton & Co. \$1.35 net.

THIS is the third and last of the series of novels wherein are related the history of Richard Furlong, the famous artist. It begins with the death of his wife, Constance, at the birth of their child, and traces the development of Dicky Furlong to his full growth and the final "Achievement" which comes with the painting of his great picture, "Romance." Between these two events many things happened and more than one woman entered his life, for it is Mr. Thurston's theory that the woman is "the father of the children of his '—i. e., man's—' brain." Dicky Furlong worked "under the influence of women all through his life," and she who stimulated him to highest endeavor was by no means the worst of them all.

First after the death of Constance came Mrs. Flint, his father's housekeeper, whom he met when immediately after his bereavement he fled from London to his old home at the Mill. It was she whose interest in him much to arouse him from his lethargy, who insisted that without his work a man was a mere siphon. And she gave him a fine and generous love, in exchange for which he had but much to offer. Her nature and feelings are admirably analyzed; she is a creature of flesh and blood, presented sympathetically and with real understanding. It was she, too, who helped Dicky at the very end, helped him "as no other could have done." Then came the girl who was his model for his first notable portrait, "Jade," and one or two others, each of whom had a more or less marked effect upon his development, and at last the woman who was the great love of his life, Lady Diana, Charteris, intelligent, rich, beautiful, socially important, and married to a man whom she herself termed "a cad." A fascinating woman, not a great one; for "luxury, ease and idleness, these are not substitutes for the great of heart," and upon these Diana had been nourished all her life. From such a love only tragedy could come, and come it does, swift and sure.

All these different women are drawn with firm, clear strokes. Fanny Cornish, Mrs. Stanby, the elderly char-woman into whose life Dicky brought all that it had ever known of laughter, Mrs. Flint and the Lady Diana, who rather enjoyed playing "Lady Hamilton to his Romney"—they are each distinct, very much alive. Nevertheless, one of the very best portions of the novel is that in which they play no part; the scenes attending Constance's funeral: The dreary preparations, Mrs. Baldwin's regret that she had not expended the extra five shillings which would have secured a black horse with a long tail, Dicky's grief that sent him wandering for three days among the streets and finally drove him from London to where the Avon, "that winding bend of silver, interlacing the banks and the willows," reawakened his sense of beauty, making him feel himself no longer alone—this could scarcely be improved. His encounters with his father, when the old inability to understand rises between them coupled with a new affection and with a new jealousy as well, are also admirably done—so admirably done that one cannot but be doubly sorry that the author should have seen fit to introduce so melodramatic an episode as the failure of Furlong Senior, and Dicky's purchase of the old Mill, an incident which badly mars an otherwise artistic book. Fortunately it is soon over, and we are glad to forget it in the interest of his first meeting with Diana Charteris and the beginning for him of that "one love in a man's life that is unlike and transcends all other," the love which pres-

ently forced him to face the great battle drawn. Such a spirit, the battle from which he was at last to emerge victorious. So the other threatened spiritual tragedy was averted: That a material one came was the decree of fate—and Dicky's work was done.

In the writing of his novel Mr. Thurston has attained to a style at once simple, clear, and poetic. Dramatic, too, at certain moments, devoid of mere verbiage. Dicky Furlong is portrayed in all his various moods and phases; grief-stricken, flushed with eagerness over his wonderful colored wood engraving, when at last the perfect print came from the machine Mr. Nibbs tended so lovingly; furiously enraged, even to bloodlust, by the torture of a dog; idealist through and through, seeing beauty even in the smoking furnaces and belching chimneys of the Northern factory town; often enthusiastic, always full of vitality, quick to feel and to understand. It is true and fitting that in the end his life should be crowned by "Achievement,"—achievement both in what he did and in what he was.

ANNE FEVERSHAM

ANNE FEVERSHAM. By J. C. Smith. D. Appleton & Co. \$1.35 net.

IN this new novel the author of "Broke of Covenen" has turned away from the present time to the days of the great Elizabeth, and attempted about as difficult a feat as any writer could well try to perform—he has striven to draw a portrait of Shakespeare. It is Shakespeare who is both the deus ex machina and the real hero of the book; it is he who befriends the hapless fugitives, Gervase Heriot and Anne Feversham, the one condemned to death and with a price upon his head, the other his rescuer and loyal comrade, and finally brings happiness to them. For, thanks to the machinations of several wicked men, Gervase had been accused of complicity in a Polish plot against the life of Elizabeth, and, although entirely innocent, been cast into prison in Nottingham Castle, and condemned to the block. From this far beautiful, high-spirited Anne Feversham, only daughter and heiress of the Constable of Nottingham, saved him at almost the last moment, and together they fled through the country dense, it chanced that they met one William Shakespeare, an actor in the Lord Chamberlain's famous company. To him they told their story, and from that instant it is his efforts to prove Gervase's innocence and win a pardon for the lovers, which form the thread of the plot—efforts which very nearly brought his own head beneath the executioner's ax.

As a story "Anne Feversham" is at once interesting and charming. It is well written, it moves briskly, and there are any number of exciting episodes, from the thrilling escape from the castle down to the performance of "A Midsummer Night's Dream" at Richmond Park before the Queen herself and by her command—the performance in which Anne played the part of Rosalind under Shakespeare's own guidance. "He was all kindness, all tenderness, all forethought, and concern." They might well have won hearts far harder than those of Shakespeare and his associates, this true and gallant pair of lovers.

But when all is said of them and their adventures, it is Shakespeare who is the very soul and spirit of the book. Mr. Smith has in truth fairly justified his audacity in endeavoring to portray this "man of men." His Shakespeare is many-sided, brave and gentle, gay and sad, loving and lovable—and cursed with that "penity of high imagination," as Richard Paus calls it, "the disease of not being able to know your own mind." His relations with his dear friend Burbage, the devoted companion who felt that upon him lay the charge "of watching over this man who was not as other men," a charge he strove to accomplish even at the cost of life

itself, are sympathetically and vividly drawn. It is the Shakespeare who exclaimed:

"Meanwhile greet me friend, good fellow."

Gentle Will, my merry man!" that Mr. Smith places before us, but he also shows us something of the crushing weight of a sympathy, an insight, and an understanding far transcending those of ordinary men. There is plenty of light and shadow, and the practical man of affairs who bought the largest house in Stratford is not neglected. The book is bright, too, with the color of that rich and splendid age. Besides Shakespeare, we have glimpses of Bacon and Cecil, of Raleigh and Elizabeth—the "raddled old woman" man called, Gloriana—and of Mistress Mary Fytton, whom Mr. Smith evidently identifies with the dark lady of the sonnets.

THREE LOVE STORIES.

JULIE M. LIPPMANN'S "Martha" books have won an army of readers who will be just as much pleased with the new one, "Martha and Cupid" (Henry Holt & Co., \$1.) in which the big, lovable Irish woman meets "with some vicissitudes and is carried through a long section of her life. In the first part of the book she takes her time, in a most leisurely fashion, to choose between two lovers, but finally selects one of them, because the other "can shift for himself." The rest of the book is concerned with the ups and downs of their married life, which gives Martha many occasions to show her characteristic composure, good nature, and facetious confidence in herself. She succeeds also, in getting a husband for her mother and before the book ends one of her own daughters is married, after an experience during which Martha feels it necessary to "hold her nose" for her until she returns to her proper senses. The story is written with rather less spontaneity than appeared in the previous books, but it is of more complicated structure and contains more dramatic incident.

According to all the authorities upon pedagogics Dr. Lovernidge, in English Marie Duff's story, "The Little God Ebiar" (Duffield & Company, \$1.25), which has been teaching school, because she hated it and longed to flee from its drudgery. And to bring about the possibility of flight she was accustomed to make small offerings of a bit of candy or a flower to a little image of the Japanese god who lived in the which smiled upon her from her desk whenever she had time to look at it. And finally Ebiar did his duty and brought her an invitation to a wedding and house party and the party delivered into her hands a handsome young lover. The course of true love ran through rose colored clouds for a time, and then it struck upon rocks, and after a while it turned to ice, and other and entirely different course of true love with another lover. The book is quite plainly and unpretentiously an old-fashioned love story—a type of novel that is rarely to be very rare indeed in these days when novel reading is sometimes an intellectual exercise as strenuous as chess.

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ANSWERS BY THE EDITOR

A. M. S. W.—Will you please tell me something about Rabindranath Tagore?

Rabindranath Tagore is at present the most commanding figure in the modern literature of India. His family has been prominent in Bengal for many generations, possessed of vast wealth, and distinguished for intellect. The family estates are the largest in Bengal. The poet's grandfather, Dwarkanath Tagore, was the founder of the Landholders' Society, while his father was a spiritual and intellectual leader in Bengal. He refused a high civil title and took instead that of Maharsi, which means "great sage." Under the wise instruction of his father Rabindranath, who was born in 1860, grew up in a way that developed his mystic and poetic nature. He developed rapidly and when he was 11 years old his father sent him to the Himalayas, where he studied the great classics of his country and of England. He visited England when he was 17 and perfected himself in the study of English. Returning to Bengal, he began writing the poems that have made him famous in India. When some of his poems were translated into English and published in England they created a great sensation in the literary world. It was soon after this that Tagore received the Nobel Prize for Literature, the first time that it was awarded to other than a white man.

One of the members of the Tagore family is the Hon. Maharajah Behadur Sir Prodyot Kumar, who was knighted in 1906. He is a patron of music, a Trustee of the Indian Museum, and member of many public bodies. Another distinguished member of the family is Rajah Sir Sourindro Mohun Tagore, who founded the Bengal Music School in 1911 and the Bengal Academy of Music ten years later. He has written many books in English, Sanskrit, and Bengali.

Mrs. E. B. GAYLORD—Can you tell me the names of the publishers of the book "Lyle MacDonald," published forty years ago?

"Lyle MacDonald" was written by Mrs. S. F. Keene. It was one of the MacDonald series published between the years 1870 and 1875. The others were "Orient Boys," "Guy's Life Lesson," "Lark," and "Viking Heir." A new edition in five volumes, price \$7.50, was issued in 1875-76 by Henry Hoyt, 23 Bromfield Street, Boston, Mass. Hoyt's business was soon afterward taken over by Ira Brainerd & Co., 105 Washington Street, Boston, a firm apparently no longer in existence.

M. D. S.—I have an old copy of "Klosterheim" by Thomas De Quincey, about which I should like some information. I have never found this work of De Quincey's anywhere, and have asked many places through different authorities, but cannot find that any one has ever heard of it. The title page reads thus: "Klosterheim; or, The Masque, with biographical preface by Dr. Shelton Mackenzie, Boston: Whittemore, Miles & Co., N. Y. & C. Derby, Cincinnati; Moore, Wiltzsch, Keys & Co., 1853." The story is a historical novel at the end of the Thirty Years War, and is most fascinating. I have had it for many years, as it was in my father's library.

Thomas De Quincey published his novel, "Klosterheim," in 1852. It never had much popularity, though it is said to have been dramatized with success at two London theatres. De Quincey was at the time living in Edinburgh, Scotland, "Klosterheim" and "The Logic of Political Economy" were his only separate publications. "The Confessions," reprinted from The London Magazine in 1822, passed through six editions before the new and greatly enlarged edition of 1856. His other works appeared in periodicals, chiefly in the London, Blackwood's, and Tait's Magazines. A full list of these, with dates of first appearance, is in Lowndes's Manual under De Quincey. The most complete edition of De Quincey's in the American, in twenty-two volumes, 1853-72. Dr. R. Shelton Mackenzie, author of the biographical pre-

face, was a native of Ireland, who came to this country and became a well-known newspaper editor in Philadelphia. The 1855 issue of "Klosterheim" is not of special value. A copy of the first edition (1852) is worth about \$10.

S. C. B.—Can you tell me the author and publisher of a short story, supposed to represent an incident in the life of Philip Brooks, entitled "The Bishop's Shadow" or "The Shadow of the Bishop"?

"The Bishop's Shadow," by I. T. Thurston, was published by Fleming H. Revell & Co., 155 Fifth Avenue, New York.

ANSWERS FROM READERS

GEORGE T. FLEMING.—The verses sought by L. W. Keam in your issue of Sept. 14, 1914, are by A. S. Kleffer. I have them in Excess's School Songs, No. 4. The music there is by B. C. Unschuld. The words are:

Twilight is stealing over the sea,
Shadows are falling dark on the lea;
Borne on the night winds, voices of
Come from the far-off shore.

CHORUS.

Far away beyond the starlit skies,
Where the love-light never, never dies,
Gleameth a mansion filled with delight,
Sweet, happy home so bright.

Voices of loved ones! Songs of the
past!
Still linger round me while life shall
last!

Lend me, I wander, sadly I roam,
Seeking that far-off home.

Come in the twilight, come, come to me!
Bringing some message over the sea,
Seeking my pathway while here I roam
Seeking that far-off home.

Answers to this appeal were also received from Ida E. Johnston, Morris-town, N. J.; J. G. S., New York; "L. C. B.," New York, and "E. H.," New York.

L. S. BEST.—Here are the words of the hymn asked for by Emma A. Westmore in your issue of Oct. 11, 1914:

God of the morning, at whose voice
The cheerful sun makes haste to rise,
And like a giant doth rejoice
To run his journey through the skies:

Oh, like the sun, may I fulfill
The appointed duty of the day;
With ready mind and active will,
March on and keep my heavenly way.

But I shall rove, and lose the race
If God my Sun should deem me slow;
And leave me in this world's wide waste,
To follow every wandering star.

Give me Thy counsel for my guide;
And then reward me to Thy praise;
All my desires and hopes beside
Are faint and cold compared with this.

H. S.—"J. A. R." asks in your issue of Oct. 18 concerning a poem beginning

In the bitter waves of woe,
Broken and tossed about
By the sudden winds which blow
From the desolate shores of doubt.

This poem was written by Dr. Washington Gladden, the well-known writer of Columbus, Ohio. It consists of some eight verses under the title of "Ultimate Veritas." It is included in a little book of Dr. Gladden's verses published by The Pilgrim Press.

Answers to this appeal were also received from Miss J. L. Henderson, Saranac Lake, N. Y.; Mrs. G. E. Henbach, Brooklyn, and "A. M. T.," Brooklyn.

MRS. GERTRUDE Y. DOOLEY.—The poem asked for by F. W. Carroll in your issue of Oct. 4 is "Night," by Helen Huntington, and runs as follows:

Night and the curtains drawn,
The household still
Fate with appointed strength
Hath worked its will
Close to the dying blaze
We sit alone.
Naught but the old day lost,
All else our own.

Far in the corners dim
The shadows start;
Near to your stretch I cling
And near your heart.
Dearest, the whole world ends,
Ends well—in this
Night—and the threat dark,
Your touch, your kiss.

L. L. WHITLOCK.—The lines asked for by "E. C. B." in your issue of Oct. 4 (not quite correctly quoted) are from Horace Spence's Hymn to the Flowers. It should read, as I remember it: In that cathedral, boundless as our wonder.

Whose quenchless lamps the sun and moon supply,
Its choir, the winds and waves; its organ, thunder;
Its dome, the sky!

This appeal was also answered by Mrs. W. D. Brooks, New York; B. C. P., Richmond Hill, N. Y.; and Elvina J. Seelye, Oswego, N. Y.

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C. P. R.—Your correspondent, "Lawrence," in your issue of Sept. 6, is in error regarding Mrs. Walby's poem, though the lines quoted are correctly quoted. The poem is not "little," being composed of ten stanzas of eight lines each, and is not named "Twilight at Sea," but "Musings"; the narrator is supposed to be watching the waves from the shore.

J. M. DANA.—The lines quoted by George S. Hawley in your issue of Oct. 4:

Others may sing the song,
Others may fight the wrong,
can be found in Whittier's poem, "My Triumph."

R. D. C.—In answer to the "Appeal to Readers" on Oct. 11 of Marie Waltera Kennedy, the lines she quotes are slightly different in my version. The verses are by Beth Slater Whitson and called "Possession":
The sunset dies, but lives again
In the poppy's crimson bloom;
The twilight fades, but silver stars
Shine through enfolding gloom.
Joy walks with us a little way,
Great as a joy can be,
Then drops our clinging hand and goes—
But ah, the memory!

ALFRID O. BLAISDELL.—The hymn asked for by Emma A. Westmore in your issue of Oct. 11 is by Dr. Watts, and may be found in nearly every one of the older hymn books.

A. T.—Your correspondent, Mrs. L. C. Edmondson, in asking where she could find a book called "Our Daily Paths," by S. A. Arthur, states that she thinks "T. B. Arthur was a Congregational minister, but he was a Swedenborgian," and Mrs. Edmondson could very likely obtain the book, or information about it, at either the Brooklyn Society of the New Church, at Clark Street and Monroe Place, or the New Church Society on Park Avenue and Thirty-fifth Street, New York City.

APPEALS TO READERS

F. L. P.—Will some reader furnish a poem beginning:
Darling, the day is over,
Ended the dream divine;
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"W. T. W.—I would like the entire poem of which the following is a part:
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NEWS OF BOOKS

Forthcoming Publications of Varied Interest.

THE publication of books whose intention is to incite toward peace is being stimulated by the European war, as well as that of books dealing with war and its combatants. A. C. McClurg & Co. will publish shortly "Peace Insurance," by Richard Stockton, Jr., who takes the stand that the United States, in order to insure the continuance of its peaceful international relations, must provide a larger and more efficient army.

G. P. Putnam's Sons have ready for early publication a symposium of papers entitled "The Message of Japan to America." The contents have been written by statesmen and other leaders of thought in Japan, and the volume has been prepared under the editorial supervision of Prof. Naotchi Maseoka of Tokyo. The book is issued in this country under the auspices of the Japanese Society, and contains an introduction by its President, Lindsay Russell. Its contents include first-hand information as to present conditions in Japan, the ideals and policies of Japanese leaders, and the attitude of public opinion toward the United States.

"Makers of Madness," a peace play by Herman Hagedorn, will be published within a week or two by the Macmillan Company.

The Frederick A. Stokes Company announces early publication of "Treitschke's Selections from Lectures on Politics." The translation has been made by A. A. Gowan.

Dodd, Mead & Co. will soon have ready the large, two-volume work by Gen. Friedrich von Bernhardi, "On War of Today," in which the famous German exponent of militarism makes an exhaustive study of the art and practice of war under modern conditions and with modern engines of destruction. This is said to be the basic work from which his other books are developed. It has been translated by a Lieutenant in the German Army. Harper & Brothers are republishing Count Helmuth von Moltke's "The Franco-German War of 1870-71." The Harvard University Press will soon bring out an abridgment and revision of President Lowell's "The Governments and Parties of Continental Europe." It will bear the title "The Governments of France, Italy, and Germany," and will provide an authoritative survey of German machinery in these three countries up to the time of the breaking out of the war.

Doubleday, Page & Co. announce a new and revised edition of "The Boy's Book of New Inventions," by Harry E. Maule, which, as it deals with the new engines of war, which have won universal attention since the outbreak of the European struggle, will interest adult as well as youthful readers. Among its subjects treated in the light of battle-field development during the last few months are war aeroplanes and Zeppelins, aeroplanes, guns, the automobile in war, submarines, mines, and land mines, the modern fortress, and the guns that are used against it.

The Fleming H. Revell Company is publishing a series of books under the general title, "Immigrants in the Making," which deal with the qualities, tendencies, and potentialities of the immigrants from the several countries of Europe. The first volumes of the series, "The Bohemians," by Edith Fowler Chase, and "The Italians," by Sarah Gertrude Pomeroy, are now ready.

"Your Pay Envelope," by John R. Medder, is a volume showing why Social theories could never fulfill their promises, and how much more self wage earners would be under their way than they are at present. It will be published this week by the Devin-Adair Company.

Some months ago when William R. Lighton told in a magazine article how, after trying of a business life, he had made a successful venture in farming, he received two letters of inquiry concerning the details of his experiment. By way of a general response he has written "Letters of an Old Farmer to his Son," which the George H. Doran Company has ready for immediate publication. The book deals with the human side of rural life, the need of new methods in it, and the principles of the new scientific agriculture. "Biology and Social Problems," by George Howard Parker, Professor of Zoology in Harvard University, contains the William Brewster Clark

memorial lectures for 1914. The viewpoint of the author is that if we wish to better the condition of man we must take into account the facts of his natural history. The book will be ready next week by the Houghton Mifflin Company.

Herbert Croly's new work, "Progressive Democracy," a discussion of present tendencies and desirable results in our Government, is ready for immediate issue by the Macmillan Company.

Roger B. Whitman explains "Motor Cycle Principles and the Light Car" in a book that is ready for publication by D. Appleton & Co. The motor cycle engine and its accessories, the clutch, brakes, and speed gears, shock absorbers, and tires, are among the subjects which are covered, and the smaller type of automobile and its principles are analyzed. Mr. Whitman is already known as an authority on motor car and gas engine principles.

Among the Fall publications of the Oulton Company is a handbook on "Automobile Operation," by A. L. Brennan, Jr., which aims to explain simply and clearly the little things that the motorist wants to know about his car.

The Macmillans announce for early publication a new book of poems by Percy MacKaye. It is entitled "The Present Hour," and is divided into two sections, the first called "War" and the second "Peace."

The Houghton Mifflin Company has ready Kate Douglas Wiggin's dramatic version of "The Birds' Christmas Carol."

The John Lane Company is publishing H. de Vere Stacpoole's translation of "The Poems of Francois Villon." The edition is limited to 750 copies.

For early publication B. W. Huebsch will have a volume of "Wisconsin Plays," containing three one-act dramas, "The Neighbors," by Zona Gale, "In Hospital," by Thomas H. Dickinson, and "Glory of the Morning," by William Ellery Leonard. They were a part of the original repertory of the Wisconsin Dramatic Society which has done much in the Middle West to foster interest in and acquaintance with dramatic writing and production.

The Johns Hopkins University Press announces the publication of "The Pictorial Elogues of Jacopo Sansovino," edited with introduction and notes by W. P. Murard.

Sir J. M. Barrie's "The Admirable Crichton," in which it will be remembered William Gillette made one of his greatest successes, will soon be published by the George H. Doran Company in a special edition, with color illustrations by Hugh Thompson.

"Radisson," a poetic drama, by Lily A. Long, dealing with the two trappers who first penetrated the wilderness beyond Lake Superior, is ready for publication by Henry Holt & Co.

Another drama by John Masefield, "Philip the King," will be brought out this week by the Macmillan Company. The volume will contain also other verse, including "August, 1914," one of the notable poems inspired by the war. The Houghton Mifflin Company is publishing this week "Prints: A Brief Review of Their Technique and History," by Emil H. Richter, a review of the development of the engraving art, illustrated with examples from the earliest days to the present time. The author is connected with the Boston Museum of Fine Arts.

The Putnam's announce "Etching: A Practical Treatise," by Earl H. Reed, a book for students, which endeavors to set forth the mechanical means and the craftsmanship necessary for success as an etcher.

"The Halls" have ready Romain Rolland's "Musicians of Today."

Paul Elder & Co. of San Francisco are publishing a volume of short stories for lovers of cats called "The Great Small Cat and Others," by May E. Southworth.

The Houghton Mifflin Company announces for immediate publication "Shifting Sands," by Mrs. Romilly Feden, whose "The Spare Room," has had considerable success.

Another Kentucky mountains story by Lucy Furman, whose "Mothering on Perilous" attracted attention, is announced for this week by the Macmillan Company. It is called "Sight to the Blind," and has an introduction by Ida Tarbell.

Henry Holt & Co. have ready Selma Lagerlof's "Legends of the Sacred Islands," another of the author's "Christ Legends." They will also bring out this week the second volume of the long Danish romance in four volumes by Martin Andersen Nexø, portraying the life of a great labor leader. The title of the novel is "Pelle, the Conqueror," and this volume bears the sub-title "Apprenticeship."

BOOKS WORTH READING

PLEASEING and instructive story is told by G. E. Mitton in "Round the Wonderful World" of a journey from London to London, via the Mediterranean, the Indian Ocean, the Pacific, British Columbia, Canada, the St. Lawrence, the North Atlantic, and Liverpool. The story includes picturesque descriptions of odd things seen in Spain, France, Italy, Egypt, India, China, and Japan. There are numerous illustrations, twelve of which reproduce in colors drawings by A. S. Forrest. (G. P. Putnam's Sons.)

Another London-to-London tour is dealt with by Maurice Barling in an illustrated book entitled "Round the World in Any Number of Days," the route in this case being by way of Australia, New Zealand, San Francisco, and New York. Mr. Barling's book is for the most part non-descriptive, the author's view being that the round-the-world tour has come to be a hackneyed affair, already more than sufficiently described. In place of description we find bits of humor, literary personage, and funny digs at famous English men of letters. It is only when he gets to this country that Mr. Barling gives us impressions of land and people. He seems to have taken a decided liking for America and Americans. (Houghton Mifflin Company. \$1.25.)

Brief sketches of some of the women who figure in the Bible, Shakespeare, and mythology, are presented by Rev. Dr. Frank M. Bristol, Bishop of the Methodist Episcopal Church, in a volume entitled "Heroines of History." Among the author's heroines are Thetis, Deianeira, Andromache, Penelope, Juliet, Ophelia, Portia, Lady Macbeth, Hermione, Imogen, Desdemona, Eve, Sarah, Rebecca, Rachel, Deborah, Abigail, Esther, Ruth, and Mary the Mother of Jesus. (Abingdon Press. \$1.)

A volume entitled "The Panama Canal Tolls Controversy" contains a "statement of the reasons for the adoption and maintenance of the traditional American policy in the management of the Panama Canal," prepared by Hugh Gordon Miller, formerly special assistant to the Attorney General of the United States, and Joseph C. Freshoff, statistician with the Public Service Commission of New York City. There are three introductions to the authors' statement contributed by Secretary Bryan, Oscar S. Straus, and Senator Hughes of New Jersey. (Chapline Publishing Company.)

A number of subjects Americans are interested in are treated with notable intelligence in a volume entitled "Es-

says Historical and Political," which contains a collection of papers written by Charlemagne Tower, recently a distinguished American diplomat. There are two historical papers in the volume, one dealing with Lord Cornwallis's American career, and the other with Gen. Howe's campaigns in the Revolutionary War. The political papers include brief discussions of Europe's attitude toward the Monroe Doctrine, America's obligations with respect to the Panama Canal, and America's relations to arbitration for the settlement of international disputes. (J. B. Lippincott Company. \$1.50.)

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A brief treatise on intercessory prayer written by Florence L. Barclay, author of "The Rosary," is published in a little book entitled "The Golden Center." In it the author gives some interesting views as to the efficiency of petitions for divine help and guidance. (George H. Doran Company. 50 cents.)

A series of studies in social and spiritual values is presented by Rev. Edgar De Witt Jones in a book entitled "The Inner Circle"; they are based, we are told, on the life and teaching of Jesus, brought His spirit and represent Christian life as conceived and illustrated by Him. The author is a popular preacher in Cincinnati. (Fleming H. Revell Company. \$1.)

Admirable advice for girls who earn their own living is given by Mary A. Lascelle in "The Young Woman Worker." She shows that efficiency and advancement result from well-directed effort, and that intelligent and conscientious attention to what at first thought may seem trivialities is part of the price a girl must pay for success. Good manners, good health, neat dress, an alert mind, and devotion to the employer's interests are among the qualities which the author details. (Fleming Press.)

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BELGIUM MAY BE INSPIRATION FOR WINTER'S NEW FASHIONS

Details of Costumes Worn by Inhabitants of Little Nation Which Has Stirred the Imagination of the World May Be Reproduced in Other Lands. Already Belgian Cap Is the Smart Thing in Millinery.

FASHION usually defeats the woman who wants to wear her clothes for a long time by changing just enough of the details to make alteration difficult and new purchases desirable. When she is satisfied to let the silhouette remain as it was, she will change the sleeve, rearrange the neckline, impose a new waistline, and the deed of destruction is done. After these features are established every woman knows that her worst work has begun. She may not mind wearing the wrong kind of skirt, but she distinctly objects to wearing the wrong kind of sleeve.

This season fashion changed so much in the matter of woman's apparel this Winter that many feel it is the best economy to discard or sell all one's possessions hanging in the closet and buy one entirely new costume, if that is all that can be afforded. This is a discouraging outlook. It was not fully seen when September opened the season and brought out the new clothes. There were rumors of change and exploitation of clothes that were startlingly different from what we had worn, but somehow no one seemed to realize how drastic the changes were and how difficult it would be for women to ignore them.

It might be extravagant to say that thousands of women bought new Autumn clothes made on the same models that had prevailed all Summer, because they would not lend ear to the fact that Paris had established a new line and that it would become a law when the season advanced. It was impossible to preach the full skirt with any effect. In September, because the majority of dressmakers and shops did not offer it or advocate it, and the women themselves did not care for it. As much as we had abused the narrow skirt for four years we did not show the slightest disposition to give it up when we had a chance. We had grown accustomed to its slowness and had learned to walk within its narrow confines and we were not sure that we cared to change our silhouettes, or burden ourselves with heavy clothing.

So, while we knew that the wide skirt was the coming fashion, and while we cheerfully accepted the long, full tunic, we clung to the narrow hem and believed that it might win out. The tendency is all against it today, but alteration is easy when the narrow skirt is over-topped by a long tunic. The lower skirt may simply be dropped and the tunic slightly lengthened by a band of velvet, silk, taffeta, or fur. And of fur hems there is no end.

Very Full Skirts Next Spring? It may be that the majority of women will never accept the wide rippling skirt introduced in the Autumn, but it is more probable that they will.



Smart black silk beaver hat, with long quill ornament, modeled on the Belgian soldier's cap.

most extreme skirts, and it is probable that such a fashion will dominate the new gowns that are brought out in midwinter for the Southern exodus, which, the social folks say, is to be the heaviest ever known in America. Fashionable people do not wish to remain in the great cities after the middle of February, and delicate people do not wish to remain in the cold climates after Christmas; and as the Southern shores of Europe are virtually closed and the Egyptian shore may not be any too quiet in a few weeks, the American invasion will be omitted this year. The consequence is that thousands of folks will turn to American resorts for their recreation and health; and this will have a far-reaching influence for good in this country.

Millions of dollars that have usually been spent by the tourists in Europe will probably be spent over here. It will be several seasons before Americans of all classes and all kinds of purses will cross the ocean in hordes as they have been doing for a decade.

Can America supply her own pleasure and health resorts? Most assuredly, yes. And she can do it at less expense than in Europe, and minus the Winter trip across the ocean.

So the dressmakers are looking forward to reaping a harvest from this changed condition of affairs. They will not only make gowns for those who go South, but they will supply the Spring and Summer wardrobes of those who usually get all their clothes abroad. It is probable that Florida, Georgia, California, and South Carolina will have a bumper year in tourists.

Flounces Rather Than Pleats

Possibly we are tired of the pleated tunic, and, not quite accepting the rippling skirt, made in one line from waist to shoe top, have adopted the flounced skirt, which gives three lines stretching around the figure.

Several of the new street frocks that were made this week evidenced a strong leaning toward this style. It does make a change between the style of this Winter and last Summer, and probably that is the reason for its success. It is needless to say that every figure cannot adopt the flounced skirt; but all fashions are designed for the slim, and the stout have grown so used to this that they diet and exercise, adopt the style in defiance of their figures, or skillfully modify it into an artistic compromise. The latter is an exceedingly difficult job, as every expert and amateur knows.

Evening gowns are good looking with fluted skirts that suggest the storm and stress of 1880 and 1870; but velvet and cloth must be handled in a delicate manner if flounces are to be used. If they do not cling to the figure they are not correct, for, strange to say, extreme width is only tolerated at the hem and not over the hips and knees.

The new gowns that have been made for street wear are not as pronounced in their width at the footline as are the French models, but experts believe this is only a question of time, and that the present skirts will only serve through the rest of this season, which is not a happy outlook for those who have little money for new clothes, or little inclination to worry with them.

One can choose pleats if they are admired and if flounces are not admissible, but the one thing that cannot be chosen by the woman who has any regard for style is skirt drapery. Bunchings and loopings and panniers are finished. There are tunics, it is true, and advocated by the best houses, but they are long, not short. The skirt beneath them may be narrow, but it must be of thin material. A cloth tunic is not worn above a cloth skirt; satin or bengaline silk is substituted; and this, you see, is a change from the fashion which called for a thin tunic over a thick skirt. Even in evening gowns there is this direct change. Velvet and brocade are put over lace and tulle.

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SMARTNESS AND DIGNITY COMBINED.



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It is amazing how many velvet gowns are being made; and they are not confined to the day hours. Some of the smartest women in New York are wearing night blue velvet evening gowns with tops of tulle. The material reaches by several inches further up on the figure than it has done for years. There is quite a decided return to that stately style of dress which Worth has always advocated and which can best be expressed by the word ladylike.

Everywhere one turns there is velvet to be seen. It is on the street in one-piece frocks under full coats, in coat suits cuffed and collared with immense bands of fur; in the theatre chairs in glowing red, like Burgundy, with the light shining through it; at dinner parties in white with shoulder straps of crystals; in the restaurants in sapphire blue with bodice ornaments of black and sapphire jet; at luncheons in Saxe blue with bands of skunk.

It is not easy to explain why this velvet epidemic has spread over America. There was no foreshadowing of it in the French styles shown in August, which goes to prove that we like to dress as our neighbors dress; for the day that a few smart women indulged in velvet gowns the mass followed suit. As far as the evening gowns are concerned, Worth was really responsible for the fashion. He showed some wonderful ones in London in the beginning of September, which were brought to America and exhibited among the first of the Autumn fashions.

The feeling for dark blue velvet is quite important, and it is not very well known outside of a limited circle. One finds the shops selling an unusual amount of this material and color in single and double width, and one hears the dressmakers persuading their best clients into choosing it for a décolleté gown, with the addition of any kind of harmonious jet on the bodice, or below the waistline, which is a fashion distinctly copied from the Worth models.

If one goes into any smart milliner's place one hears that the universal fashion for the black velvet hat is giving way here and there in favor of the dark blue velvet hat, made in the same shape and trimmed in the same way as the black velvet ones. The sailor shape leads in these blue hats, and the burst ostrich has no rival in trimming. Sometimes there is a field of these ostrich plumes, blowing backward from the hat like seagulls in a high wind; again there are only two placed well toward the front, nodding toward each other.

Usually the quill part is tucked under a fold of the velvet, but if not a narrow band of shiny silk watered ribbon is used with a flat bow as a finish.

And writing of hats reminds me that the new thing in millinery is the Belgian cap. Those who had any opportunity of seeing the Belgian soldiers in

uniform were fascinated with the jaunty little headgear, that was flattened over one side of the head, ran to a point, and a slight peak at the crown. One of the dressmakers in New York has introduced this cap in black velvet, with a quill run straight up the back. It goes immensely well with the flat, sleek collure of the season.

Many of us who were in Havre during that week of storm and stress where the Belgians who were cut off from their army began to arrive in small groups in order to join the English forces who were going up the coast, felt very much inclined to snatch a cap from a Belgian and bring it home. They were the heroes of the town, these good-looking, dashing soldier men, with their splendid uniforms of dark green arabesque with yellow bands and topped by cape without visors. It is no wonder that a clever designer quickly saw the opportunity of launching this cap in sedate black velvet among American women. Its speedy popularity proved how well it was suited to the rather roguish, quite good-looking, afraid-of-nothing type of face the American girl possesses.

There is no doubt that we will have an epidemic of Belgian styles, new and old. Callot has already sent over a gown of velvet trimmed with tiny white porcelain beads and fur, which she calls Belgian, and the Flemish peasants will surely furnish much that is colorful and pictorial in the new fashions.

Everything contributes to this domination of fashions in the near future by the country and the people who have stirred the minds and hearts and imagination of the people more than any other factor in this world war.

As one writer has said, Germany may have occupied the place where Belgium was, but its soul has escaped to all the peoples on the planet. One has a thrill of pride in even wearing a garment or a hat that goes by that name and has been suggested by that country. It is like being touched by the mantle of courage.

A Word of the High Collar.

The most amusing touch about the high collar that the American woman is taking up is the fact that she has decided to leave a deep V-shaped wedge of her chest exposed beneath it. She saunters in the street in the coldest weather with her coat cut down almost to the top of her corset, showing a flicker of bare skin between, and her neck enveloped in a fur stock that is warm enough to do duty in the Russian trenches.

The new blouses also have high boned collars and the coats reach to the ears. Some have the Directorate collars that rise high and turn back on themselves in a straight line; others have the Consulate collar which goes straight across the back of the neck, also high and turned over and made of some brightly colored stiff silk thickly incrustated with gold or silver arabesques.

The smartest outside collar is of fur as wide as it is possible to wear it. It is made like a clown's ruff in that it rises to the chin and does not bind the neck under the chin. It fastens at the left front with a rosette of velvet ribbon, or with braid buttons and loops.

High black velvet dog collars are again in style with house blouses that are cut in a deep surplice opening in front. Clever women use these on the street under a coat so there will not be a bare expanse of neck between the chin and the coat collar. The usual rolling collar of starched white muslin that extends in a surplice effect to the bust has had its day.

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ARE SHAWLS TO RETURN?

AT the fashionable European resorts during the past few weeks a return of the shawl has been reported. These shawls, which are worn as evening wraps, are large squares of rich silk with an 18-inch fringe lending grace and suppleness to their folds. They are highly suggestive of Spanish mode and are especially effective when draped about the body or when worn with the Empress Eugenie gown.

PLAID SPORTS COATS.

SOME of the new silk sports coats are made in large plaids. Plain checks, too, of white with a bright color, are used. On these checked and plaid coats there are collars and

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Apples Deserve the Attention of the Wise House-keeper, for They Are Inexpensive and Have Wide Possibilities.

THE days will soon be here when apples and oranges, grape fruit, bananas, and lemons will be the only fresh fruits found in every market. To be sure, hot-house grapes are now so inexpensive that almost all of us can afford them occasionally, and for many persons other hot-house and tropical fruits are winter possibilities. But our winter choice of fresh fruits is always more limited than our summer choice. And the clever cook, the wise house-keeper, ought to make double use of such fruits as we can get inexpensively.

Apples should come in for first consideration, because they are cheaper and have more possibilities than any other winter fruit. Some seasons—and this may be one of them—really good eating apples, so called, are expensive. But apples suitable for cooking can always be inexpensively bought. Remember, however, that it pays to buy a sound apple with good flavor. For if the apple is unsound, some of it must be discarded, and if its flavor is lacking in piquancy, doubtless some of it will be left uneaten. The good fruit is always less expensive than the poor fruit.

Apple salad is now so well known that it needs little recommendation. But remember that there are many combinations of apple that are delicious as salad. Here are a few:

Waldorf salad, which calls for diced apple, broken English walnuts and chopped celery mixed with mayonnaise dressing.

Apple and nut salad or apple and celery salad, with French or mayonnaise dressing.

Apple and date salad—diced apples, shredded dates, French dressing and lettuce or endive.

Apple and orange salad, with French dressing, on lettuce.

Apple and grapefruit, with or without the addition of orange, with French dressing on lettuce leaves.

Apple, rice and bacon salad—a good luncheon salad. The broiled bacon should be minced, the apples should be diced, and the cold boiled rice should be flaky. The salad should be lightly mixed with French dressing, and served on lettuce leaves with mayonnaise.

Apples with the Meat Course.

Apples in many forms are delicious with meat. Apple sauce is the accepted accompaniment of roast pork and small apples baked with nutmeg, without skins, are also delicious with pork or with veal.

Apples fried in half-inch slices with bacon are a tempting entrée served alone, or a fitting accompaniment for many meat dishes.

Apple sauce can be served in tiny shells of pastry with roast poultry and apple fritters can be served with poultry or game. When making apple sauce to serve with meat the red skin of the apple boiled with the sauce, which should be pressed through a strainer to make it perfectly smooth when done, will give it a delightful color.

Apples for Dessert.

Compote of Apples.—Six ripe apples, one lemon, half pound loaf sugar, one and a half pints water. Select the apples of a moderate size, and cut in halves, remove the cores and rub each piece over with a little lemon. Put the water and sugar together into a lined saucepan and let them boil until they form a thickish syrup; then put in the apples with the rind of the lemon, cut thin, and the rind of the same. Let the apples simmer until tender, then take out carefully and drain on a sieve. Reduce the syrup by boiling it quickly for a few minutes. When both are cold arrange apples neatly in a glass dish, pour over the syrup and garnish with strips of candied citron.

Scotch Apple Tart.—Pare, core and quarter six good-sized apples. Put them in a deep dish, cover with water, add two-thirds cup sugar, two cloves and a grating of nutmeg. Sprinkle

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over half cup currants, two table-spoonsful whisky, rind of one lemon and juice of two, and about a table-spoonful of butter. Cover the top with a good pie crust and bake in a moderately quick oven one hour.

Apple Fritters—Two eggs, half pint milk, a little salt, one teaspoonful baking powder, one cup flour. Beat the eggs lightly and add milk, flour, salt and baking powder, and beat until light. Pare, core, and slice apples across, dip the slices in the batter and fry in hot butter. Serve hot, with powdered sugar.

Apple Snow—Three large tart apples, three whites of eggs, half cup powdered sugar, half cup jelly. Stew or steam the apples, cored and quartered, but not pared, drain, and then rub them through a fine sieve. Beat the whites of the eggs stiff, add the sugar, beat again; add the apples and beat till like snow. Pile light in a glass dish; garnish with jelly or holly leaves; serve with boiled custard.

Apple Pudding—Six two cupfuls of flour, a teaspoonful of cream of tartar, half a teaspoonful of soda, and two table-spoonsful of sugar and add a beaten egg, two table-spoonsful of soft

Beauty Remedies of the Dressing Table That Will Be Found Efficacious Against Wrinkles, Tan and the Like.

THIS is most emphatically the day of the beauty parlor and good grooming. However, the second is not always dependent on the first; that is, an intelligent woman with a little time at her disposal can be well groomed and yet be quite independent of the beauty parlor. Many simple remedies are offered for reducing small physical defects. Any of these remedies, properly and patiently applied, will secure results. The great difficulty is that the average woman lacks perseverance when she undertakes to remove imperfections of complexion or hair. If she goes to the beauty parlor she pays some one to be persistent when she could accomplish almost the same results by persevering work at her own toilet table. Do not imagine that spasmodic applications of remedies will secure results. It is the patient, regular application that, in due time, will bear fruit.

For Oily Skin.

Here are two lotions for an oily skin, either one of which used regularly according to directions will secure the desired results, a dry, clean skin, in three months:

Purified borax, one ounce; pure glycerine, two ounces; camphor water, (not spirits of camphor), two quarts. The skin should be bathed with this lotion two or three times a day.

Rose water, six ounces; elder-flower water, two ounces; simple tincture of benzoin, half ounce; tannic acid, ten grains. Apply nightly after washing the face in hot water.

Wrinkles.

Premature wrinkles—that is, wrinkles which come from illness or from the bad habit of contorting the mouth when talking—can be reduced by bathing them with the following lotion:

Rose water, 200 grains; thick milk of almonds, 50 grains; sulphate of alumine, 4 grains. Dissolve and filter. It is then ready for use.

Sparse Eyebrows.

Pale, sparse eyebrows and lashes make a face expressionless. They can be coaxed into a better growth by rubbing the eyebrows nightly with vaseline and applying to the roots of both the eyebrows and eyelashes a tonic made by mixing 5 grains of sulphate of quinine with 1 ounce of sweet almond oil. Apply this with a fine sable brush, which comes for the purpose.

Roughness and Tan.

When the skin has become rough and tanned from sun and winds, try this simple whitener, an oatmeal lotion: Take two table-spoonsful of oatmeal, adding a quart of water and boil for ten minutes. Cool and strain and to the liquid add the juice of one lemon and a dessert-spoonful of alcohol. Wash the face in this, or rather apply it with a cloth, not wiping it all away.

For a Brown Neck.

For the chronically brown neck one must use regularly the following lotion: Boric acid, one drachm; distilled witchhazel, two ounces; rose water, two ounces.

Exercise the throat night and morning until it becomes moist with perspiration, wipe off the perspiration with a soft cloth dipped in warm water and apply the lotion with antiseptic gauze. After a week of this treatment, you will see a marked improvement in the color of the neck.



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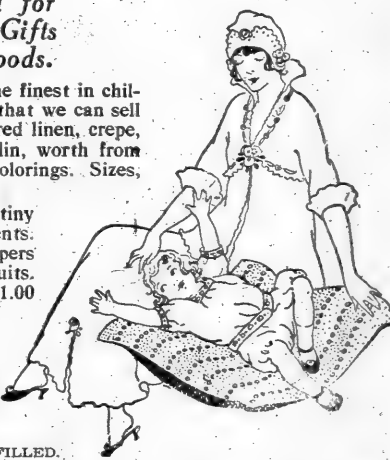
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NEW GERMAN NATION WILL RISE ON RUINS OF PRUSSIAN MILITARISM, SAYS FRENCH EDUCATOR

By Edward Marshall.

IN the American press French views of the great war's significance have been less common than British views and far less frequent than German views. Therefore this talk with M. de Lapredelle, Exchange Professor from the University of Paris to Columbia, will have especial interest.

This very distinguished Frenchman, although but 43 years old, has won high eminence in his native land, especially in the domain of international law, which is his branch at the University of Paris. Also he is Directeur du Recueil des Arbitrages Internationaux, he is the editor of The International Law Review in Paris, he is a member of the Committee on International Law for the French Department of Justice, he is a member of the French Committee on Aerial Navigation, he is General Secretary of the French Society of International Law, and he occupies other important posts and bears other important scholastic honors.

He is a cautious conversationalist, as might be expected of one who has so deeply delved into the most cautious of all professions, but in the mind of the thoughtful reader this should add to the value of his utterances, which, as expressed in the following columns, were carefully revised by him before going into type.

I asked M. de Lapredelle to estimate the great war's probable effect upon education.

"Of course it is too early to guess intelligently," he replied, "for the effect of the war will be dependent entirely upon the results of the war, and, while we of the Allies have no doubt of our ultimate victory, it is the fact that victory has not been won as yet by either side.

"In talking with you my impulse is to assume what I feel in my heart—the certainty of German defeat, but I must not do that, although all the letters which I get from the front and from Paris express a growing confidence in the victory of the Allies.

"But it is too early to attempt intelligent detailed prophecy as to the effect of the great struggle upon the world's philosophy, or upon any other phase of its intellectual development.

"Almost certainly, however, a reaction against certain Germanic influences will be apparent after the war ends, for the world will not want ever to risk repetition of the horrors of this struggle, and it will be plain that they were the inevitable fruit of Germany's attempt at intellectual domination.

"This German assumption was due, largely, to their victory in 1870, but it went far beyond the bounds of reason, far beyond the fields in which German achievement really had established legitimate supremacy.

"The momentum of victory often has led humanity into excess. It led Germany into excessive claims of social superiority and into an excessive

assumption of intellectual supremacy. Even in the eyes of others it gave Germany an unwarranted intellectual prestige.

"Really, the German is not a big thinker; he is an immensely careful thinker.

"Above everything, the German is an observer—a very diligent observer—and his mental eyes are likely to be so close to the wall that he sees only a single brick in it, wholly failing to get a comprehensive view of the whole structure.

"Germans are very careful students. They attach a vast importance to detail. I think it is not unfair to say that, with the German, the smaller, the more minute the detail, the more it interests him. The German loves to write a big book on a small subject, and, loving it, he does it well.

"But there are more exalted tasks, as, for example, the writing of big books upon big subjects, giving the world fresh visions of new and far-flung vistas. The German loves to catalogue and catalogues almost with genius; he loves to deliver long lectures upon microcosms.

"Cataloguing and the near-sightedness which may arise from intense study of the atom, to the exclusion of the collective organism, whether that collective organism be the human individual or the social mass, may render immense service to the world, but it never will be the only service necessary and, if pursued to the exclusion of all other investigations, such study is likely to produce an aggravated narrowness of vision. Narrow vision is certain to eventuate in selfishness.

"The Germans became selfish after this fashion. The present struggle is the war of selfishness against world advance.

"Innumerable, or at least many, individuals have furnished smaller parallels to the course which Germany has taken as a nation. The individual with the truly and exclusively scientific mind is likely to go too far into abstractions, built from a possible misinterpretation of minutiae.

"The ideal national intellectual development will combine both fact and theory, will join rationalism to idealism, and will be far more like that of certain nations which I shall not name than it will be like that of Germany. These nations which I shall not name have both.

"In other words it seems to be the fixed idea of the German that the German civilization is the only civilization; but it is not the thought of France or England that their civilizations are the only ones.

"This very lack of what may be deemed as national egotism in France and England enables these nations to work, as Germany does not, for world science and world development—the growth of civilization as a whole.

"Germany's scientific work is for German science, she thinks of civilization only as German civilization. The world's other great nations—and may I say the world's great Latin nations especially—internationalize their science and their civilization.

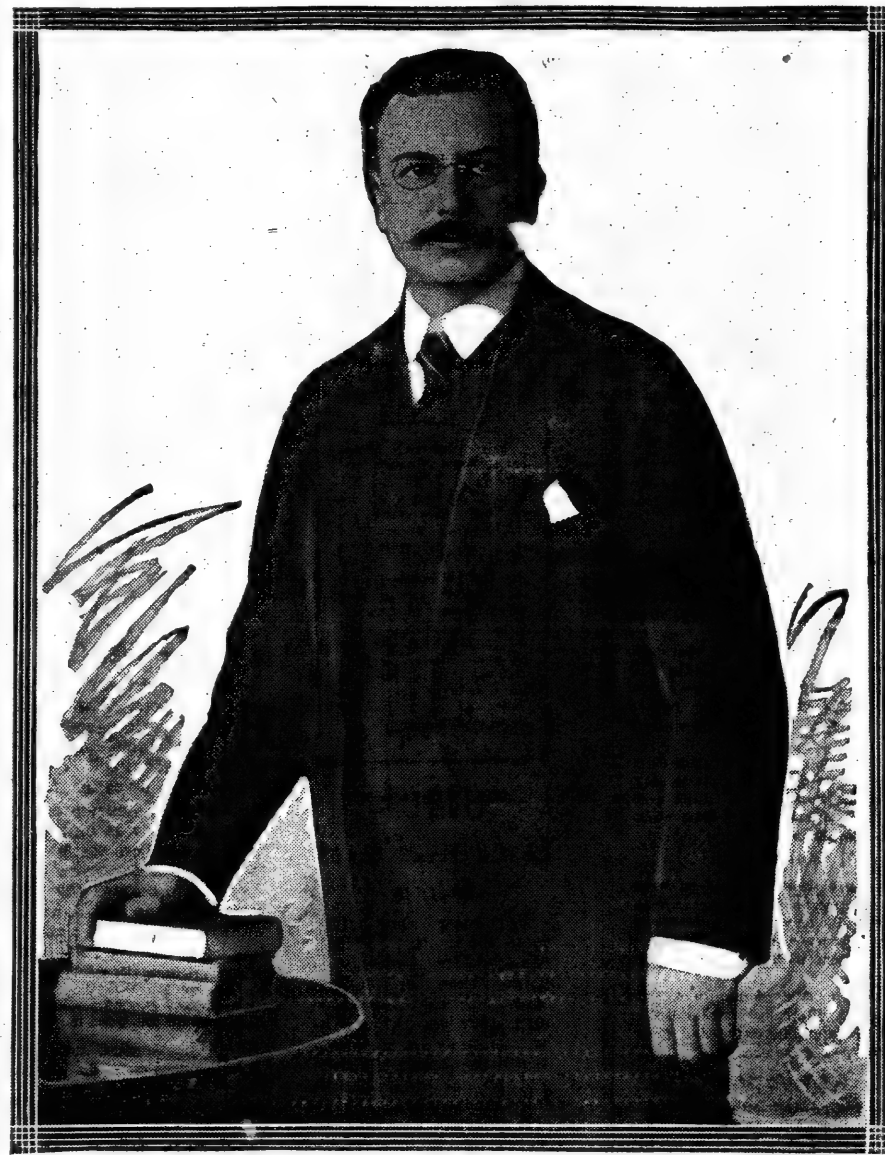
"One must be struck by the fact that Germany's critical philosophy formed the basis of her educational system and, therefore, the basis of her social system, and that it had in it the basis of the war.

"It cannot be denied, I think, that her education, as well as her politics and militarism directly pointed to this great conflict. Indeed, the industrialism, the politics, the philosophy of Germany all find their logical expression in present events.

"Haezel was the first, in the beginning of the last century, to insist upon the ideas which, already being paramount in him, quickly became paramount in his followers, serving as the basis for the development of Prussia. To him this represented all and everything; to him divinity on earth was incarnated in the State and, therefore, the development of the State, not justice, was, in his mind, the object of all law.

"Since this beginning that has been the consistent German viewpoint, and increasingly so. The glorification of the State has included, of necessity,

M. de Lapredelle, Exchange Professor from the University of Paris to Columbia, Declares That It Will Be a Liberal Germany Ready to Work with Other Countries in the Cause of Civilization.



Prof. de Lapredelle.

(Photo by Campbell Studios.)

the sacrifice of the individual, and this has been conducted ruthlessly in Germany itself.

"Of course the State which considers it right to sacrifice the individuals of its own citizenship will be sure to consider it right to sacrifice the individuals of other nations' citizenships.

"That explains why international law never has been considered binding by the German; it explains why international law was not considered binding when Belgium stood in the path of Germany's march toward Paris.

"International law never has bound the German; it never will bind him until he changes his national psychology.

"Hering, one of Germany's greatest theoretical jurists and a scholar in the matter of Roman law, declared, 'Right is the child of might.' He did not say exactly that right is might, but he defined it as 'the child of might.'

"That may be taken as the German keynote, for this man is of such great influence in Germany that his utterances must have an enormous effect.

"Treitschke, the historian, in his teaching in Berlin, naturally drew some of his inspiration from these two men. For him the State need consider no law save that which will promote its own expansion.

"Moral law, he holds, need not and must not stand in the way of the prosperity and growth of States, as it frequently must obstruct the prosperity and growth of individuals.

"Under this theory the State has two functions: these are, inside the country, to make law, outside the country, to make war. Germany denies the right of an extraneous law to decide upon the details of right and wrong within a country, and that is why Germany defies and even denies international law.

"If it happens that a treaty which the State has entered into later proves

to be obstructive to some expansion which is thought to be a necessity of the State's destiny, that treaty may be disregarded with the full approval of Germany's national morality, although similar conduct on the part of an individual in Germany would be considered highly reprehensible.

"The State may bind itself to secure advantage, but, also, it may unbind itself to secure advantage, and this without consultation with or the approval of the other party or parties to the contract.

"This theory becomes confusing to the student reared in other nations under different educational influences. It indicates beyond contradiction that Germany feels no sense of duty toward other nations, but only an obligation to further her own interests.

"Germany has immense patriotism but no humanitarianism. Her only duty is to herself. Her national

egotism can be characterized by no other word than selfishness.

"It is a curious phenomenon that at a time when humanitarianism in its broadest sense has become the keynote of all other of the great nations, it has not become at all the keynote of German civilization.

"It is impossible that such pride, such a sense of arrogant national superiority as that which marks Germany, should maintain among a democratic people; it is possible only to a very aristocratic country. What has happened is its logical outgrowth in the country which it has infected.

"In Germany this sense of national pride, of intolerance of others, even of contempt for others, has been developed until it amounts to superciliousness. It not only affects Germany's relations to other peoples, but it affects the relations of Germans to one another.

"Different classes of the German population continually exhibit it in their dealings with one another.

"It is continually illustrated in those events which have been the wonder of visiting foreigners—episodes of the contemptuous ill-treatment of subordinate German soldiers by their superiors. It goes beyond that, manifesting itself in the treatment of all civilians by the lowest soldier, and, further still, in the attitude even of the lowest civilian to all foreigners, even the highest.

"The German individual may not consider himself superior to all individuals of other nationalities, but he will be sure to consider his nation so far superior to every other that there can be no comparison between it and them. His is a peculiar arrogance. It is not at all personal; it is purely national; but none the less it is arrogance, and all arrogance is dangerous.

"A hierarchy always exists in aristocratic countries; the hierarchical idea has been developed further in Germany than elsewhere.

"Of all the nations in the world perhaps the United States and France

fortunate impulse. If to this impulse we add that other born of all her various victories since 1866, especially those which were won while Germany was realizing Bismarck's dream of triumph 'through fire and blood'—her industrial victories, her scientific advance, her social progress—and consider the Germanic tendency toward egotism, we do not find ourselves surprised when we find, examine, and appraise exactly what we have today in Germany.

"The perversion of national sentiment into national arrogance has been the definite, although, perhaps, unrealized and unintended aim of every educational influence which has been at work in Germany since 1870. It has amounted to an unparalleled perversion of a nation's sentiment toward all the outside world.

"This war marks the crisis of this German pride.

"Germany's course throughout has borne all the earmarks of a national ego-mania. The whole German people, as a nation, not, always, perhaps, as individuals, have fallen victim to the most colossal attack of ego-mania which the world ever has known.

"Combine this ego-mania with another delusion—the entirely unjustified conclusion that Germany was the object of a world-wide persecution—and it is unnecessary to search further for the causes of the war, just as it is unnecessary to search further for reasons for the combination of practically all other Europe against Germany.

"What would German victory mean to the world, if German victory came, save the world-wide dominance of German egotism, imposed at the expense of every other people? France would not escape, England would not escape, and, I assure you, America, would not escape. German victory would be far more than a European disaster—it would be a world disaster.

"Of all the nations in the world perhaps the United States and France

have stood most notably for the ideas of international justice. This really makes your interest in the outcome of the present war indirectly as great as ours.

"I cannot see how the people of the United States can feel otherwise than that not only their hearts but their reason demand victory for the Allies, not because of any wish for the destruction of Germany, but because of the wish for the preservation of the world.

"Indeed, it is inconceivable that victory for the Allies can mean destruction for Germany. It can mean only the destruction of German militarism, which has brought about the perversion of the German mind.

"No abler mind exists. Its release from the thralldom which has fettered it would be a vast world service, would, indeed, be a vast benefit to Germany herself. It is curious but true that I believe Germany's own salvation depends upon her absolute defeat in this great war.

"A few weeks before the war began Prof. Schucking expressed regret that Germany—that is, the German Government—should be so antagonistic to international spirit. The fact that he made this expression shows that, in spite of and beyond military Germany, the intellectual elite, the cream of the elite in Germany, has remained faithful to the traditions of the great philosopher, Kant.

"The intellectual elite—the cream of the elite—therefore may be absolved from all responsibility. Loyalty to the teachings of Kant will make it possible for the friends of humanity in all nations to join with Germany for human advancement on the basis of universal justice.

"After the victory of the Allies, a new Germany will appear; it will be a liberal Germany, willing to renounce the narrow Prussian ideal, finding again the old German ideal in its disinterested form, a Germany which will be able to join hands with other nations, to help them in taking up again the works of international civilization, which Prussian Germany herself brutally brought to an end, with insolent scorn of right—an act for which she is now paying and must pay the penalty.

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Lost Warships.

JOSE M. VILLALON.—I should like to know how many warships have been lost in the present war, also their nationalities.

DAILY READER.—Will you please advise me how many ships of war have been sunk, destroyed, or captured, belonging to Great Britain and Germany, respectively?

The following figures include losses of warships reported during the present war up to and including Nov. 12: British, 7; German, 7; French, 1; Russian, 1; Japanese, 1.

For the Poor in England.

A. E.—Is there not a committee formed to forward used clothing to the needy people of Great Britain and Ireland? If you will let me know where I can direct a box of such clothing I shall be grateful.

Apply for full information to the British Imperial Club, 108 East Thirtieth Street, New York City. The Red Cross Society will be glad to send clothing to England, but it accepts only new articles.

The "Zabern" Incident.

JOSEPH FERNLUND.—Will you please explain what the "Zabern incident" was?

HENRY J. KEELER.—What is the "Zabern incident" referred to in the papers?

On Dec. 2, 1913, Lieut. Baron von Forster, a twenty-year-old subaltern in the German infantry stationed in Zabern, a town in Alsace, cut a lame shoemaker over the head with his sword when a party of workmen hooted at the soldiers. The incident aroused a great deal of indignation. The Ninety-ninth Infantry was transferred from Zabern to another town, and the Lieutenant was court-martialed and sentenced to forty-three days in jail. On Jan. 10, 1914, Col. von Reuter and Lieut. Schud, who had been "officers in charge" and who were alleged to have unjustly set the military power above the civil authority in the disturbances that followed von Forster's action, were court-martialed in Berlin. Here, however, they were acquitted, and the sentence of the young subaltern was reversed by the Court of Appeals. The incident caused a storm of discussion throughout Germany and in England and France, as it was regarded as a sweeping victory for the "militarist" policy.

In Alsace and throughout the German Empire. The court's decision was generally upheld by the German nationalist press and condemned by both Liberal and Radical papers of Germany. The Berliner Tageblatt, a representative radical newspaper, wrote: "The affair Zabern has not been ended by today's verdict. It will be heard of for a long time to come."

Prof. Hale's Telegram.

V. L. MANGUN.—I have read that you received the following telegram from William Gardner Hale: "Havre, Sept. 4.—Conventions of war signed by the United States regularly broken under conditions impossible in civilization by Germany. United States should declare war." I should be glad to know the circumstances of this cable, and your comment upon it, if any.

The cable from Dr. Hale was published, without comment or additional statement, as a small news item in THE TIMES of Sept. 5. It had been sent direct by cable to the editor. On Sept. 7 an interview with Dr. Hale, who had meanwhile gone to London, was published, in which he explained his conviction that the planting of mines in the open sea was a war for a declaration of war.

The "White Papers."

ELIZABETH H. BENNEY.—To whom does "White" refer in the so-called "White Papers"?

"White" in the "White Papers" is not the name of a person. The "White Paper" is the name given to the diplomatic correspondence of the British Department of Foreign Affairs in regard to the German position at the outbreak of the war.

Illiteracy.

R. F. K.—Please give me the percentage of illiteracy in Austria-Hungary, Italy, Russia, Germany, France, England, and Ireland.

The statistics are as follows: Austria, population over 10 years, percentage illiterate, 23.6; Hungary, population over 12 years, percentage, 40.9; Italy, population over 10 years, percentage, 48.2; France, population over 10 years, percentage, 14.1; Russia, population over 10 years, percentage, 70; Ireland, population over 10 years, percentage, 17.4; England and Wales, marriages, percentage, 1.8; German Empire, army recruits, percentage, .02; Prussia, marriages, percentage, .4; United Kingdom, army recruits, percentage, .1. These figures are given on the basis on which the percentages in the various countries are reckoned. It must be remembered, for purposes of comparison, that the national percentage of illiteracy among army recruits would not reach nearly so high a figure as it would on a basis of the entire population over 10 years. This is shown in the case of France, which reports her illiteracy statistics on bases both of population and army recruits. On the first reckoning the percentage of illiteracy in France, as quoted, is 14.1; among her army recruits only 3.3 per cent. are illiterate, while on her marriages the percentage of illiteracy is 4.1. The basis of army recruits and that of marriages are much more comparable than is either with the total population reckoning.

Old Age Pensions.

R. F. K.—Kindly inform me which country first instituted the old age pension system, and to what extent it has done away with poorhouses.

The first effort at a comprehensive national system of compulsory old age insurance, which, of course, amounts to a Government pension as far as the State subsidy goes, was made by Germany in 1889. The first straight old age pension was established by Denmark in 1891. There are several varieties of old age insurance and pension plans, and there is much difference of opinion as to their workings-out. We do not know of any evidence that old age pensions have done away with poorhouses or with poor relief. You will find a most complete discussion of the whole subject in a volume called "Social Insurance," by I. M. Rubinow, published by Henry Holt & Co. in 1913.

Indoor Tennis.

MAURICE DREYFUS.—Would you kindly advise me whether there is any public indoor tennis in the city of New York during the winter months? If not are there any private institutions which have facilities for indoor tennis, and could you give me some idea of their fees?

M. S. HORTON.—Can you tell me the names of places in the city where there are indoor tennis courts open to men and women?

There are no public indoor tennis courts operated by the City of New York. THE TIMES cannot give the names, addresses, or fees of private courts in its Query Column.

Pronunciation of "Allies."

C. M. WILSON.—Would you oblige one of your readers by telling how the word "allies" should be pronounced? Is it not correct to pronounce it with a long "i," as in "files," and with the accent on the second syllable? I have heard it pronounced like the plural of "alley."

The word "allies" is pronounced with the "i" long as in "files." The accent is "preferred," according to THE CENTURY Dictionary, on the second syllable of the noun "ally" and "allies," but emphasis on the first syllable is permissible. In the verb "ally" in all its forms, the accent must be placed on the second syllable.

The Boy Scouts.

G. M.—As a boy reader of your paper I would like to find out whether the Boy Scouts are military or not. I have heard that they are claimed to be anti-military, but I have also read that Gen. Baden-Powell offered 10,000 Boy Scouts for duty in England, and also that they have done so in France and Belgium. Which is wrong? Several other boys like myself would like to know whether the organization is military or not, and whether the training would be military.

The Boy Scouts are non-military. That is, the organization is neither military nor anti-military. Complete information as to the aims, work, and training of the Boy Scouts of America had best

be obtained direct from the organization's headquarters, 200 Fifth Avenue, where personal questions about the work of the Boy Scouts can be answered.

A French Newspaper.

A CONSTANT READER.—Is any French newspaper published here in New York City?

Le Courrier des Etats Unis, a French newspaper, is published in New York City.

Melrose Abbey.

MARY M. FERRER.—Kindly state in your Queries and Answers column what you can about Melrose Abbey, England.

Melrose Abbey is in Roxburghshire, Scotland, in a beautiful situation between the Eildons and the Tweed. David I. of Scotland founded an abbey at Melrose in 1136. It was several times torn down and rebuilt. The present famous ruins are what is left of the abbey built largely by the gift of Robert Bruce in the fourteenth century; they are the property of the Dukes of Buccleugh, and are carefully preserved. The abbey was a cruciform building in the decorated and perpendicular styles, with pronounced French influence. Much of the nave remains, with the two transepts, the chancel and the choir, two west piers of the tower, and the sculptured roof of the east end. Sir Walter Scott has immortalized the east window in "The Lay of the Last Minstrel." The heart of Robert Bruce is buried at the high altar. Sir William Douglas, "The Knight of Liddesdale," James, the second Earl of Douglas, and Alexander II., King of Scotland, are also buried in the abbey.

Compulsory Military Service.

M.—Will you please tell me which nation began the compulsory military service? I think it was France, but I am not sure.

Napoleon had "conscription" armies under the famous conscription law of 1793. In 1798, he was the first nation to put the universal military service and army reserve systematically in action was Prussia, at the time of the outbreak of the war of Liberation in 1813. The system has been developed since, and in the years since 1870 every European nation except Great Britain has adopted the compulsory service system.

German Princesses.

M.—Can you give me the names of the German Princesses whom the Czar's sons married? Can you tell me an address in New York where I can get photographs of foreign buildings?

Crown Prince Friedrich Wilhelm married Duchess Cecilie of Mecklenburg-Schwerin. Prince Wilhelm Eitel Friedrich married Princess Sophie Charlotte of Oldenburg. Prince August married Princess Victoria of Schleswig-Holstein. Prince Oscar's wife is not of royal birth.

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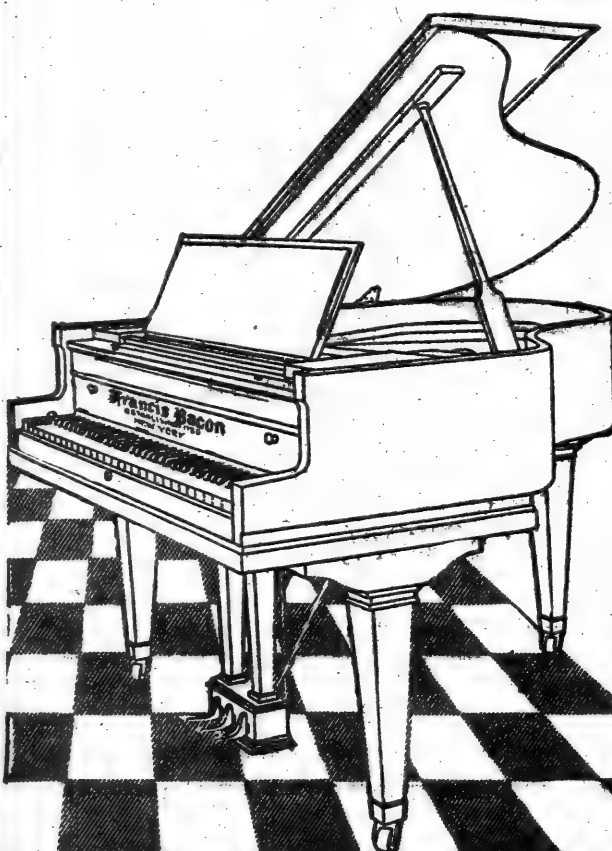
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AMERICAN ACADEMY OF ARTS AND LETTERS TO RECEIVE GOOD WISHES FROM THE FAMED FRENCH "IMMORTALS"

MILDLY resentful of any pleasure that would cite its members as "Immortals," and claiming no comparison with the old-established academies of Europe, the young American Academy of Arts and Letters is to receive the French academy's comradelike good wishes from the hands of M. Brieux this week. For although the American academy has neither the authoritative structure nor the authoritative office of the kindred bodies of Paris and Berlin, Madrid and Petrograd, the kinship itself is there; the American academy exists for the encouragement of arts and letters in the United States, and for the furtherance of a real esprit de corps among the leaders in the country's literature and art. It was founded a little less than ten years ago, as an association of chosen workers in letters, art, and music. Its fifty members are selected from the rolls of the National Institute of Arts and Letters. The Institute and academy award each year a medal for achievement in some branch of creative art, and this year they are to establish another award for workers who are not themselves members of the academy. In acting as joint host to M. Brieux on his first visit to this country, the organizations hope to establish the precedent for the entertainment of many distinguished foreigners. The American body is by no means "another French academy," but it is that assembly's closest kin in America.

The National Institute of Arts and Letters, from the membership of which is awarded the honor of belonging to the academy, is a body of 250 men and women who are prominent in literature, art, and music. The Institute was originally a branch of the American Social Science Association, and was founded by a committee of that organization in 1898. The Social Science Association has passed out of existence by this time, and the Institute members found, before that body had been established many years, that it would be advisable to organize a smaller association to do effective work in the furtherance of letters and art throughout the country. The academy was therefore chosen, in 1905, by a unique plan.

Seven representative members were selected from the Institute to form the nucleus and, as it were, the jury of the younger association. These seven members, the first of an American "Academy," were William Dean Howells, Augustus Saint-Gaudens, Edmund Clarence Steadman, John La Farge, Samuel Langhorne Clemens, John Hay, and Edward MacDowell.

M. Brieux, the Well-Known Dramatist, Will Extend Them at Meeting This Week—What the American Organization Is and Does.

These in turn chose eight additional members, Henry James, Charles Follen McKim, Henry Adams, Charles Eliot Norton, John Quincy Adams Ward, Thomas Raynesford Lounsbury, Theodore Roosevelt, and Thomas Bailey Aldrich. The fifteen thus chosen selected five other members of the Institute, and these twenty voted upon ten other academicians. The original membership was limited to thirty, but it was immediately decided that, as so many of the institution members were abroad or living at a distance from New York, a more comprehensive representation was desirable, and the number was increased to fifty.

These members now choose the new academicians to fill whatever vacancies occur. Two new members have been chosen during the last year, and their names will be announced at the meeting this week. The other charter academicians of the American body were Richard Jefferson, John Singer Sargent, Richard Watson Gilder, Horace Howard Furness, John Bigelow, Winslow Homer, Carl Schurz,

Alfred Thayer Mahan, Joel Chandler Harris, Daniel Chester French, John Burroughs, James Ford Rhodes, John Austin Abbey, Horatio William Parker, and William Milligan Sloane. Mr. Howells, the President of the academy, is the only member now living of the original seven men who created the organization. In addition to those of the first thirty who are now living, the academy's membership consists of Robert Underwood Johnson, the Secretary of the association; George Washington Cable, Andrew Dickson White, Henry van Dyke, William Cray Brownell, Basil Banneau Gildersleeve, Woodrow Wilson, Arthur Twining Hadley, Henry Cabot Lodge, F. Hopkinson Smith, Edwin Howland Blashfield, William M. Chase, Thomas Hastings, Hamilton Wright Mable, Brander Matthews, Thomas Nelson Page, Elihu Vedder, George Edward Woodberry, Kenyon Cox, George W. Chadwick, Abbott Thayer, John Muir, Charles Francis Adams, Henry Mills Alden, George de Forest Brush, William Rutherford Mead, John White Alexander, Bliss

Perry, Abbott Lawrence Lowell, James Whitcomb Riley, Nicholas Murray Butler, Paul W. Bartlett, Owen Wisner, Herbert Adams, Augustus Thomas, and Timothy Cole. Mrs. Julia Ward Howe is the only woman who has been elected to the academy's membership.

For the past six years the National Institute of Arts and Letters and the academy that is the Institute's offspring, have held joint annual meetings, in which addresses were made by American speakers, papers presented by American writers, and encouragement in the form of readings and concerts offered to American poets and musicians. It is one of the special features of the annual meeting here this week, as of that held in Chicago last year, that the new work of American composers will be presented at a concert under the joint auspices of the two bodies.

Last year the Chicago Symphony, under Mr. Stock's direction, presented at the Institute-academy concert works by Victor Herbert, Horatio Parker, George W. Chadwick, Edgar

Stillman Kelley, Arthur Foote, Mr. Stock, and Edward MacDowell. This year the concert, by the New York Symphony with Mr. Damrosch, will play for the first time compositions by Frederick A. Stock, E. S. Converse, Arthur Whiting, Charles M. Loeffler, and David Stanley Smith of Yale, who will conduct this year's music.

Among the writers, musicians, and artists who have addressed the academy and institute at their joint meetings are Richard Watson Gilder, Julia Ward Howe, Thomas Wentworth Higginson, Henry van Dyke, Robert Underwood Johnson, Henry Mills Alden, Nicholas Murray Butler, Lorado Taft, Percy Mackaye, Birge Harrison, Brander Matthews, Carroll Beckwith, Kenyon Cox, Thomas Hastings, William Gillette, Reginald de Koven, John Burroughs, Samuel McChord Crothers, and George W. Chadwick. The medal offered jointly each year by the two associations is open to all American artists, musicians and literateurs, while the new award to be inaugurated this year is

to be an occasional prize for exceptional achievement to which members of the academy itself are not eligible. The awards of this gold medal have been made to Augustus Saint-Gaudens for sculpture, James Ford Rhodes for history, James Whitcomb Riley for poetry, William Rutherford Mead for architecture, and Augustus Thomas for the drama. This year's medal is to be given to a distinguished American painter.

Robert Underwood Johnson, Secretary of the Academy, sums it up as a movement with a national and patriotic aim in literature and the arts.

"Within the limitations of numbers, the aim is to contribute something to better tendencies and larger sympathies in letters and arts," he said. "It is without personal, partisan, or sectional bias. Its meetings have been held with a view to encouraging esprit de corps among the various professions, and its proceedings are largely occupied with setting forth conditions of work in the United States and suggesting needed improvements. The academy takes particular care not to be a 'self-chosen' body, and to be free from all objectionable sense of that phrase. Its members are chosen, so to speak, by their peers, from the recruiting

ground of the institute, which was in its turn chosen by a committee. "Especially interesting attaches of course to the entertainment of M. Eugene Brieux at the joint meeting. M. Brieux, in addition to speaking to us on the theatre as the instrument of social progress, will bring to the young academy the honor of cordial greetings from the oldest and most notable of such bodies—the Académie Française. We hope to have other distinguished guests from time to time, and the Chancellor, Prof. Sloane, will have some interesting announcements to make concerning the future plans of the academy."

The National Institute of Arts and Sciences, of which the academy is an outgrowth if not actually a part, is a like organization, five times as large as the small body. Its aim, to quote its constitution, is "the advancement of art, music, and literature," and its President is Dr. Brander Matthews. The Vice Presidents are Arthur Whiting, Hamilton Garland, Robert Underwood Johnson, Hamilton Wright Mable, Harrison E. Morris, and Jesse Lynch Williams, and its Secretary is Henry D. Sedgwick. As Mr. Johnson points out, the existence of the two organizations and the honor of their membership aims, "so far as any distinction in membership is concerned, to offer a double stimulus to good work to artists of all kinds in America."

FINE POINTS FOR THE WOULD-BE EXPERT IN AUCTION BRIDGE

By Florence Irwin.

FROM far away across the sea there came to me this question: "What do you think the opening bid should be on these two hands?"

Hand 1: ♠KQ4, ♥A76, ♦KQ2, ♣A1098

Hand 2: ♠54, ♥KQ87, ♦KQ3, ♣KQ5

and

"During a recent sitting my partner dealt himself both hands on the same rubber, and on each occasion bid 'one no-trump,' in my own opinion a quite indefensible declaration. What do you say?"

Those two hands that look so similar are as different as night and day. I cannot imagine any one bidding no-trump on the first; I cannot imagine any one failing to bid no-trump on the second unless, indeed, the score was such that one or two odd, in clubs, would put him out. Then he should choose the club declaration in preference. But never on a clean score.

The very first test of a no-trumper is this: Has it more than one unguarded suit? If it has that is absolutely the end of your no-trumper. And, by the same token, it is the end of the first hand just given. Both diamonds and spades are unguarded. The hand must, therefore, be opened with "a club."

The second hand stands the test; it has but one unguarded suit—hearts. If hearts are bid against the hand the no-trumper is killed, unless the partner of the no-trump declarant holds a heart-stopper. If he does hold such a stopper and a trick or two besides he will raise the no-trump bid. If he does not, the no-trumper is dead, but the heart-declarant has, at least, been pushed to "two" instead of getting his bid at one.

To come back to our second hand, it stands the first test of holding but one unguarded suit. Its spades are but slightly guarded, I admit, and it has no established suit. But it holds some beautiful sequences—the diamond-stopper, being a sequence-stopper, is invaluable. It is sure to take the first, or the second, round of diamonds, or even both, (provided the diamond ace lies on its right.) A high sequence-stopper is invaluable.

The clubs are neat and compact. When the ace is gone the chances are that they will all be good. I should far rather hold those clubs than a scattered open suit that ran to the ace.

Then use the "average" test; if a hand is protected in three suits and is an "average" hand, it is a standard no-trumper, not a "possible" one, but a "standard" one. And an "average" hand holds these cards, (or their equivalents): One ace, one king, one queen, one jack, &c. Two kings and two queens may be considered the "equivalent" of one ace, one king, and one queen.

Our hand is shy of aces, but it holds in their places two kings, three queens, and a jack. Two kings and three queens are certainly the equivalent of one ace, one king, and one queen.

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Today there are countless hundreds, countless fifties, and the rubber value has jumped. So, relieved of our fears of 100 adverse aces, we bid aceless no-trumps.

Therefore the hand under discussion is a standard opening no-trump. Its lack of aces is no bar. It is protected in three suits. It stands the average test.

And so I wrote to my correspondent. I did not say it was an invulnerable no-trumper. I did not say that the ultimate declaration must necessarily be no-trumps. I said that "the correct opening declaration was one no-trump unless the score were well along." And so it is.

Back came the answer thus: "I do not remember how the remainder of the cards lay in the hand under dis-

cussion, but suppose, for the sake of argument, that they lay thus:

Hand 1: ♠AK93, ♥1085432, ♦104, ♣A10976

Hand 2: ♠Q8762, ♥A4, ♦J986, ♣54

"Suppose Z bid his no-trump and every one passed. Suppose A led his fourth best spade and B took it. Suppose B said to himself: 'I can lead the spades back at any time; I'll just lead now from the top of my diamond sequence.' Then what about your no-trumper?"

Now, really, that is a little too much. Suppose the cards did lie in that position, and Z did open with a no-trump, don't you all know that A would bid "two royals"? Of course he would. What man, holding six spades headed by ace-jack, a blank suit, and ace-small in another suit, would pass an adverse "one no-trump"? It is rarely profitable to defeat a one-bid. To pass those royals in the present instance would be to

throw "game in the hand." No "A" in the world would do it.

A would certainly bid—but we will grant that he doesn't. Y must. And that is where the beauty of it comes in. There is no getting around the fact that Y is absolutely obliged to overcall with "two clubs." And everything is all right.

The no-trumpers of the day are made possible only by the rules for overcalls. Any player who hears his partner open with "a no-trump," hears the next man pass, and sees himself with a hand that menaces no-trumps, must overcall with a two-bid in any suit in which he holds "five cards to an honor, or six cards to anything." Y, seeing himself with a six-card suit headed by an honor and with a side-singleton, would be absolutely obliged to overcall with "two clubs."

I pass over A's "pass" when he holds an excellent bid; I pass over B's forced return lead of a diamond when his only possible lead would be the five of spades; I pass over anything that either or both of the adversaries may, or may not, do or say. But the most elementary player in Y's place would see his duty and would do it. And we breathe again: The country is saved.

Take away Y's long clubs that form his club overcall and you must give him hearts enough to make a coking heart overcall, diamonds enough to shorten B's diamonds, or spades enough to make his ten a stopper. Of course, you might subtract two clubs and fill their places with one diamond and one spade, but then you either block the spade-suit in B's hand or shorten it in A's, and you certainly shorten the adverse diamonds. And that is the worst you can do if you sit down and think all day.

That was a made hand, specially designed to defeat Z-Y, and it failed to do it. Because no matter what A did, Y's duty was clear.

Take a normal hand under average conditions; let the bidding be fair and let the adversaries do what they would honestly do, instead of having them pass perfectly splendid makes. Grant a partner who knows his over-

calls. Make the adversaries play fairly, as they would in a closed hand, and see how often you will come to grief on that no-trumper. Even in the few cases when it would fail (if there could be such cases) it would not fail badly. Certainly no more than other standard bids frequently fail.

I have offered to answer any other situation in which the bid can be imagined.

I have seen a trick-hand in which a man holds six hearts with all the honors, and good side-suit, and is defeated. I think he is defeated at "one heart." If I remember rightly, but that hand proves nothing. It was made by straining; it wouldn't happen once in a thousand years. And the man who held it had an excellent heart-bid whether he was defeated or not.

Now, I like this discussion. Nothing appeals to me more than a good

fight, as my nullo-record will prove. But I want the conditions to be fair.

Speaking of nullo, the first thing that amazed me about them was their spread and growth. What now astounds and delights me is to see the grasp on them the average player is acquiring. We play them constantly, no longer with groanings. We play them, of course, in perfect silence, but not heavily nor laboriously, nor so slowly that it hurts. The cards fall as rapidly, the hand runs as fast, as in the old suits. Mistakes are rare, defeats infrequent and slight. The day has at last come when the average player "sees into" nullo as clearly as he sees into the rest of the game.

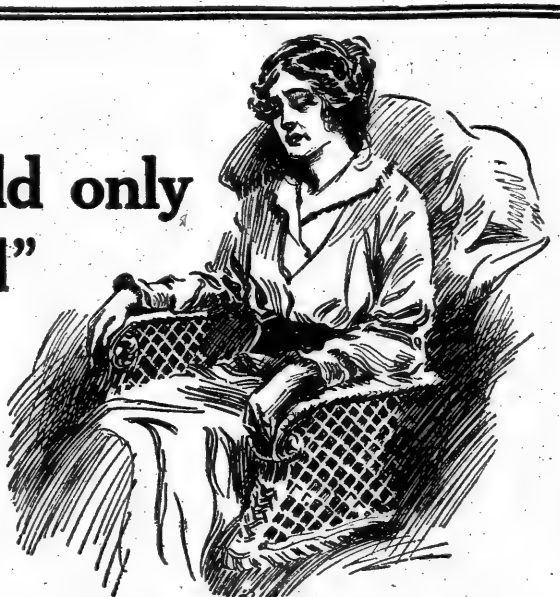
Deliver me from nulloless auction! Where I used to sit and say "no" and "no" all evening I am now in the thick of the fray, all the time. Where I used to see contracts going at one or two I now see everything

forced to the interesting point. I see players using all their wits to decide how high they dare bid, bidding to the utmost limit of safety, and then playing for all they are worth. I see no more flat and uninteresting hands. I see no nullo-pretenses, no nullo-nervousness, and but little remaining nullo-idocy. I win habitually, and nearly always heavily, though that, of course, is the thing that matters least. Long live nullo!

I hope next week to write on the test-hands of several weeks back. And I hope soon, thereafter, to write of auction-strategy. As a great general sees infinite strategic possibilities where a lesser mind would perceive but the obvious, so does a great player outgeneral a smaller one. I have saved some intensely interesting situations from recent games for your benefit. After a dinner comes auction, and after auction (and the return home) come the silent vigils when I write my notes on the actual plays in actual hands, so that my readers may receive practical rather than theoretical instruction.

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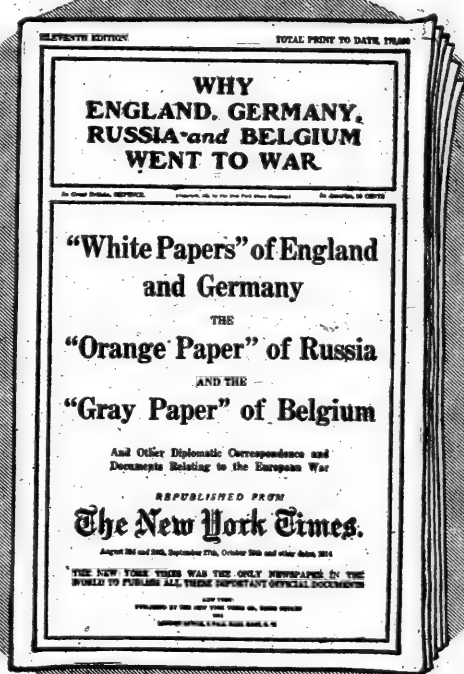
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FLORENCE MACBETH in "LUCIA" Century

The Opening of the Opera Season—What Is and Is Not Coming—Aubry's Record.

It is Mr. Gatti-Casazza's generalship that has enabled the Metropolitan Opera Company to begin its season tomorrow evening exactly as intended and planned long ago and with only the absence of one member of the company, Mr. Dinli Gilly.

Mr. Gatti-Casazza had to extract his artists from all sorts of predicaments in most of the warring nations. Diplomatic machinery was set in motion; and was more successful in the service of art than in averting war. It is understood, and is said with dire mysteriousness, that wires had to be pulled leading to the very highest places. Some of the missing were bearing arms at the front, others were in foreign prisons. Not only the rescue of such was necessary, but also the all-important and often-difficult problem of transportation had to be solved. And in all these things how successful Mr. Gatti-Casazza has been the result has shown.

It was, indeed, announced at one time that the season would open with Umberto Giordano's new opera, "Madame Sans-Gêne"; but managers and the public have long ago learned not to put too much reliance on the promises of composers touching their uncompleted works; and "Madame Sans-Gêne," apparently, for the present remains uncompleted. Probably public and managers alike will suppress whatever disappointment they may feel at having for the present to dispense with Giordano's new opera and will gain consolation from other offerings.

As to Giordano, whose opera was to open the season but will not, it may be said that he has not filled a very large place in the operatic record of the last few years in New York, nor have his operas made an incontestable record of success. The Metropolitan has never produced one of them. The last one heard here was his "Andrea Chénier," which Mr. Oscar Hammerstein somewhat accountably gave in one sole performance in the season of 1907-08, as a compliment to Mr. Campanini and his wife. In the same season he produced Giordano's "Siberia" as a part of his regular repertoire, but in only three performances.

Other promises of new things, or of revivals of half-forgotten old ones, in the impending season are interesting. And as Mr. Gatti-Casazza has had in recent years a way of keeping his promises concerning such matters, more than usual attention will be given them. Borodin's "Prince Igor" is one of the expected novelties, for which the way was evidently prepared by the success of Moussorgsky's "Boris Godunoff." It is a Russian opera company at the Drury Lane Theatre in London in the last two

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GEORGE L. HAMILTON,
Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y., Nov. 8, 1914.

The statement is extravagant, and the language intemperate and excessive. We doubt if unprejudiced persons familiar with the incident would consider M. Aubry to have been either "a damned rascal" or "a common thief." It is furthermore, certain that M. Aubry did not steal "all" his ideas in regard to the technique of mediaeval French music. The controversy centered about the interpretation of one particular period and one particular kind of mediaeval French music, that of the trouvères and the troubadours. Aubry did a great amount of work on other historical subjects in music that is held in the highest

METROPOLITAN OPERA HOUSE OPENS

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But it is clear that some of M. Aubry's colleagues, scholars intimately familiar with his work and best able to judge of it, do not agree with the committee of musicians who decided against him. Thus, one of the most distinguished, Johannes Wolf, a German, wrote that Aubry never needed to stretch his hand out to seize another's property and was morally not capable of doing such a thing.

Cases where two investigators have obtained similar results at the same time are not rare in the records of science; and the suspicions raised against Aubry are, in this scholar's opinion, unworthy of him. Certain French scholars, as Jules Combarieu, Romain Rolland, and others. It is unquestionable that his own undoubted achievements in musical archaeology have made him a name not to be forgotten.

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Mme. Elisabeth Schumann is a young German lyric soprano who replaces Mme. Bella Alten. She is a native of Thüringen and studied singing at Dresden with Henschel, and at Berlin with Dietrich. There she has remained ever since. Her repertoire includes Gretel, Micaela, Zerlina, Musetta, Cherubino, and Eva. She made her debut in 1909 at Hamburg as Sophie in "Der Rosenkavalier."

Mabel Garrison is an American girl and a native of Baltimore, where she studied at the Peabody Institute. She has a coloratura voice. Before her engagement by the Metropolitan Opera Company she had the experience of several years in English opera companies.

Mme. Raymonde Delaunoy, the new mezzo-soprano, is a native of Mons, Belgium. Since the war began she has had nothing of her mother, grand-mother, or her two uncles who brought her up since her father's death in her early youth. Her husband, Mr. Thomas,

PROGRAMMES OF THE WEEK

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Mme. Julia Culp is to be the soloist at the Philharmonic concert of Thursday evening and Friday afternoon. She will sing "The Lament of Arlinda," from one of the earliest of all operas—"Ariana"—by Claudio Monteverdi. Mme. Culp will also sing four of Brahms's songs, with piano accompaniment. The orchestral numbers will be Bach's Suite in D, Beethoven's Fifth Symphony, the Overture to Smetana's "Bartered Bride," and Henry Hadley's Tone Poem, "Lullaby"—its first performance in New York.

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The opening concert of the twenty-sixth season of the Manuscript Society of New York will occur Friday evening at the National Arts Club, Gramercy Park. The following composers will be on the programme: Vivian Burnett, M. Silver, Ed. Kileny, W. Ralph Cox of New York, and D. W. Miller of New York, Ohio. The artists will be May McGilguy and Catherine Bryce, sopranos; Lisbet Hoffmann, pianist; Hyman Eisenberg, cellist, and the composers.

Adolfo Jimenez, tenor, and Mrs. George McManis, soprano, will give a recital this evening in Carnegie Chamber Music Hall.

END OF CENTURY SEASON.

THE last week of the current season of the Century Opera Company will see the production of Donizetti's "Lucia di Lammermoor" on Tuesday evening and a special "farewell" bill Saturday night, in which "Pagliacci," the sextet and mad scene from "Lucia" and the last act of "Il Trovatore" will be sung, while the orchestra will give the overture to "Tannhäuser." In "Lucia" Tuesday night Florence Macbeth will have the title rôle and Orville Harrold will sing Edgar. Louis Kreidler will be Sir Henry Ashton, and Alfred Kaufman, Raymond, while the others will be Hardy Williamson, Elizabeth Campbell, and Frank Mansfield. A new English translation of the libretto by Algernon St. John-Brennan will be used. Josiah Zuro will conduct.

A slight rearrangement of the usual schedule will cause "Lucia" to be sung Tuesday and Friday evenings, and at the Thursday matinee, while "Aida," last week's new opera, will be sung Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday evenings and Saturday afternoon.

In "Aida" there will be several changes of cast for the week. Bettina Freeman will have the title rôle Monday and Wednesday evenings and Saturday matinee. Maude Stanley will be heard as Amneris Monday and Wednesday evenings. Miss Howard will sing the music of the Princess Thursday evening and Saturday afternoon. Mr. Kreidler, Mr. Bergman will alternate as Radames the former singing Thursday evening and the latter Monday and Wednesday evenings and Saturday matinee. Mr. Chalmers will be heard as Amnaso Monday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings, and Mr. Kreidler will sing the same part at the Saturday matinee. The orchestra will remain the same. Mr. Jacchia will again conduct.

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Second Thoughts on First Nights

"The Miracle Man," Rewritten and Revisited—"The Only Girl"—Mr. Yost—Mr. Dickens in the Movies.

THE long recognized tendency more and more to cultivate interest in the play at the expense of the modern play and is by no means confined to professors of the drama and to those who write pieces for magazines and papers. The dramatic idol is almost as extinct as the Dodo, and even the casual and easily pleased theatregoer can often be overheard in the intermissions audibly reconstructing the play. As a playwright and producer the great Mr. Cohan not only has a bigger audience but a bigger hold on the popular imagination than he ever had as a dancer and an actor.

When it was announced that he was to dramatize Frank L. Packard's widely read magazine story, there was much speculation as to how he would go about it, and scarcely had the final curtain fallen on the first night at the Astor, when every one, probably, from the critics to the call boy, began busily planning alterations. Since then hundreds have doubtless been engaged in mentally rewriting "The Miracle Man." This is interesting to note in the light of the fact that in that interval it actually has been rewritten by Mr. Cohan himself. A conspicuous and significant change was made in the play about a fortnight ago. "The Miracle Man" now on view at the Astor is a different and rather a better play than the one produced there two months back.

Those familiar with the story and the steadily increasing number of people familiar with the play know that it concerns a band of New York swindlers who try to exploit an old village faith healer for the lining of their own dirty pockets, and who, before their trick is turned, witness his greatest miracle in the regeneration of their own souls. As Mr. Packard told the story and Mr. Cohan wrote the play, the gang came to an intolerable dilemma, facing a choice between continuing the deceit or cruelly hurting the Patriarch by full confession. The release and the third act climax came with the Patriarch's sudden death. Had they been children in his hands? Had he known all along? They wondered. Mr. Cohan did not say. Now he does say, and the Patriarch himself lives to tell the tale.

This twist to the play, though it necessitated little alteration of the text, had that apparently only in the last quarter, can be felt throughout the entire length. It adds substance and importance somewhat the dramatic force of the story at the slight cost of bringing the Patriarch on again. This is a character so much more effective in the wings than in the spotlight that it was at least a question whether he might not better have been kept off the stage altogether, but the character is at once more potent and more feasible for stage purposes in the present version of "The Miracle Man."

"The Miracle Man" is worth going to see. It is by no means a subject for unqualified enthusiasm, but there is much that is sound and good and entertaining in Mr. Cohan's play, as written and as played. It is not easy to see how complaint can be made on the score of lack of insight. After all there is nothing in the subject or the story that, of necessity, calls for a more searching study than is here made, for the matter of fact in human thought provides at once a solution and evasion of the questions of philosophy, and can be handled in play or story either by one whose penetration goes to the depths of the human soul or by one who sees and describes but the surface of things.

The climax of the second act of "The Miracle Man" is one of the most genuinely tingling dramatic moments felt in the American theatre in recent seasons. It is thoroughly fine. And much of the playing is of the sort to cause rejoicing. James C. Marlowe is capital. So is Earle Browne. Frank Bacon's work has been applauded in this column before. Ada Gilman is hereby applauded. Percy Helton gives a beautiful performance as the little cripple and the credit of the play's big scene is partly his. And you may journey from one end of Broadway to the other without seeing a simpler and lovelier bit of playing than that done by Gerrie O'Brien as Mary Holmes in "The Miracle Man."

OCCASIONALLY it so happens that several plays come to town at the same hour, and it is not always possible to meet them all. And even when it is, the arrival of any one of them is likely to lose the distinction of being an event. Such an evening of many openings was the Monday before election, when the delightful Marie Tempest arrived at one theatre, and that very fine artist, Elsie Ferguson, arrived at another, while several old New Amsterdam favorites came back to Forty-second Street to the tune of Ivan Caryll. As if they were not enough, Joe Weber, producer, slipped into the Thirty-ninth Street Theatre, and hung up a sign to the effect that within there was to be seen, at so much a seat, an entertainment prepared by Henry Blossom and Victor Herbert from a play by Frank Mandel. Now everybody is telling everybody else not to miss seeing "The Only Girl."

Not because it is remarkable, for it is not remarkable. On the contrary, though carefully staged and skillfully done, it is most unpretentious. It is equipped with pretty, tripping music, but Mr. Herbert has done that before. Not many have done it better and precious few have done it oftener. It is amusing, but musical comedies are as likely to be as not—just about. The charm of "The Only Girl" lies in the fact that at every point it insists on getting out of step with that interminable line of entertainments called musical comedies and designed by those whose consuming passion, apparently, is to see that their work shall not differ in any conspicuous way from all the rest. What we get are variety shows, but of only one variety. The librettists will have their little joke, and sometimes you have been led to wonder wildly why they do not get a new one. But "The Only Girl" is deliberately different, and therefore delightful. It is funny. So, by the way, is Ernest Toren, who plays Andrew McMurray in it, and who is as Scotch as Bunt. It is pretty. It is clean. It is liked. It is farce, interrupted from time to time by songs, and in providing these Mr. Herbert has achieved the distinction of writing a dozen, with every one of them eminently whistleable.

Now "The Only Girl" is moving from the Thirty-ninth Street to the Lyric. Mr. Weber thinks he has a treasure, and he wants room for it. There will be more room in the orchestra pit for the brasses needed for Mr. Herbert's score and more room in the orchestra chairs for Mr. Weber's paying guests, of whom it is to be hoped, there will be thousands upon thousands.

ago, and after remaining lost in the shuffle for a little while, caught the public fancy and stayed and stayed. It not only served to introduce Philip Bartholomae to New York, but it brought suddenly to Broadway's errant attention the exceptional talents of a young actor named Herbert Yost. These won quick and warm recognition for a player who had been chiefly known before that for his stock company work in Boston. Mr. Yost scored in terms of New York favor, yet he departed when the farce did and was heard of hereabouts no more. There were tidings from time to time to the effect that he was "working in the movies," a way that actors have these days. And then last Tuesday evening, when that delectable playhouse, the Punch & Judy, was opened for its first performance, there was Mr. Yost again, playing an entirely different part in an entirely different way, and playing it so well there could be no doubt that for him the American premiere of "The Marriage of Columbe" was a brilliant personal success. The punch that delectable playhouse, the Punch & Judy, was opened for its first performance, there was Mr. Yost again, playing an entirely different part in an entirely different way, and playing it so well there could be no doubt that for him the American premiere of "The Marriage of Columbe" was a brilliant personal success. The punch that delectable playhouse, the Punch & Judy, was opened for its first performance, there was Mr. Yost again, playing an entirely different part in an entirely different way, and playing it so well there could be no doubt that for him the American premiere of "The Marriage of Columbe" was a brilliant personal success.

The interior of this midwest playhouse, with its dark, beamed ceiling, its curious boxes, its long, pewlike stalls, its great candles, its remarkable Chatterbox attendants with playbills tucked in their belts, its inviting lobby, and its prints and paintings, would alone justify a visit to the Punch & Judy. Everything except the play—shows such a nice judgment, and the general air of distinction and high endeavor gave edge to the amusing "overheard in the lobby" remark of one first-night wag, who said:

"All that is lacking to make this evening complete and perfect is to have Winthrop Ames come down the aisle and hiss."

BY the time these words are readable, "The Highway of Life," will have started its tour across the East River from Wallack's to the Montauk Theatre, thus ending the brief Broadway career of the unhappily launched but charmingly atmospheric dramatization of "David Copperfield." It was heralded on its arrival as the first dramatization of the book to be seen in New York for half a century, which may have been an oversight of the fact that it was seen here within half a year on the motion picture screen. And if, despite the warnings of experience, there is to be an insistence on transplanting the long, intermittent, ramifying narrative instead of merely the people and the color, then the movie is really the simplest solution, just as it is the simplest solution of "Uncle Tom's Cabin," of which the film version is the best stage form there is.

THE FIRST NIGHT CALENDAR.

"THE BIG IDEA," a play in four acts by A. E. Thomas and Clayton Hamilton. At the Hudson Theatre Monday night.

"UNE FEMME PASSA," a play by Romain Coolus. To be played in French by the French Drama Society at the Century Lyceum Monday night.

"WALLENSTEIN," by Schiller. By the German stock company at the Irving Place Theatre Wednesday night.

"WHAT IT MEANS TO A WOMAN," a play in four acts by E. H. Gould and F. Whitehouse. At the Longacre Theatre Thursday night.

"THE GARDEN OF PARADISE," a spectacular dramatization of Hans Christian Andersen's "The Little Mermaid," by Edward Sheldon. At the Park Theatre Friday night.

PRINCESS THEATRE—Three new plays commencing Saturday night.

THE coming week in the theatres offers plenty of variety even if the quantity of plays to be put forward does not come up to the standard set by other weeks. Cohan and Harris, who have been something more than remarkably successful in this remarkable new season, are sponsors for a new drama; the French Drama Society begins its season of plays in French; the German actors at the Irving Place Theatre will present another play; two women writers have combined in writing a play which comes into the Longacre Theatre; Edward Sheldon's long expected and much talked of dramatization of Hans Christian Andersen's fairy tale, "The Little Mermaid," which in dramatic form is to be known as "The Garden of Paradise," makes its bow, and three new plays move into the Princess Theatre. The new offerings are well distributed through the week.

The new Cohan and Harris offering, which those managers will present, together with Charles Gilmore, is "The Big Idea," which comes to the Hudson Theatre tomorrow night. It is only meagrely described by the producers as an unusual play from the pens of A. E. Thomas and Clayton Hamilton. The cast includes Ernest Glendinning, Richard Sterling, William Courtleigh, Forest Robinson, Harold Russell, George Wright, Jr., Harold Grau, Desmond Kelly, Isabel Garrison, Hazel Lowry, and Frances Wright.

The French Drama Society opens its season at the Century Lyceum tomorrow night with "Une Femme Passa" by Romain Coolus.

He brought along twelve new artists to reinforce his stock company.

Thursday night will find "What It Means to a Woman," a new modern play in four acts, housed in the Longacre Theatre. The principle rôle will be played by Rita Jolivet, who heads the cast including Frank Mills, Joseph Kilgour, Laura Nelson Hall, Alice John, Catharine Calhoun, Jean Newcombe, Juliet Shelby, Marion Lord, Florence St. Leonard, Royden Keith, Arthur Hyman and others.

"The Garden of Paradise" will be seen at the Park Theatre Friday night. The story of the play follows closely Hans Christian Andersen's story of "The Little Mermaid." The lines are Edward Sheldon's poetic transcript of the fanciful Danish author's fairy tale. The cast includes Littledee Power, Jessie Villars, Minnie Terry, Phyllis Thatchner, Emily Stevens, Lionel Braham, Sheridan Block, Harman B. Cheshire, Murray Kinnell, John Rogers, Ashton Tonge, Clarence Felner, Maud Hildyard, George Relf, W. W. Gear, Frank Conroy, A. L. Barrett, Bennett Kilpack, Hugh McCrae, Maurice Robinson, Richard Hale, Clifford Walker, Renee Kelly, Rosina Henley, Rosalie Mathieu, Agnes Dorntie, Eva Michener, Hazel Turner, and Euphemia Fowler.

An augmented orchestra, under the direction of Naham Franko, will play the incidental music for "The Garden of Paradise," written by Arthur Farwell.

The new programme at the Princess Theatre on Saturday evening will comprise but three one-act plays. Two of these, "Nettle," a comedy by George Ade, and "The Fog," a drama by Fredrick Truesdell, have already been announced. The third is said by Holbrook Blinn to be the most ambitious offering of the petite playhouse. It is a one-act play, in four scenes, by B. M. Dix—"Across the Border." The four scenes will be presented without any lowering of the curtain, and the play will consume about one hour. It will require a larger cast than has been seen in a Princess play before, utilizing fourteen principals. Mr. Blinn has a rôle unique in his wide repertoire, and a young Englishman of considerable London note, David Powell, will have an important part. The author of "Across the Border" was co-author of "The Road to Yesterday" and "The Breed of the Treshams."

"TWELFTH NIGHT" NEXT WEEK

Miss Neilson-Terry to Open at the Liberty.

Owing to previous contracts made by the Liebler Company for the debut of Phyllis Neilson-Terry at the Liberty Theatre beginning Monday, Nov. 23, Mrs. Patrick Campbell in "Pygmalion" will be obliged to move that week to Wallack's Theatre.

Miss Neilson-Terry will be seen during her first American season in a repertoire of classic plays. She will make her debut at the Liberty Theatre in the character of Viola in "Twelfth Night," which she played with Sir Herbert Tree as Malvolio at His Majesty's Theatre, London.

Miss Terry will be surrounded by a cast including Henry E. Dixey as Malvolio, Eben Plympton as Sir Toby Belch, Lawson Butt (who succeeded Lewis Waller in "The Garden of Allah") as Orsino, and Miss Jessie Busley as Maria. The rest of the cast include Miss Edith Campbell Walker as Olivia, Edgar Kent as Fabian, James Berry as Antonio, Cecil Cameron as Feste, Walter R. Crighton as Sir Andrew Aguecheek, Reginald Goode as Sebastian, Roy Cochran, William Giffard, Reynolds Evans, Maxwell Ryder, Claude Stevens, and Frederick Guest.

TO BE CONTINUED.

Astor—"The Miracle Man."
Beltz—"Leo Ditrachstein."
Booth—"Experience."
Casino—"Suzi."
Candler—"On Trial."
Cohan's—"It Pays to Advertise."
Comedy—"Marie Tempest."
Cort—"Under Cover."
Edging—"Innocent."
Empire—"Diplomacy."
38th Street—"Law Fields."
48th Street—"The Law of the Land."
Fulton—"Twin Beds."
Gaiety—"Daddy Long-Legs."
Globe—"Montgomery and Stone."
Harris—"Nazimova."
Hippodrome—"Wars of the World."
Knickerbocker—"Girl from Utah."
Liberty—"Mrs. Patrick Campbell."
Little—"Pair of Silk Stockings."
Lyceum—"Elsie Ferguson."
Lyric—"The Only Girl."
Manhattan—"Life."
Maxine Elliott's—"Mr. Wu."
New Amsterdam—"Papa's Darling."
Playhouse—"My Lady's Dress."
Punch & Judy—"The Marriage of Columbe."
Repub—"Kick In."
Shubert—"William Faversham."
Winter Garden—"Dancing Around."

Law Fields to Move.

Tomorrow night when Law Fields moves from the Republic Theatre to the Thirty-ninth Street Theatre "The High Cost of Loving" will celebrate its 100th performance in New York, and the 114th of its existence. This is a record enjoyed by no other theatrical attraction now in the city. "The Girl from Utah" and "Under Cover" both celebrate their centennial next week.

Richard Walton Tully Honored.

Richard Walton Tully, author of "Omar the Tentmaker," has received word that he has been chosen as one of thirteen distinguished Californians whose names have been selected to adorn the "Hall of Fame," which is being erected in San Francisco by the Native Sons of the Golden West Association. Other Californians who have won national reputations for themselves, and are being selected from sculptors, artists, and authors.

THE CHORUS GIRLS' REVIEW OF WILLARD MACK'S PLAY

He Records, Among Other Things, All He Heard Them Say About "Kick In" Before He Took to His Heels.

By Willard Mack.

Mr. Mack is an actor-playwright, and "Kick In," a highly entertaining crook melodrama, is the first sample of his work submitted to New York. It opened some weeks back at the Longacre Theatre, and tomorrow evening it moves down to the Republic Theatre.

I writing an article describing my own personal views upon my play "Kick In," now being presented by A. H. Woods at the Republic, I should preface all further remarks by saying:

"I think it's a very neat little bit of drama." There is nothing very original in that, is there? Most authors think along the same lines. The great difficulty being to have Mr. and Mrs. Audience share your viewpoint.

So many people, upon meeting me for the first time, seem disappointed in not seeing me in a sweater, the idea being, I presume, that the man who writes "rough stuff" must have had rather a hard education somewhere, somehow, some time, and that, such being the case, the result of aforementioned education must have bequeathed to said recipient some thumb-nails of the past, like the calluliferous ear on the pugilist. And I dare say such deductions are very human.

My desire to glean information concerning the denizens of the underworld began to accrue at an early age. There was something always terribly fascinating to me about a murder trial, and no matter what the evidence presented against the accused, I always found myself making excuses for the criminal and hoping he would be acquitted, which I know you will readily grant was not a normal condition. So, with many shadowgraphs of the past constantly flitting across my memory, my rather sympathetic outbreak began to take form in the manner of writing about those things which it seemed I cared most to analyze. In other words, since it was denied me, to become a lawyer, (my own fault, by the way,) and rise up before the jury in my majestic wrath, I decided: I would create cases of my own imagination, try the cases myself on paper, acting as judge, jury, and the entire display of legal fireworks. And so without more ado I wrote "crook stuff," and there you are.

But I have strayed from my objective point, that of criticizing my own play. After having said that I shall plead guilty to the charge of having written a bulky good play, (this boy hates himself.) I should prefer to sidestep the issue and tell you of a partial review of "Kick In" I overheard the other evening while seated behind two chorus girls who were viewing the play. When the curtain dropped upon the first act this is what I heard:

Grace—Lemme see your menu card, I dropped mine on the floor, and with this new straight jacket on—well— (Grace hands over her programme.)
Grace—I told you that was Josie Victor playing that Myrtle dame. She ain't changed a bit since she was with the "Pink Lady."
Estelle—What are you talking about, she wasn't with the "Pink Lady."
Grace—She wasn't—I am crazy I guess? Why I dressed right next to her for a season.
Estelle—Why, you poor nut, that was Josephine Smith.
Grace—Was it? Oh, yes, so it was, the names are so much alike.
(A fat man across the aisle sneezes and I hold my breath.)
Estelle—How do you like the play?
Grace—Well, I'll tell you, Stel, I am very strong for the first fitting, stick around, and I'll tell you later.
Estelle—What did we see that Big Bill in last year—that Gillespie fellow?
Grace—"Grumpy," wasn't it?
Estelle—My Gawd, no—that was Eddie Roy.
Grace—Oh yes, so it was.
Estelle—I have seen him somewhere, he always plays scoundrels.
Grace—Barrymore's lovely, ain't he?
Estelle—Oh, he's always good—he looks just like them ads for Arrow collars.
Grace—(To man stepping on her feet as he resumes seat.) There's some people come to the theatre that ought to be in trenches. They could do more damage, maybe—
Estelle—Sh, the rag is raising!
(Curtain ascends; both ladies seem much interested during act.)
Grace—(After the second act) Ugh, the dirty little asphend, he had the rocks all the time.
Estelle—What do you think of him? He's a nice-looking little mut, ain't he?
Grace—Yes; but he's certainly using his sister rotten.
Estelle—And then so good to him, too.
Grace—Oh, well, he can be nice when he wants to. I saw him in that other show, you know, "The Family Chest."
Estelle—No, not chest, refrigerator.
Grace—"The Family Refrigerator"! Marle, my sunshade! What are you talking about?
Estelle—Well, it was something about something to eat.
Man in front—Excuse me, ladies, "The Family Cupboard."
Both Girls—Thank you very much.
Grace—I think it's a dandy show. Who wrote it?
Estelle—Why, Willard Mack.
Grace—You don't mean that actor that was out in Salt Lake City so long? For the love of Mike, did he? Why, I knew him when— (Author hastily leaves at this point.)

CURTAIN.

HOW ELEANOR PAINTER STARTED

THERE are a good many reasons why a trip to the Forty-fourth Street Theatre is worth while just now, and probably the best of these reasons is Eleanor Painter. It is she who sings the title rôle in "The Lilac Domino."

Miss Painter is an American soprano with a German training. She is slim, dark, pretty, and as graceful a prima donna as you would find in many and many a moon. Also, she most decidedly can sing. And her years are twenty-five.

Miss Painter can tell a very interesting story of hard work, of hopes aroused and deferred, of her start here in New York when she sang as a contralto soloist in a church, of her arrival in Germany with the prospect of acquiring her musical education on an allowance of only \$50 a month, and of the hours of reward when Strauss himself played an accompaniment for her, and when, finally, she came to sing opera in Berlin.

But none of these stories is quite so interesting as the one that shows how it all began and how she first got the notion that she could sing. This happened when she was 15. The place was

a road in Colorado Springs. The girl, who had been shipped out there for her health from her home in Omaha, was riding on a bronco pony and singing a popular air as she rode, when she was stopped on the road by two women, who asked her name and if she would like to study singing.

Now it happened that one of these women was Mme. Esperanza Garrigue, a New York vocal teacher, and she and her sister, Alice Nott, started Eleanor Painter on her studies. She studied for a year in Colorado, and then, with some funds raised for her benefit, she journeyed to New York to climb the next rungs of the ladder. Berlin came later and finally Andreas Dippel and the prima donna rôle in "The Lilac Domino."

New Dancer for "Suzi."

Miss Haynelle Morris, a young American dancer, who played for three seasons at the Royal Theatre, Budapest, and who arrived from Europe Wednesday, has joined the "Suzi" company at the Casino, and will give a solo Hungarian dance in the third act of that opera at the Casino, beginning tomorrow night.

A LEAF FROM THE THEATRICAL SCRAPBOOK

TOPPING THE VAUDEVILLE BILLS

PALACE THEATRE—Bessie Clayton in "Dances of Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow"; La Milo in artistic poses, and Conroy and Lemaire in their funny skit, "The New Physician."

HAMMERSTEIN'S VICTORIA—Ching Ling Foo and his company of Oriental magicians; Walter Kelly, the "Virginia Judge," and Stuart, the "Male Patti."

BROADWAY THEATRE—"The Count and the Maid," a one-act musical comedy; the Sherman DeForest Company in "A Jay Circus" and a new political sketch, "The Bribe."

ALHAMBRA THEATRE—Eddie Foy and the seven little Foyes; Julius Steger and company in "The Warning," and George Whiting and Sadie Burt.

ROYAL THEATRE—Jack Wilson in his "Impromptu Revue"; Ruth Royce in ragtime songs, and Lipinski's dog comedians.

COLONIAL THEATRE—Harry Fox and Jennie Dolly; Martin Brown and Rozsika Dolly, and Joe Howard and Mabel McCane.

"UNDER COVER" FOR BLIND.

Special Matinee for the Sightless at Cort Theatre:

There will be a special matinee of "Under Cover" at the Cort Theatre on the afternoon of December 3, given exclusively for blind persons. The matinee will be in the hands of Mr. Holmes of the Matilda Ziegler Magazine for the Blind.

The acceptance of the invitations will give "Under Cover" on this occasion a remarkable audience of at least 1,500 persons, the capacity of the theatre. The general public will not be admitted and the performance will be strictly for the blind. The programs will be printed in the raised point system, which can be easily read by blind folks.

A printed synopsis of the events occurring in each act will be read to the sightless audience before the curtain rises. Such matters as the turning of a key in the door, the tampering with a lock in the desk and the dropping of a tobacco pouch containing pearls, and other business in the play, will be accentuated in order that the significance of the action may not fail to be conveyed to those who can hear but not see. The characters in the play will be described to the sightless before they appear.

A special matinee for the blind was given of "Within the Law" some two years ago, which attracted attention the world over, but on this occasion the players did not appear in costume, it being supposed that the "blind" audience would not notice the difference. It was learned afterwards that not a few of the sightless ones realized this and they expressed regret that they could not "see" Miss Cow's gowns.

A MOLIERE BREADTH IN "MY LADY'S DRESS"

By Frank Vernon.

Mr. Vernon is the man under whose direction "My Lady's Dress," Edward Knoblauch's latest masterpiece, both at the Playhouse, where it has been playing for several weeks and at the Royal Theatre in London, where, after an enormously successful run of many months, it has just given its revival of Mr. Knoblauch's equally distinguished work, "Milestones."

THERE may be a thousand different and effective ways of performing the plays of Shakespeare. Each school of acting creates its own particular method of presenting the works of the greatest of all dramatic poets. Between the early rhetorical style of a few generations ago and the present, subdued, impressionist form of giving expression, there have been many attempts at beautifying the beautiful, each one of which has reflected the age in which it has been put into effect. Every school of Shakespearean acting has found a following in various periods and countries, but today Shakespearean tradition is a by-word among the intellectual, something to be despised and derided by the truly "cultured." Away in the corner of every theatre, far behind the critic of modern taste, there sits in solitude the one of whose chosen Shakespeare bade us beware. May it not be conceivable that, to him, modern art, with its undoubted influence upon the stage of today, has robbed the author of "Hamlet" of one of his greatest charms—that of simplicity?

If from the shades of the past we had to call forth the shade of the one most worthy of paying homage to the memory of the founder of the drama, of the English-speaking world, no past master of English writing would be so eligible for that proud distinction as a Frenchman who was almost Shakespeare's contemporary. Jean Baptiste Moliere could place the crown on Shakespeare's head. Then truly genius would approach genius.

And yet for those who gained the knowledge of these representative writers through the medium of the stage itself, how differently time has served them both! For the one, modernity has excluded tradition. For the other, it has voted that tradition-forms much of the charm of representation. Through the centuries certain formulae for the playing of Moliere has been handed down from generation to generation of players until it has reached the stage of the present-day Comedie-Francaise. In the French theatre Moliere is given now as he was first given in the mid-seventeenth century. Even in this realistic age of the theatre, not one lot of the charm of artificiality has been taken from Moliere; all that has been well guarded by the subsidized theatre of France whose Directors and public demand that Moliere plays shall be given the true Moliere spirit now and for always.

The artificial manners of the seventeenth century must be set forth in an artificial form. Can one imagine "Le Ecole des Femmes" being played in modern conversational tones? Yet how refreshing it is to have one's imagination stimulated in this realistic age by a visit to any French theatre upon a Moliere night. One seems to take a jump from one extreme to another.

In miniature form New York audiences are today taking this jump from tradition to artificiality, for at the Playhouse the principal female character in "My Lady's Dress," played by Miss Mary Boland, dreams herself back in Moliere surroundings. For the making of the face of the dress her mind wanders back to 1660, in Holland, the very time when Moliere was writing his most successful comedies in Paris.

The representation of this scene is presented with the real Moliere tradition. Mr. Leon Quatremaine represents a superbly splendid Louis XIV. dude, and all the characters of this episode of the play are performed with that light-hearted naïveté and simplicity which chronicles the spirit of that period. The writing of that scene, the method of production, the music and the scenery itself might have been lifted bodily from a scene from any play by the author of "Le Malade Imaginaire." Contrast is the strongest feature of Edward Knoblauch's very human piece of work, "My

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Lady's Dress," but here is contrast with a vengeance. In this lightest of light comedy one does not notice that the audience is being addressed directly by the actors, that every movement is extremely artificial, or that the performers are walking the stage with a very assumed grace. One almost expects a liveried servant to walk across the stage and sniff the flops, which in modern parlance are called footlights. Then before "My Lady's Dress" is taken back to the present age of grace and realism, the actors of this particular scene bow low and courtesy as a sign that they still are "His Majesty's Servants," one cares little that Louis XIV. is dead, for the much-deplored tradition has worked its charm and has taken us back to an age when tradition meant much to the manners of mankind, the manners of men and women for whom that merry comedy writer, Moliere, wrote his gems of comedy.

BROOKLYN THEATRES.

DE KALB THEATRE—"The Things That Count" is back in Brooklyn for a week's stay at the De Kalb.

MONTAUK THEATRE—"The Highway of Life," which has been playing at Wallack's Theatre, moves over to Brooklyn tomorrow night.

MAJESTIC THEATRE—Fritz Schaff brings "Fretty Mrs. Smith" over to the Majestic tomorrow night.

BUSHWICK THEATRE—The vaudeville bill is headed by Kitty Gordon in "Alma's Return," Valerie Bergers in "The Lion Tamer," and Francis Dooley and Corinne Bayles.

PROSPECT THEATRE—Master Gabriel and company in "Little Kicks," Wellington Cross and Lois Josephine, and Paul Morton and Naomi Glass head the bill at the Prospect Theatre.

ORPHEUM THEATRE—The vaudeville bill is topped by Mr. and Mrs. Currier De Haven, Belle Blanche, and Maude Lambert and Ernest Ball.

IN OTHER THEATRES.

BRONX OPERA HOUSE—"Within the Law" comes back to New York tomorrow night for a week's stay at the Bronx Opera House. Catherine Tower has the role of Mary Turner in this company.

STANDARD THEATRE—Another old favorite comes back tomorrow in "The Yellow Ticket," which begins a week's engagement at the Standard. Florence Reed still heads the cast.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE—David Belasco will bring Frances Starr to the Grand Opera House tomorrow night for a week's stay in "The Secret."

NEW YORK THEATRE—"The Traffic," a play which had a long run in Chicago, is the new offering at the New York Theatre at popular prices.

OLYMPIC THEATRE—"The Gay Morning Glories" come to the Olympic tomorrow with a new burlesque performance and a long list of variety entertainers.

COLUMBIA THEATRE—Lew Kelly and the New Beeman Show will be at the Columbia this week with an original burlesque, "The Dope's Legacy."

MURRAY HILL THEATRE—"Tango Queens" is the title of the burlesque organization at the Murray Hill this week.



MINUTE VISITS IN THE WINGS

JOHN MASON has departed with "Big Jim Garrity" from the realm of dollar melodrama, and though the farewell night of the engagement came unexpectedly early, it was enlivened by several mishaps which made it one of considerable gaiety. The trouble began in the first act, when, as the burly convict, Mr. Mason strode to the fireplace and, in the Sherlock Holmes fashion, reached for the poker to bend across his biceps just to show how terribly strong he was. One was waiting for him with a soft metal in the middle to make the trick simple. By accident he picked up the shovel instead, and the audience was rejoiced by the spectacle of his vainly trying to bend that bit of iron out of shape.

The second mishap came in the third act, when Big Jim, tied to a swivel chair, had to tweak a revolver from the table by twitching the cloth, catch it in falling, and shoot the villain down while the lamp fell from the villain's hands. It was disastrous when the revolver fell all the way to the floor that late evening, and in landing forward to reach it, Mr. Mason broke the chair and pitched forward with the seat and back attached to him in the fashion of an unbecoming bustle. As he was still bound he could not get up, and there was that villain at liberty, still enlivening the world with the uplifted lamp, patient waiting to be shot. There was a dreadful pause, and then, in the wings, a bright prompter fired a pistol. The villain fell. So did the curtain—to tumultuous applause.

WILLIAM ELLIOTT, who has his name in electric lights now as a manager and actor, might have blazed forth on Broadway in an entirely different sort of a sign if he had been the way the sign would have read, for the senior Elliott intended that his son should become a dentist. "I went to the Harvard Dental School," said William himself the other night in his dressing room at the Booth Theatre, where he is playing with "Experience." He had been allowed to control his destiny. "Painless Elliott" might have been the way the sign would have read, for the senior Elliott intended that his son should become a dentist. "I went to the Harvard Dental School," said William himself the other night in his dressing room at the Booth Theatre, where he is playing with "Experience." He had been allowed to control his destiny. "Painless Elliott" might have been the way the sign would have read, for the senior Elliott intended that his son should become a dentist. 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Drama of FAIRY TALES.
"THE LITTLE MERMAID"
PRODUCTION DESIGNED AND PAINTED
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COSTUMES BY ALEXANDRO SAPPOLI
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WEDNESDAY (POP.) & SAT. MATINEES.
SPECIAL THANKSGIVING DAY MAT.
SEAT SALE OPENS TUESDAY 9 A. M.
MAIL ORDERS FILLED AND FILLED IN THE
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Commencing Tomorrow Night (Direct from the Longacre Theatre)

The Season's Sensational Success
How "Kick In" Impressed the Critics:
World—Something to make one's heart
thump.
Herald—Had the first-nighters applau-
ding as they seldom do.
Times—Genuine suspense and humor.
Tribune—Many tense moments.
Sun—The swiftness of the action never
halts.
American—Strong play and well acted.
Press—Broadway will be grateful to the
author.
Mail—Fully quivers, so dramatically
tense.
Globe—Kept the audience in a state of
excitement.
Eve. Journal—Stormed its way into popular
approval.
Eve. World—Melodrama with a punch
and a jab.
Telegram—Every pulse is stirred.

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MR. CHARLES GILMORE
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THE BIG IDEA
AN UNUSUAL PLAY
By A. E. Thomas and Clayton Hamilton.
(DIRECTION COHAN & HARRIS)
With the Following Cast:
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Richard Sterling
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NO MORE ELECTION BULLETINS

JOHN R. FITZPATRICK, manager of the Hippodrome, has an idea that election returns will be arrived from the big show house on all future election days or nights. During the late election a telegraph ticker rattled and clattered in the office of the Hippodrome while a trained newspaper man "boiled down" the mass of facts and figures to brief, condensed bulletins, which were conveyed to Mr. Fitzpatrick, who read them at intervals from the orchestra pit. Governors were howled out of office and new men elevated to that honor. Senators rose and fell, the victories and defeats of great political parties were recited, but without arousing any indication of interest on the part of the audience. Finally the idea burst upon Fitzpatrick's mind that the assembly

had come to witness the spectacle of "Wars of the World" instead of a political educational lecture, so he decided upon a crucial test. "Ladies and gentlemen, here is a bulletin of unusual interest," he thundered. "William Burke of Catterang County, author of 'Fixing the Furnace,' has been elected Game Warden by a plurality of 14 over Oscar Spiffens." The members of the orchestra nearly fell off their seats, but there was neither shock, surprise nor amusement in the audience. It was just as apathetic as when the bulletin was read announcing the Penrose victory in Pennsylvania—it simply paid no attention to either. "That settles it," said Fitzpatrick. "I suspected it all the time, but didn't have the nerve to accept the fact. Boys, cut out that telegraph service!"

MARBLE-TOP TABLES BOON FOR PROMOTERS

Irvin Cobb Suggests Way to Keep German Waiters from Destroying Many Valuable Schemes.

IRVIN COBB has just returned from Europe, where for three months he has been passing the news of battle, murder and sudden death. Despite the grimness of what he has seen and had to chronicle, Cobb's humanly humorous point of view is no wise in eclipse. Shortly after he got back to New York he dropped into the Reliance-Mutual plant, where "Our Mutual Girl" serial is produced. Cobb has been photographed several times with Norma Phillips, heroine of the serial, and just before he went to Europe wrote four chapters of the story. Miss Phillips now becomes sponsor for the following yarn of one of Cobb's many adventures:

When he was in Aix-la-Chapelle, whither the Germans had taken him as a non-paying guest so that he might learn just what was happening in Brussels and Ghent and Ostend, Cobb spent his rather long evenings at café tables, quizzing German wounded or Belgian refugees. He noticed that all the cafés had marble-topped tables and that these tops usually were covered with figures. Cobb asked a Herr Lieutenant what it all was about.

"Every American who has been here two hours has a plan for making a fortune out of it," Cobb's informant said. "These plans are flexible. They can be compressed or extended to suit the amount of capital possessed by the person who is the American's auditor. It all swings on how the industries of Germany, somewhat hampered by the war, can be developed."

"How do you mean?" queried Cobb. "If you have as much as \$2 cash you will be told to buy a live of bees. The next day the bees will swarm, and then you will have two. Your bees will visit your neighbors, and when the visits are returned you can corral the strangers, and you soon will have four swarms. On this progression you will have 800 swarms in a year or so, and every swarm will yield a net profit of \$5 a year."

"And then what happens?" "Well, if you have \$500 you can go into the chicken business, and then you will have an income of \$8,000 a year, and an investment of \$8,000 will put you in right in the sugar-beet business. It is figures and figures leading up to these totals that you see on these table tops."

Therapion Cobb took out a pencil and began figuring on his own account. After a minute he exclaimed, "I've got it! There's a fortune in it!"

"Permit me," said his English-speaking German friend, who confessed to having lived ten years in New York, "to call your attention to a famous American remark, 'That's what they all say!'"

"No, really I've got it. Now you listen to me." And Cobb, his pencil hovering in the foreground, explained his plan:

"These marble tops," he said, "always are chippy. Just as your victim is nearly landed he puts his arms on the table tops and gets a chill. The chill is communicated to his feet. The result is that your scheme fails. Now, my plan is to have these table tops made of a composition that will not be as cold as marble and will have no foot-colling effect when the arms rest on it."

"I see you have caught the spirit of Aix-la-Chapelle," said the Herr Lieutenant. "But I neglected to tell you that about the time your fortune is made along comes a waiter with a damp towel and wipes out your figures, your fortune, and your warm arm-rests."

"Was Cobb stumped? Not at all. He asked:

"What'll they fine a man for killing the waiter before he uses his damp towel?"

NOT A REAL WAR.

Name of Hippodrome Spectacle Confusing to Public.

In an effort to overcome the general impression that the current offering, "Wars of the World," has some relation or reference to the conflict raging abroad, the management of the New York Hippodrome has arranged a communication to the leading organizations of New York setting forth the real character of the attraction, which is described as "a flirtation with history."

After running nearly three months the management has ascertained, through diligent inquiry, that the name of the attraction has proved sufficiently misleading to deter some patrons from attending the performance, hence the present campaign of education to inform the public as to the real character of the production. The employment of the title "Wars of the World" is purely in an allegorical sense. This is attested by such episodes as "War of Sports," "War of Pleasure," etc., all of frivolous nature.

Girl from Utah's Birthday.

Next Wednesday night will be extraordinary in more than one way at the Knickerbocker Theatre when Julia Sanderson, Donald Brian, Joseph Cawthorn and their companion players in "The Girl From Utah" become a hundred nights old. For a week or more already preparations have been secretly carried on to observe the night and give not only the girl, but the boys from Utah, a very original stage birthday party.

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HAS NEW PLAN FOR STAGE LIGHTS

A NEW device to control the light effects on stages, the invention of a Boston man, is on exhibition at 714 Fifth Avenue, in connection with the display of the art of the theatre.

This invention, which the inventor says promises to revolutionize the lighting of stages, is a compact little contrivance somewhat on the order of an organ. The stops, such as an organ has, control the light colors, which are blended and harmonized by other stops. Each day at 4 o'clock this device is demonstrated, and it has been a source of much wonderment and interest to the theatrical managers and producers who are interested in overcoming, if possible, the confusion and misjudgment which so often lead to incongruous light effects in theatrical productions.

The Stage Society exhibition is being given under the direction of Mrs. Norman Haggood, and among those who are generally with her are Mrs. Amos Pinchot, Mrs. Patrick Campbell, Mrs. Charles Dana Gibson, Mlle. Dorziat, Mr. and Mrs. August Belmont, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Crosby, Mrs. Archibald Alexander, William Faversham, and Paul Cravath.

Yesterday the exhibition was for children, and the regular admission fee was reduced one-half. The profit from the show will be turned over to the Committee of Mercy or White Cross, an international, neutral, non-sectarian organization which is striving throughout the Union to raise money to alleviate the destitution among the women and children and other non-combatants in the war in Europe.

Toys for "Suzi" Audiences.

Otto Hauerbach, not content with collecting his royalties as author of "Suzi" and directing chorus rehearsals, has discovered a new field of activity, and yesterday he presented to the management 50,000 toys to be distributed to the patrons of the Casino Theatre. These toys are in the form of a tin beetle and when pressed together make a noise like the tick of a watch. Mr. Hauerbach's idea is to have the audience press these toys while Jose Collins and Tom McNaughton are singing the song "Ticking Love Taps for You." The method in Mr. Hauerbach's madness is that it may increase his royalties from the song.

Harry Lauder Coming.

William Morris will present Harry Lauder at the New York Theatre for one week beginning with a matinee Monday, Nov. 23. The Scottish comedian, now engaged in his seventh tour of this country, will offer a series of numbers from a new song repertoire which he has assembled for the forthcoming engagement. Lauder returned from Australia Oct. 15.

Columbia University Plays.

The Philolexian Society of Columbia University will present for the first time in America "The Chronicle History of King Lear at the Brinckerhoff Theatre, Broadway, at 119th Street, on Friday and Saturday evenings and on Saturday afternoon. Since 1910 the society, continuing its policy of producing Elizabethan plays, has given several of the old masterpieces, including "Ralph Roster Dolester" and "Friar Bacon and Friar Bungay."

Harcourt Writes New Book.

Cyril Harcourt, who is appearing at Winthrop Ames's Little Theatre in his own comedy, "A Pair of Silk Stockings," has just completed a new novel entitled "First Cousin to a Dream." It is a sequel to his other novel, "The World's Daughter," and will be brought out shortly by the sage publishers.

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LATEST DEALINGS IN THE REALTY FIELD

J. Harper Poor Sells His Residence Recently Completed on Sixty-ninth Street.

\$350,000 WEST SIDE LEASE

Activity Continues in the Bronx—Buyers at Garden City—The Leasing Market.

The feature of the realty market yesterday was the sale by J. Harper Poor of his new residence at 33 East Sixty-ninth Street, between Park and Madison Avenues. The buyer is said to be a resident of Manhattan, who will occupy the house.

The dwelling, which is one of the newest of the fine houses lately erected in the Lenox Hill section, was completed two years ago from plans by Howells & Stokes. It is five stories high, fronting 25 feet. Adjoining on the east is the home of Charles Lane Poor. The Park Avenue block front has been improved with two residences, each 102 by 125 feet, the Sixty-ninth Street corner being that of Commodore Arthur Curtis James, and the Seventieth Street corner for George Blumenthal. This entire frontage was formerly the site of the Union Theological Seminary.

The sale was made through the firm of William B. May & Co. The buyer was represented in the transaction by Newman & Newgass, attorneys.

\$350,000 West Side Lease.

Another moving picture theatre is planned for the west side as the result of a twenty-one years' lease just obtained by a syndicate headed by Lewis C. Van Riper from the Coe estate of the property at 2182 to 2186 Broadway, fronting 77 feet between Seventy-seventh and Seventy-eighth Streets, with an extension to 227 to 231 West Seventy-seventh Street, fronting 50 feet there. A two-story taxpayer, which has been used as a market and a garage, occupies the plot, and it will be remodeled from plans by Thomas W. Lamb for the projected theatre. The aggregate lease for the term will be about \$350,000. Thomas P. C. O'Brien acted as the broker in the transaction.

Bronx Borough.

The Airman Company has sold to Michael Allemen the private house at 15 Weber Court, which runs from Third to Washington Avenues, between 149th and 150th Streets. The plot is 49 by 22.

Eugene J. Busher has sold for the Dollar Savings Bank the plot 156 by 100 on the southwest corner of Grant Avenue and McClellan Street to a builder who will erect five-story flats on the property.

George W. Scott and H. E. Connolly have sold for James F. Meehan to Frank Jewell 819 Manilla Street, a two-family brick dwelling, on a lot 25 by 100.

Robert Clemens has sold to Gustav M. Kutschinski 650 East 151st Street, a five-story flat, on a plot 35 by 113. The purchaser gave in exchange West Hoboken property.

Sales at Garden City.

Several residences and plots have been sold at Garden City recently by Gage E. Tarbell, among them being the residence on the south side of Garden Street, between Washington and Prospect Avenues, to Mrs. Mary Agnes Flugel; a plot 60 by 100 on the east side of Kilburn Road, between Chester and Salisbury Avenues, to the Arm Realty Company for improvement; the plot 80 by 100 on the west side of Brixton Road, between Stewart and Starford Avenues, to Augusta Henderson for improvement; the plot 100 by 111 on the northwest corner of Euston and Newmarket Roads to John F. Stricker for improvement; to B. L. Aftwater the plot adjoining his home on Nassau Boulevard and the plot 100 by 130 on the southeast corner of Nassau Boulevard and Chester Avenue.

Brooklyn.

Frank A. Seaver has sold the one-family brick house at 6744 Ridge Boulevard for L. Obermeyer to an investor, also the one-family brick house at 1053 Seventy-fourth Street for Kushner & Gold, to N. Lorenzen for occupancy, and the plot 40 by 100 on the south side of Forty-sixth Street, 320 feet east of Sixteenth Avenue, for William Searing to a builder.

Westchester.

Joseph Kane has purchased a dwelling on Janoxin Avenue, Yonkers, for occupancy, from the First Mortgage & Real Estate Company of Bronxville. The firm of Burke Stone acted as brokers.

New Jersey.

Edward P. Hamilton & Co. have sold the two frame dwellings, on plot 75 by 125, at 48 and 52 Brighton Avenue, East Orange.

Commercial Leases.

The Gross & Brown Company has leased a store on the Forty-seventh Street side of the Strand Theatre building to John Dipalma.

The Houghton Company has leased for the Waunegan Realty Company the two connecting four-story dwellings at 118 and 115 West Eighty-ninth Street to Stephen Ortega.

The Duross Company has leased by Herman P. Eppel to John Magee the six-story building at 209 West Eighteenth Street for an automobile warehouse.

M. & L. Hess have leased the store and basement at 103 Fifth Avenue to Atlas & Blum.

LARGEST APARTMENT HOUSE IN THE BOROUGH OF QUEENS GOING UP ON ENTIRE BLOCK FRONT IN ASTORIA SECTION

Four-Story Building on Barclay Street, Opposite East River Park, Will Contain 380 Rooms and 84 Baths—Builder Is a Veteran Operator in Manhattan Who Sees Great Future in Multi-Family Houses in Long Island City's Industrial Area.

THE largest apartment house in Long Island City is now being erected on the entire block front on the east side of Barclay Street, between Ditmars Avenue and McClellan Place. The plot has a frontage of 200 feet with a depth of 100 feet. The building will be four stories high and will contain eighty-four suites, with two stores on the ground floor. The suites are divided into three, four, and five rooms with bath, making a total of 380 rooms for the structure and eighty-four baths.

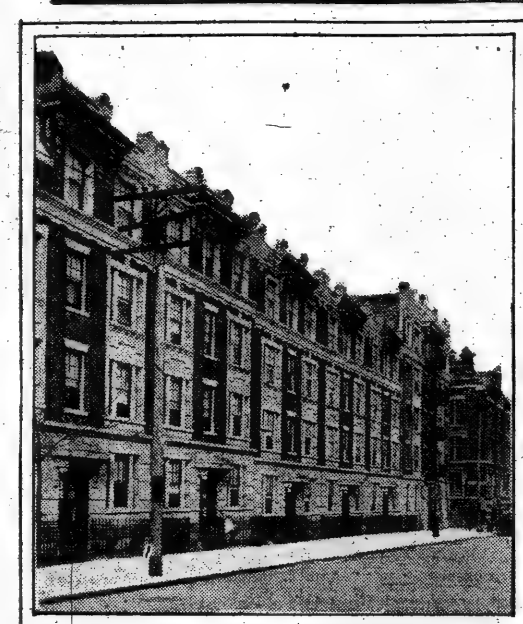
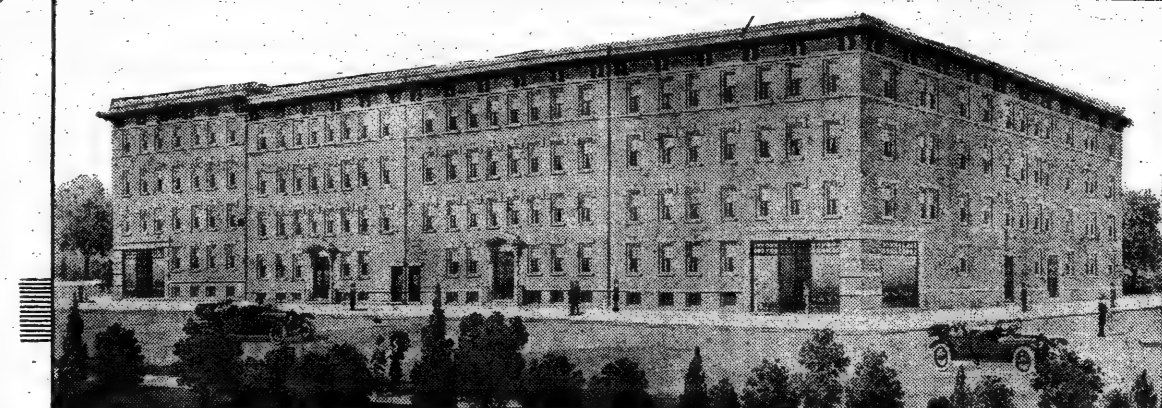
The site of this unusual improvement is opposite the new East River Park and readily accessible to transit facilities. The estimated cost of the building has been placed at \$150,000 by the builder, John Katzman, and with the land the investment will reach \$177,000. The property, containing ten lots, was purchased by Mr. Katzman a short time ago from the Ricket-Finlay Realty Company for \$27,000.

Mr. Katzman has been for the last ten years one of the largest builders on Washington Heights, having erected in that section forty-two houses, containing over 1,200 apartments. Previous to that, he was a large operator on the lower east side, where he built nearly 100 tenement houses in the most congested section of New York. He has made a study and a success of small apartments, and the fact that he has closed up his business in Manhattan and has begun the largest flat operation in Long Island City is of peculiar interest as indicating his faith in the rapid future growth not only of that particular section of Queens, but of other readily accessible portions of the borough.

"For about ten years," said Mr. Katzman yesterday in explaining the reason for selecting Long Island City for his future operations, "my principal building activities have been along the Broadway Subway between 156th Street and 204th Street, from six to nine miles from Forty-second Street, and to which the actual running time is twenty-three to thirty minutes by Subway express trains from the Grand Central Subway Station."

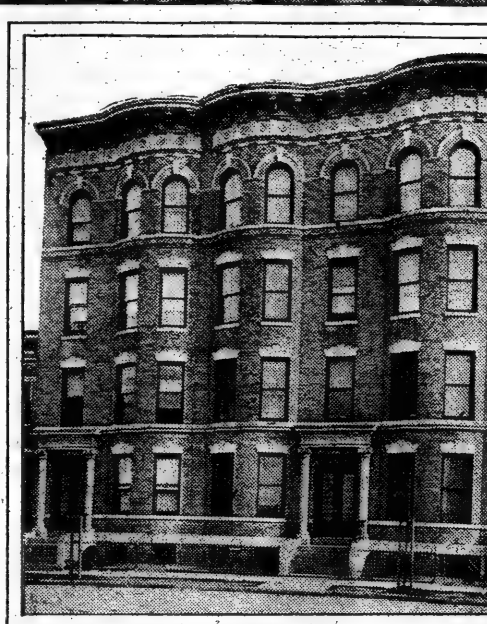
"I was, therefore, much impressed when I found that Hoyt Avenue, Astoria, the first express stop after leaving the Queensboro Bridge Plaza, would be only eleven minutes from the Grand Central Subway Station, or less than half the time required to reach 156th Street and one-third the time to 204th Street."

"For the corner of 156th Street and Amsterdam Avenue I paid \$50,000 for a plot 50 by 100 feet, which is at the rate of \$20,000 for each 20-foot lot. For the northwest corner of 191st Street and Wadsworth Avenue, 100 by 100 feet, I paid \$60,000, or at the rate of \$12,000 a lot. For the corner



New Apartment House on Lockwood Street

Largest Apartment House in Long Island City Covering a Block Front on Barclay Street



New Apartment House on Lockwood Street

of 204th Street and Vernalys Avenue, nine miles from Forty-second Street, I paid \$50,000 for a plot 100 by 100 feet, which is at the rate of \$10,000 a lot. These prices, you understand, are not high prices for that section, for I have paid as high as \$40,000 each for lots on St. Nicholas Avenue.

"On my Long Island City property, for which I paid only \$27,000 per lot, I am now erecting practically the same type of buildings which I built on lots along the line of the Broadway Subway, costing from \$10,000 to \$20,000 each, and I can afford to rent my flats in Long Island City for much less than the rental in upper Manhattan.

In these times, when the cost of living is very closely figured by every one, tenants are endeavoring to find where they can get the most for their money, and I am satisfied that when the low rents in the Long Island City section become fully known thousands will find in these low-priced flats a solution of the high cost of living."

"For apartments containing three rooms and bath I get on Washington Heights an average of \$27 per month, for four rooms \$32, and for five rooms \$40 per month. In Long Island City, directly opposite the park, I will rent three-room apartments with bath for \$17, four rooms for \$20, and five rooms for \$24 per month. There is a

clear saving of from \$10 to \$16 a month for the same number of rooms and in a location which will be only one-half the time to 156th Street and one-third the time to 204th Street by subway express trains."

"Not only will tenants in this Queens section save one-third of the rent they are now paying and reach their homes in one-third to one-half the time now required to the above locations, but they will also have the further advantage of being able to use all three branches of the dual subway system, as trains of the Interborough Subway system, trains of the Interborough elevated system, and trains of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit sys-

tem will all run over the tracks of the Second Avenue elevated in Long Island City."

"Another advantage which residents of Astoria have is the fact that they live close to the greatest industrial development in New York, for nowhere else are so many great factory buildings going up, which will give work to thousands of employees."

Special attention has been paid to a maximum of light and air for these new apartments. Under the old building laws, interior apartments opened on courts only a few feet wide. In covering a whole block front and with land reasonably low in price it is possible to provide courts large

enough to give interior apartments practically as much light and air as those fronting on the street. The two courts in this new building will cover an area of nearly 1,200 square feet each, and dark stairways will be wholly eliminated.

Within the last year the demand for good, reasonable priced flats in Queens, within the neighborhood of the growing industrial centre, has been very noticeable and the pioneer builders who have erected houses of this sort have been well repaid for their investment. For some of these newer apartments it has been stated that there are waiting lists. As the transit improvements advance nearer to completion it is predicted that a big activity in apartment house construction will arise.

During the past week in Queens applications were filed for the erection of new buildings at an estimated cost of \$342,000. There were seventy-six applications for alterations, costing \$58,400, and fifty-five applications for plumbing permits to cost \$31,100, making the total estimated cost of operations \$431,500.

The Mathews Building Company has started tenement developments on Eleventh Avenue south of Grand Avenue, on Grand Avenue east of Eleventh Avenue, and on Eleventh Avenue north of Newtown Road, Long Island City, at a total cost of \$110,000. Albert Hoder will erect several three-story brick tenements on Grand Avenue west of Steinway Avenue, Long Island City, at a cost of \$8,000 each. Denato Brothers are planning several four-story brick tenements on Paynter Avenue to cost \$11,500 each.

The plans to alter the Queensboro Bridge so as to fit it for rapid transit trains have been followed with interest by Queens residents, and it was with considerable satisfaction that the announcement last week from the Queens Chamber of Commerce was received, to the effect that Borough President McAneny has recommended that the corporate stock committee of the Board of Estimate make an immediate appropriation of about \$400,000 for changes in the Queensboro Bridge to adapt it for operation of rapid transit trains.

The removal of the inside set of trolley tracks to provide for the operation of trolley cars on the brackets outside of the main tracks.

The repavement of the entire floor of the lower level for vehicular traffic. The relocation of the footwalks on the upper level outside of the main tracks.

It is understood, however, that no action will be taken at the present time in providing for the operation of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Broadway-Fifty-ninth Street Subway cars across the bridge, as the change in the bridge for this work will only take eighteen months.

STUDY PROBLEM OF LAND RESTRICTIONS

Real Estate Men Appointed to Co-operate with Mayor's Committee on City Zones.

VARYING COURT DECISIONS

Countless Troubles in Ancient Covenants Which Have Long Lived Usefulness.

An important step toward bringing order out of the chaos which prevails regarding real estate covenants has just been made by the Advisory Council of real estate interests in appointing a special committee to investigate the question of restrictive covenants as they apply to real estate in New York City. The members of the committee are Adolph T. Slesker, Chairman, Everett V. Abbot, Henry R. Chittick, Walter Lindner, and Alfred C. Reeves.

Restrictive covenants affecting land in this city, it is stated by the committee, are a source of annoyance to all real estate men. Designed, for the most part, in the days when New York was young and it seemed necessary that certain localities of the city should be set apart for certain defined uses, and that uses undesirable to people of refined tastes should be prohibited, they have either outlived their usefulness or have been so twisted and mangled as to their effect by the courts that no one is able to say what their effect may be.

Court decisions have by no means been uniform on the subject. Thus, to pick out a few examples, to change a private residence on Twentieth Street into a business building is allowed, but an attempt to do so on Fortieth Street is halted by an injunction; to erect a tenement house on Tenth Avenue makes an owner subject to money damages, but apartment houses of fifteen or more stories are permitted in the exclusive West Seventies and in the Murray Hill district. An undertaking establishment is not objectionable on Madison Avenue, but a bakeshop amounts to a nuisance on Southern Boulevard; a paraffin refinery is a nuisance in the Erie Basin, but the elevated railroad is not an obnoxious use in the Bronx; an apartment house is a private dwelling on West Seventy-eighth Street, but a three-family house on Sedgwick Avenue is not a private house.

What makes the situation worse in the circumstances, that the courts, though failing to enforce them, hold the covenants against a seller's interest, and always an incumbent. No matter how ridiculous it may seem, for instance, to enforce a private house covenant on Thirty-fourth Street and Broadway, or one against the erection of a flat house on East 100th Street, the fact remains that any one who attempts to sell certain properties in either locality without making mention of the covenant in his contract is liable to have his title rejected.

These conditions cannot be remedied till the attention of the courts has been called to the conditions. It is proposed to do so by a memorandum in or in such other manner as seems feasible to the end that the evil may be corrected. Mr. Slesker's committee will co-operate with the Mayor's Committee on City Zones, which has important work to undertake with reference to building heights and proper zones for the operation of certain trades and businesses. The question of restrictive covenants will play a very important part in such a plan and it will be necessary for the Advisory Council to go thoroughly into this subject before a definite report can be submitted to the Committee on City Planning.

OCTOBER BUILDING RECORD.

Figures from Eighty Leading Cities Show 11 Per Cent. Decrease.

In spite of generally favorable weather conditions, there was a continued restriction of building activity during October, permits issued for new construction, according to returns received by Dun's Review from eighty leading centres of the United States, calling for the expenditure of \$41,642,306, showing a decrease of about 11 per cent., as compared with a year ago.

The total for Greater New York again showed an increase over 1913, an aggregate of \$8,301,196 comparing with \$6,771,059, moderate losses in the Boroughs of Richmond and Queens being more than offset by the expansion in Manhattan, Brooklyn, and the Bronx. Considered as a whole, the cities outside of New York make an unsatisfactory exhibit with a decline from last year of 16.7 per cent., the value of the permits granted at these points being \$33,341,110, against \$40,012,484 in the earlier period.

Of the seventy-nine cities outside of New York, twenty-seven reported more or less improvement in comparison with October a year ago.

On the other hand, there was a sharp falling off at a number of important centres, including Detroit, Kansas City, Baltimore, Boston, and Buffalo. The October figures, with comparisons for earlier dates, follow:

Cities.	1914.	1913.
October.....	\$41,642,306	\$48,788,456
September.....	42,857,381	56,738,000
August.....	58,831,767	56,816,247
July.....	71,985,307	52,138,441
June.....	74,404,541	71,204,000
May.....	73,055,258	74,042,482
April.....	71,780,063	83,112,177
March.....	71,512,261	71,502,261
February.....	71,823,571	64,235,158
January.....	39,486,466	44,514,659

STATEN ISLAND PLANS FOR FUTURE GROWTH

With more undeveloped usable waterfront than all the other boroughs of the Greater City put together, Richmond this week began a campaign to prepare for the big port development predicted to follow the conclusion of the war.

The Staten Island Civic League, the largest civic improvement body in the borough, has just published its programme for 1915 which includes the entire reorganization and centralization of the Post Office system, a scientific city plan and a campaign to procure for Staten Island the New York free port advocated by the Merchants' Association.

The Civic League, since its organization two years ago, has become a large and efficient organization. It has an excellent record of accomplishments behind it, but it has never before definitely set forth a programme to be concentrated upon.

It believes now, however, that Staten Island must soon come into its own and that development may be both hastened and guided in such a way that ultimately Richmond will be the best ordered and most beautiful borough in the city.

A member of the league said yesterday: "The Borough of Richmond undoubtedly has the worst Post Office system in this part of the country. With a population of 95,000 spread over fifty-seven square miles of territory—twice and half again as big as Manhattan—it has twenty-two Post Offices."

"These are relics of the old days when Staten Island was a collection of forty-three separate towns and villages. When consolidation was effected in 1898, the civic administration was, of course, centralized, but the Post Office system remained unchanged, and it has done more than any other one thing to prevent the fusion of all sections and the development of a real borough spirit."

"Its workings are curious. A letter addressed to Port Richmond and mailed at West New Brighton, less than two miles away, goes first to the railway Post Office at St. George more than three miles away, where it is

rehandled and then is started upon its four-mile journey back along its first route, finally arriving at the Port Richmond office anywhere from twelve to twenty-four hours after it was mailed. In order to remedy this evil and others like it, the Civic League has begun a public campaign for a centralized system and does not intend to rest until it gets it.

"The Civic League has a vision of enormous development for the 'Borough of the Future,' which has fifty-four miles of waterfront and thousands of acres of undeveloped upland.

In order to guide this development and make efficient co-operation possible, a real city plan is absolutely necessary. This will not be a civic beautification project, but a scientific presentation, based upon present indications, of the various zones to be devoted to manufacturing, dock and warehouse construction, parks, retail business centres, farming, and residential development.

"Such a plan will make it possible for the transportation companies to extend their service to thinly populated districts with certainty about the future and not on a gamble. It will steady the real estate market and protect both the buyer and the holder of land. Richmond and Queens are the only boroughs of the city in which such work can now be done."

"While the Civic League keeps open house the year around for seekers after manufacturing sites, it is going to give the Merchants' Association all the aid in its power in its campaign for a free port for New York and, at the same time, begin a campaign of its own to procure the free port for Staten Island."

"The free port, which would provide a place where dutiable goods could be transhipped and even manipulated within a restricted area without payment of duty and could be stored without payment of bonded warehouse fees, would be a great asset to any section. Staten Island and South Brooklyn are the only locations available for such a project in Greater New York, and the Staten Island Civic League believes that, with the co-operation of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, which has direct and quick connection with the mainland, Staten Island, with its cheap land and great stretches of undeveloped waterfront, can be made much the more advantageous of the two."

"Much development work is expected to be done by a new committee of the Civic League which is now being organized by Secretary M. K. Nash to be called the Trade Development Committee. The membership of the committee will be made up of manufacturers and business men who will work together in the name of the Civic League and with its support."

"Staten Island has so many possibilities that heretofore those who have worked for its interests have often become confused at the multiplicity of things they might do and ended, sometimes, by doing nothing. The Civic League's idea in presenting a definite programme for the coming year, without slighting the work already under way, is to provide three distinct projects, each of which requires a separate kind of effort and will produce a different kind of result, while, at the same time, they will all be parts of a far-reaching plan."

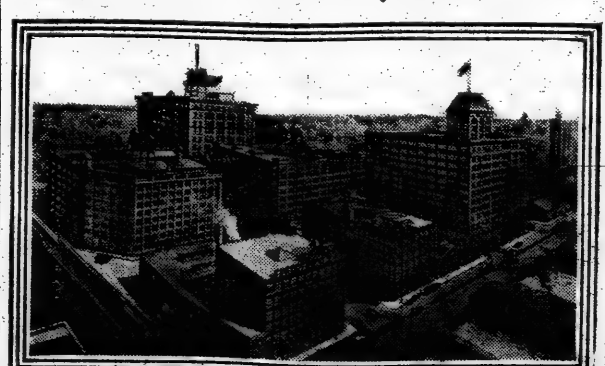
What is said to be the tallest steel reinforced concrete building in the world has just been completed by the Gair Company on the Brooklyn waterfront between the terminals of the Brooklyn and Manhattan bridges. It is the seventh structure of the Gair group of loft buildings, but outtops the others in being twelve stories high and surmounted by a clock of four additional stories. It covers a plot 200 by 125 feet and the height to the roof of the tower is 275 feet from the street.

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INTERESTING HAPPENINGS IN MOTORDOM DURING THE WEEK

NEW HAVEN ROUTE FOR HARVARD GAME

Directions for Motor Trip to New Yale Bowl Given by Automobile Club.

HOW TO PARK THE CARS

Traffic Regulations in Force for Game Outlined—Mileage Is About 75.

The Yale-Harvard football game at New Haven, on Nov. 21, will be the first to be played in the new stadium—the famous "Yale Bowl." The game starts promptly at 2 o'clock, and as 65,000 tickets have been sold, it would be advisable to reach the stadium early and avoid the last half-hour rush. There will be a great movement of motor cars toward New Haven on that day, from every part of the compass, and an early start is strongly advised by the touring bureau of the Automobile Club of America, which advises the route described below.

Parking space has been provided on the property of the university for 2,000 cars; there will be a charge of \$1 for each machine.

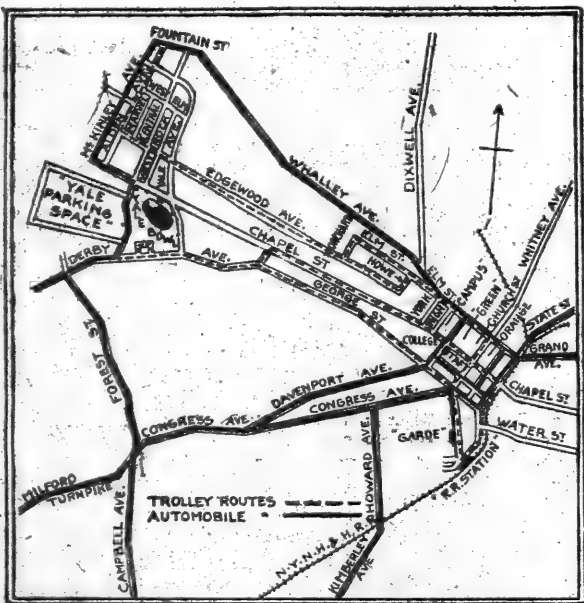
To reach New Haven by road run north on Broadway, around Columbus Circle, and into Central Park West, which is all in good condition to 110th Street. Here, turn right—run one block—add then turn left into Seventh Avenue, which is in good condition. With Central Bridge ahead, turn left.

Rye, 24.7. Go over a railroad, 25.2, and under a railroad, 26.8; at the end of the road turn left into Main Street, 26.4; then bear right through Liberty Square in Port Chester, 26.4. Still following Main Street, go under the railroad, 26.9; then bear right and cross Byram Bridge into Connecticut, 27.5.

Follow the main road through Greenwich, 29.0, and at a monument bear right down Putnam Hill, 29.8; then cross a bridge at Manassas, 31.8. Left fork, 33.8; turn right—cross a bridge, 34.4; into Main Street, pass City Hall, and bear left through squares in Stamford, 34.6. At a green take the left fork, 35.1; just beyond bear right up hill; again bear right, leaving trolley, 35.3; go under the railroad, 35.6; cross a bridge, 36.6; then go through Noroton, 37.8. Go straight on under the railroad at Darien, 39.2; bear right, 42.6, and at the armory bear left, 42.7—then at the church bear right into Wall Street, 43.2; go through Norwalk, 43.4.

Go up hill at the green, take the left fork with trolley, 43.7; then at a church turn right with trolley, 43.9; go over a hill, using caution for sharp curves, cross a bridge over the Saugatuck River, 46.7. Go through Westport, 48.8. Follow the main road and cross a bridge, 50.4; then use caution and bear right under the railroad; at once turn left in Southport, 51.0. Bear right, 51.3, cross a bridge, 51.6. Bear right, 52.2, at a library turn right with trolley in Fairfield, 52.6. Bear left into Fairfield Avenue, 52.7; cross a bridge, 54.1; go under the railroad, 55.5, take a left fork—still Fairfield

DETAIL MAP IN NEW HAVEN.



53.20 then right—add cross the bridge into Jerome Avenue, which is in fair condition to 167th Street; beyond this point it is very poor. This makes it advisable to turn right at the sign reading "Concourse" into 167th Street, where there is good surface—run up a stiff grade and cross to the far side of the Grand Concourse, 6.5.

Turn left on the right drive, which is in good condition, and run to 128th Street, 8.4. At a garage on the corner turn right and run down hill, go over the railroad, 8.7, go right and left under the "L" structure, then use caution and take the first turn left into Washington Street, 8.9, (a narrow street with building material piled in places). Go two blocks and turn right into Pelham Avenue, 9.0; follow this avenue, which is in fine condition, and pass the Zoological Gardens, 9.5, to the White Plains Road, 10.1.

From this point there is a choice of roads to New Rochelle; the Pelham Parkway and Shore Road route is in good condition. This goes straight on, across White Plains Road, 10.1, then over the railroad, 11.9; turn left, 12.7, cross Barlow Bridge, 13.2, and take a right fork, 14.0. Bear left, 17.2; then, at the end of the road, turn left into Echo Avenue, 17.3, and turn right into Main Street in New Rochelle, 17.7.

The shorter route from Pelham Avenue is by way of the Boston Post Road. This route has fewer curves and is shorter by one mile than that given above; it will be a time-saver for those in a hurry. This route begins on macadam, after which there is about 300 feet of dirt roadway on the White Plains Road; this portion is rough, but entirely passable. Beyond this stretch and on to New Rochelle the Post Road is in excellent condition, excepting for a temporary bridge over Westchester Inlet; this is short and not at all bad if caution be used.

The directions for this shorter route are:

At White Plains Road, 10.1, turn left, then go on the dirt road referred to above, and take the first right turn into Boston Post Road, 10.3; go straight on, then slow down for a temporary crossing, 12.8; go under the railroad, 13.0; use care crossing a temporary bridge, 13.7; at a monument take the right fork into Main Street, 16.0. Go straight on and pass Echo Avenue in New Rochelle, 16.7. Here change odometer to read 17.7.

Continue on Main Street, which becomes the Boston Post Road, and is followed through Larchmont, 19.3. Then bear right through Mamaroneck, 21.1. Take the right fork, 21.6, again take right fork at 23.6, then turn left and take next right fork at flag pole in

Avenue, 53.7; go straight on across Main Street in Bridgeport, 57.4. Go under railroad viaduct, cross drawbridge, 57.7 and 58.1.

At once take left fork in Connecticut Avenue, 58.2, go straight on, then meet and follow trolley on Stratford Avenue, 59.4, turn left with trolley into Main Street, 60.8, and at a water-trough turn right with trolley in Stratford, 61.1. Cross a bridge, 62.3, then go straight on leaving the trolley at Devon, 62.8. Follow the main road to the end of the green, and at the Public Library, turn left with the trolley in Milford, 65.6. Go under the railroad and at the Town Hall take right fork with trolley into River Street, 65.8, cross a bridge, go up hill, take the left fork leaving trolley, 66.2, then bear left, 67.7, and follow the main road, approaching New Haven and Davenport Avenue; turn left into Forest Street, 72.9, then right into Derby Avenue, 73.8, near which is located the "Yale Bowl," 74.5.

Those holding tickets for portals numbered 11 to 24, inclusive, should use the West Parking Space, on Central Avenue, between Malby Avenue and Chapel Street. This is reached by following Derby Avenue to Central Avenue, 74.2, where turn left to the West Parking Space, at 74.5. Those whose portal numbers are 1 to 10 and 25 to 30, inclusive, will find the East Parking Space located on Yale Avenue, between Derby Avenue and Chapel Street, the better. This space is reached by continuing on Derby Avenue to Yale Avenue, 74.8, where a left turn brings one to the East Parking Space at 75.0.

Another route is suggested from Stratford that will avoid some of the traffic on the direct road through Milford to New Haven. This route follows the Naugatuck River to Derby, then turning east to New Haven. This road is all good macadam and about six miles longer than the Stratford-Milford-New Haven route.

In Stratford, 61.1, at the water trough with the "A. C. A." sign, instead of turning right, as directed on the former route, go straight on under the railroad, 61.3, bear right, 62.3, bear left with trolley, 63.3, go under the railroad, 64; at a small church bear right, 65.5, pass Pine Rock Park, follow the main road and turn right in Shelton, 73.2. Cross a canal and bridge, 75.4, then turn right into Main Street in Derby, 75.5. Go straight on through the town, go over the railroad and cross a bridge over the Naugatuck River. Turn right and follow trolley tracks. The road, becoming Derby Avenue, which is followed to Central Avenue, 78.7. From this point in New Haven the directions to the Parking

Fields are the same as those given before.

Automobiles desiring to run in to the corner of College and Chapel Streets, New Haven, will continue on Congress Avenue to Davenport Avenue; thence to College Street. Motorists wishing to reach the center of the city will continue on Congress Avenue. Automobiles eastbound on Derby Avenue who may wish to visit the center of the city will go by way of Forest Street and Congress Avenue. Automobiles going from the center of New Haven to the "Bowl" will travel by way of Elm Street, Whalley Avenue, Fountain Street, and McKinley Avenue to the Parking Space.

Returning from the game, motorists who desire to go to the center of the city will do so through Whalley Avenue and Elm Street, using north sides of these streets, to Orange Street; if desiring to reach the vicinity of College and Chapel Streets, continue through Orange Street to Crown Street and turn west on Crown Street to College Street, then north on College Street. On College Street automobiles will be allowed to run in a northerly direction only between Crown and Elm Streets.

TOPICS FOR ROAD CONGRESS

Many Experts to Discuss Highway Work at Chicago Meeting.

Mayor Carter H. Harrison of Chicago has issued invitations to the Mayors of over 2,000 cities in the United States and Canada to send delegates to the Fifth American Good Roads Congress, which is also the eleventh annual convention of the American Road Builders' Association, and the Sixth Annual Good Roads Show, to be held at Chicago, Dec. 14-18. Mayor Harrison suggests in his invitation that city engineers and street superintendents, or similar officials, be named among the delegates.

Secretary E. L. Powers of the Road Builders' Association is in receipt of a number of acceptances from those assigned by the Programme Committee to prepare the papers which will be used as texts for the discussions of the different subjects at the sessions of the convention. Copies of the papers prepared will be furnished to the persons selected to lead and participate in the discussions. Each of these will prepare an address on the subject, with a view to bringing out all the facts and views and developments. After the paper and addresses have been presented at the convention the discussion will be open to all.

Among the acceptances so far received for the preparation of the paper the following may be mentioned:

L. A. Johnston, Division Engineer, Massachusetts Highway Commission, on the subject of road foundations; John N. Carlisle, Commissioner of Highways of New York, on the organization of a State highway department; Prof. T. R. Agg of the Highway Engineering Department of the Iowa State College, on the various uses and care of machinery in road construction and maintenance; A. W. Dean, Chief Engineer, Massachusetts Highway Commission, on road traffic; John Laylin, Division Engineer, of Ohio, on brick roads and streets; H. J. Kuelling, County Commissioner, of Milwaukee, Wis., on concrete roads; William D. Usher, Assistant Engineer of Highways of Philadelphia, on bituminous construction and maintenance; Thomas H. MacDonald, State Highway Engineer, of Iowa, on street paving; small cities, and Clifford Older, Bridge Engineer, of Illinois, on surfaces or floors for bridges.

FOR SHOWROOM DISPLAY.

This Form of Exhibition Advocated for London in Place of Olympia.

There are two matters engaging the attention of English motorists at the present time. One has to do with the trade—a general showroom display of the cars for 1915 in London—and the other the use of private cars by their owners. As to the question of showroom shows, since the Olympia Exposition will not be held, it is believed that it would be a wise course for each motor manufacturer to invite the motor-using public to inspect his wares in the London depots during the next month. As a writer in The Motor Trader puts it:

"There are many direct benefits to the trade which flow from Olympia seldom alluded to when the question, to show or not to show, is on the tapis."

These benefits would also accrue to the industry by a series of showroom displays which the agents from all parts of the United Kingdom and colonies would attend.

A great number of the motor factories are at present engaged in making a variety of goods unconnected with their usual business. A time, however, will come when they will have to revert to ordinary conditions, and then, in the opinion of a London expert, unless the motor trade takes to some form of advertising—as a protection against its rivals from the United States, it will have few orders in hand to deal with.

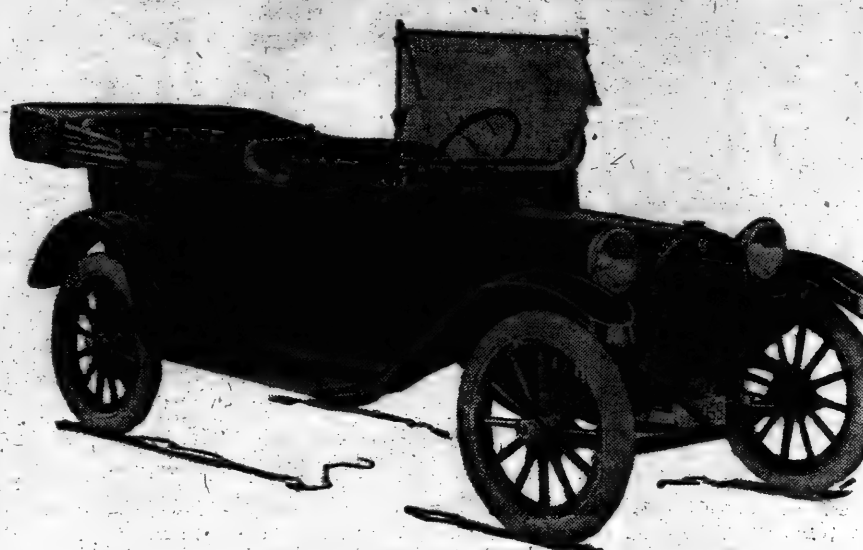
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MANHATTAN BRIDGE APPROACHES DONE

Touring Bureau of the Three A's Says This Now Forms Best Route to Brooklyn.

The immense amount of automobile traffic between New York and Brooklyn divides itself naturally between the Williamsburg, Manhattan and old Brooklyn Bridges, the Queensboro Bridge being too far north to carry much of the travel between the two principal boroughs, according to the American Automobile Association. Up to this time most of the travel has used either the Williamsburg or the old Brooklyn Bridges, though the former gives an unduly long route and the latter is so crowded as to be almost dangerous on account of the incomplete approaches on both the Manhattan and Brooklyn sides of the Manhattan Bridge. The latter is not only conveniently placed midway between the two others, but by taking a diagonal course, it is the shortest of all.

Recently work on both Manhattan Bridge approaches, which has been in process for the last two or three years, has been practically completed, says the American Automobile Association Bureau, and henceforth a large proportion of the travel from New York through Brooklyn to Coney Island, Manhattan Beach, and south shore points beyond Brooklyn will take this route. This uses the most convenient connections from the middle or upper part of the city into either Lafayette Street, or the Bowery, these streets being connected by Kenmare Street, (near the Williamsburg Bridge), and Canal Street, (direct approach to the Manhattan Bridge).

It is now possible to use the new route from either Canal Street or the Bowery on to the main structure, which, of course, provides excellent surface to the Brooklyn end. Meanwhile the completion of the work on that end has provided a short-cut connection into Flatbush Avenue, direct to Prospect Park Plaza.

By going through the park to Ocean Parkway, or by skirting the upper edge of the park to Eastern Parkway, excellent roads are had practically all the way through Brooklyn by either one of these routes. This is one of the most important of the various improvements in and about New York during the last year, and will greatly facilitate travel between New York and Coney Island next year, as well as, saving considerable time over the former route.

Auto Exports Total \$40,000,000. Exports of automobiles from the United States in the last fiscal year eclipsed all previous records, amounting to \$40,000,000 in value. Figures issued by the Department of Commerce, however, show a remarkable decrease in the exports in August as a result of the European war, having fallen to 451 automobiles and motor trucks, compared with 2,004 in the corresponding period last year. Canada was the largest purchaser of automobiles.

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NO HEADLIGHTS IN LONDON. U. S. CARS FOR WOUNDED.

Motorists Urged to Use Caution in the Dimly Lighted Streets.

Although England is not yet under partial law, says The Auto of London, the conditions obtaining as a consequence of the war are abnormal, and the need for motorists and motor drivers to make cautious driving their watchword is emphasized. "While there may be some diversity of opinion as to the necessity of the order prohibiting the use of headlights on cars," it says, "some motorists deeming these more useful than ever if accidents in the dimly lighted streets are to be avoided—so far as we can see, no useful purpose can be served by raising a discussion on the point. All that we may hope is that the need for the order will not be of long duration, and that all entrusted with the driving of motor vehicles will do their share in making the thoroughfares of the metropolis safe, equally to all users of the highways, and so render it unnecessary for the authorities to consider the question of enforcing a special speed limit between sunset and sunrise, as was suggested at the meeting of the London County Council last week."

Incidentally, this new order of the Commissioner of Police may prove of lasting benefit to motorists, as by the results it should prove conclusively that, even under the most adverse circumstances, the claim that we and others for so many years have contended for is more than justified—viz., that "driving to the danger of the public, and not speed, is the dominating factor which should govern road traffic impartially."

Lloyd to Talk on Electrics.

Robert McAllister Lloyd, one of the pioneer factors in the electric vehicle industry and now a consulting engineer, will be the chief speaker at the November meeting of the local section of the Electric Vehicle Association of America. This meeting will be held in the auditorium of the Consolidated Gas Company, 130 East Fifteenth Street, on Tuesday night, at 8:15. The subject of Mr. Lloyd's address will be "The Influence of the Pioneer Spirit on Electric Vehicle Progress." It is expected that the new President of the association, John P. Giesler of Chicago, will be present. There will also be five-minute talks by other members of the electrical industry. The "E. V. A." as it is now popularly called, has fourteen sections and nearly 1,000 members.

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AUTO ENGINEERS TO FIX STANDARDS

At Meeting This Week Matters of Interest to Owners Will Come Up.

TIRE PRESSURE IS ONE

Others Include License Plates and Road Destruction—Makers Interested as Well.

During the three days of Nov. 18, 19 and 20 the Standards Committee of the Society of Automobile Engineers will hold a convention in the rooms of the society at 1790 Broadway. From

The Ball and Roller Bearings Division has under consideration the recommendation of a list of "stock sizes" of roller bearings eliminating many of the sizes now listed by manufacturers, but seldom used in actual practice. At present manufacturers list almost 300 sizes, while it is believed that a list of fifty sizes will prove sufficient for all ordinary purposes. This standard, if adopted, will effect considerable savings to the manufacturers of complete automobiles as well as the part manufacturers.

Many of the new types of motors now being developed use a carburetor with side outlets. The Carburetor Fittings Division is expected to report on the feasibility of standardizing fittings for this type of carburetor. It is believed that it would prove a considerable advantage to manufacturers if a standard could be established in regard to both the shape and position of the flange on side outlet carburetors.

The Commercial Car Wheels Division has had under consideration the complaints which have been received with regard to the thickness of S. A. E. standard felloe bands on certain sizes of wheels. Makers of wood wheels for trucks have been invited to attend the convention and present their views to the division. If circumstances warrant, it is believed that a change in these standards will be recommended.

In addition to the work in hand, the Truck Standards Division and the Electric Vehicle Division will consider the recommendation of Industrial truck standards. Advisory committees to take up capacity, speed and tires, and motors and voltage in the case of electric industrial trucks have been appointed. A committee of the Railway Electrical Engineers is co-operating with the S. A. E. in these recommendations. The Iron and Steel Di-

vision is expected to present data as to the physical properties of various S. A. E. steels and steel castings specifications. It will also bring up to date notes and instructions with regard to steel specifications and heat treatments.

The Miscellaneous Division has under consideration the pitch of treads above one and a half inches in diameter, a standard for speedometer drive shaft ends, and a standard for license plates. Practically all the States in the Union have provided the division with data as to the elements of legal pads and many of them have advised the society that they would welcome the bringing about of this much-needed uniformity.

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ACTION ON FERRY CHARGES.

Uniform Classification of Vehicles by Dock Department Expected.

To secure official action on the claim that automobiles are discriminated against in connection with ferry charges, the Traffic Department of the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce announces that the matter will be taken up again shortly, in conjunction with other automobile associations and the Merchants' Association of New York.

When this subject was discussed before Dock Commissioner Smith in July, representatives of the manufacturers, dealers, and users of trucks showed that there appeared to be discrimination on practically all ferries and railroads in the rates charged on self-propelling vehicles as compared with horse-drawn vehicles. The railroads asked for time in which to give their matter consideration, check over their schedules, and submit new tariffs for consideration. It was expected that this could be done within sixty days. Some delays were encountered, but the automobile associations are now hopeful of having the matter determined within a short time.

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MOTOR CYCLISTS HAVE MANY THRILLS IN WAR

Dispatch Riders with the British Forces Run Constant Gauntlet of Peril.

RIDE THROUGH SHELL FIRE

Noise of Engine Drowns Sentries' Challenges at Times—Wild Beasts on African Ride.

Thrills are part of the daily routine, apparently, of the motor cycle dispatch riders in the present war. Some experiences of riders attached to the British forces are related in The Motor Cycle of London as follows:

"We recently had an interesting conversation with Corporal F. A. Enders, R.E., who is home on convalescent furlough. He was attached to a cavalry division, and left England with several other motor cyclist dispatch riders. The party was split up at headquarters, Howard Newman, who is doing well, going to the First Army Corps.

"The distances covered by dispatch riders are not excessive, and usually amount to twenty or thirty miles at a stretch, but the work is continuous, and often Enders was on duty for twenty-four hours at a time, and he said that there were three things the motor cyclist had to make a point of getting—petrol, food, and oil. As his work was with the cavalry, he was right up in the firing line, and in the pursuit, after the battle of the Marne, they were always more or less under fire from the German rear guard artillery.

Enders told us it was great sport rounding up the Germans after the battle, and he was enjoying life pretty well when he was struck by a glancing shot on the foot, but what really put him out of action was being kicked by an unapologetic artillery horse on the ankle and in the stomach, which caused severe internal injury.

He had to travel three days lying on straw in a cattle truck, and then came a gloriously comfortable voyage on a hospital ship to the English coast, followed by a spell in a hospital in Glasgow, miles away from his people, who live in London. Talking of his work, he said that by far the worst experiences he had to undergo were at night, when he was forced to ride without a lamp. The noise of the engine makes it impossible to hear a challenge of a sentry, and several times he was shot at.

"One of our men, he assured us, was shot clean through the head by a French sentry, to whom, in the dark, the British and German uniforms look very much alike. Once he saw the sentry just in time, and bringing his machine to a standstill, found a long French bayonet three inches off his chest. Enders laid special stress upon the importance in driving steadily, so as to get there and save the machine as much as possible, and only of sprinting when real necessity for such action occurred.

"One day last week we heard that Corporal I. Bethwaite, R.E., a well-known motor cyclist of Barrow-in-Furness, who has done good work in various competitions in Cumberland and the adjoining counties, was lying wounded in a hospital on the outskirts of London. We found Bethwaite pretty well, quite cheery, and full of praise for the excellent treatment he was receiving. He told us he had been in France since August 3, when he landed at a western port and proceeded up country to the firing line. Three other motor cyclists were with him.

"The officers were delighted with the motor cycle riders, and never ceased to praise their pluck, usefulness, and endurance. Bethwaite's happy career temporarily ended at the battle of the Aisne. He had been given an important dispatch to deliver and was traveling at a good speed along a road which was exposed to a heavy shell fire from the enemy.

"Great holes blown out by the 'Black Marias' were seen at frequent intervals, and suddenly one shell landed a hundred yards or so in front of him and exploded. Two great chasms had then to be dodged, and as he was executing this manoeuvre the ground gave way and he fell heavily, striking his head as he did so. He lay dazed for an hour, and then, pulling himself together, he set out to walk the rest of the way—two and one-half miles—and safely delivered the dispatch. The officer, whom he had to see was much impressed by his pluck, and made him rest for an hour or two, and was loath to let him go at the end of that period; but go back he would, and walked to the machine, patched it up well enough to get back to headquarters, and finished his day's work. He did his best to carry on, but eventually he had to give in and go into hospital.

"He got very wily in dodging the shells, and on one road which he had to traverse there was a hill, the crest of which was much exposed, so he used to charge an almost vertical bank, slide down the other side, and ride for a time under cover. Once a fragment of shell cut the leather off the top of his boot. He had to get food and rest as best he could, and once had to go three days without either."

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"Every one was up ready when I got there. They had heard me coming. I delivered my message to the Captain. Then he asked me into his tent and gave me something to eat and drink. I told him about the leopards I had seen, and he was very interested and said that just before I came in two of their sentries had been driven away from their posts by lions.

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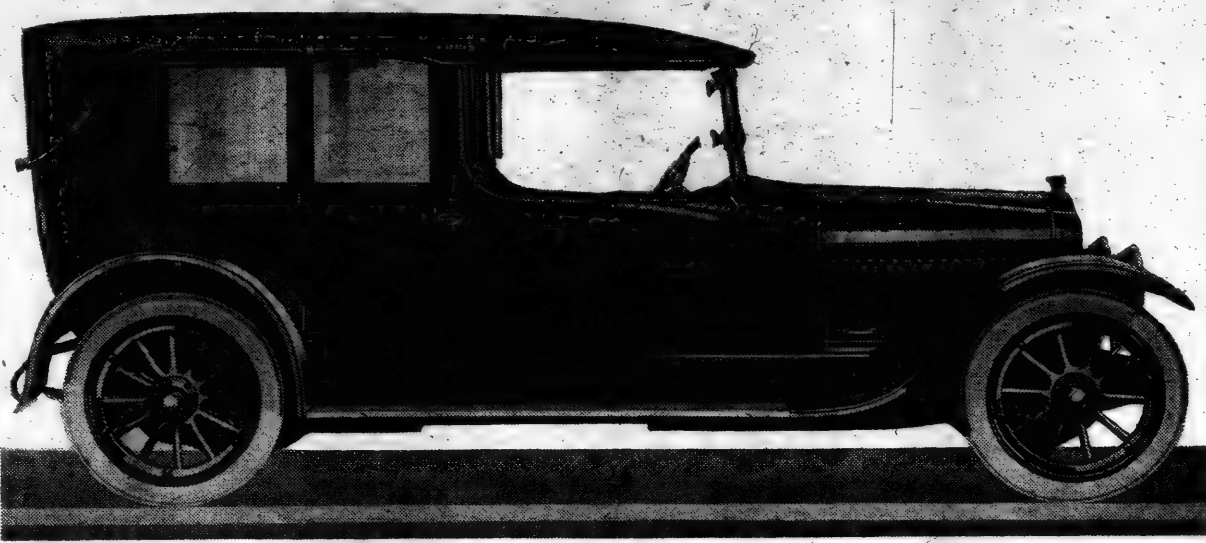
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DISTINCTIVE BODY LINES MARK THIS NEW "SEMI-TOURING" MODEL.



This is a 1915 White with a body which can be converted from open to closed form with little time or trouble. It is here shown with the top up and the windows closed. Note the long lines and the sweep of the cowl.

INTERESTING NEW AUTO MODELS OUT

Announcements Made of Eight, Six, and Four Cylinder Cars from \$495 to \$5,000.

Specifications and announcements of a number of new models have interested motorists recently. Some of the new things promised and performed are as follows:

An eight-cylinder announced by the King Motor Car Company at a price of less than \$1,500 complete. The car is to have 40-45 horse power, but full mechanical details are not to be disclosed till Dec. 10. The new car will be exhibited in coming automobile shows.

After cautious experimenting, covering a period of many months, the Willys-Overland Company has announced the specifications of a six-cylinder Overland. The model is offered only in the single body design, and sells for \$1,475, electrically lighted and started, and completely equipped. Wheelbase is 125 inches. With a bore of three and a half inches and a stroke of five and a quarter inches, the motor develops forty-five or more horse power at a normal engine speed. The cylinders are cast en bloc with the cylinder head detachable as a unit, exposing cylinders, pistons, valves, and valve phammers.

A new Stearns-Knight five-passenger touring car will sell for \$1,750, completely equipped. It is the first in the world to sell with a Knight-type motor for less than \$2,000. It is a factory-built creation, guaranteed of forty horse power. There is a companion cabriolet for \$2,250 and limousines for \$2,850 up.

Philio E. Benington, grandson of "the Father of American Gymnastics," has brought out a light roadster to sell for \$495. The power plant is the unit type, including clutch and transmission; the motor has four cylinders, is water cooled, and is of the long-stroke type. The crank shaft is extremely large and the connecting rods are long, thus eliminat-

ing side thrust on the pistons. The gear set is of the selective sliding type, three speeds forward and reverse, with all gears of chrome nickel steel, and is operated by the Hollister automatic gear shift.

Announcement is made by R. E. Ingersoll, Manager of Eastern branches of the Reo Motor Car Company, of a coupe which has been added to the Reo line. This new job, which lists at \$1,575, is built on the standard chassis and the body is interchangeable with that of the roadster.

The Cole Standard Four, a seven-passenger four-cylinder model, 120-inch wheelbase, weighing about 3,000 pounds, to retail at \$1,485, nearly \$200 less than the previous four-cylinder model, is announced by the Cole Motor Car Company. The new four body is a stream line design, having neither rise nor drop in cowl. The Stewart-Warner vacuum gravity gasoline control system is used on all models. The four carries the 4½ by 5¼ Northway unit power plant, giving the car a rating of 40 horse power at 1,600 revolutions per minute.

Announcement has been made by officials of the Giant Motor Company, Findlay, Ohio, of a new six-cylinder model to sell at \$795. The new six has a wheel base of 108 inches, and will carry full equipment, including electric lighting and starting apparatus. For purchasers who do not desire the electric lighting and starting system, the price of the car will be \$750, including acetylene lights.

Finley E. Porter, formerly Chief Engineer of the Mercer Automobile Company of Trenton, N. J., has organized the Finley Robertson Porter Company and has taken over the plant of the Metropolitan Motor Car Company at Fort Jefferson, L. I., where he will produce a 100 horse power, 140-inch wheel base chassis, to sell for \$5,000, with full electrical equipment. The motor has an A. I. A. M. rating of 34.2 horse power, and will develop 171 horse power. It is of the valve-in-the-head type, with four 4.6 by 6.75 inch cylinders, a single overhead cam shaft operating all valves. The piston displacement is 449 cubic inches. The officers of the new company are: President—Mr. Porter; Vice President—P. D. Vellier; Second Vice President—H. Adams; Secretary—C. H. Froehlich; Treasurer—R. B. Porter.

In response to the demand for a car of this type the Hayes Company has announced a light six cabriolet. It may be converted from a roadster to a coupe or vice versa in less than a minute's time by a person within the car. When used as a roadster the plate glass windows are dropped into recesses in the doors and the curtains are kept in a carrying space built into the back of the seat.

ROAD CONDITIONS IN SEVERAL SECTIONS

Necessary Detours and Places of Good Going Along the Hudson River.

SOME BERKSHIRE ROUTES

A. C. A. Tells Where Caution Must Be Exercised in This Region—New Roads.

The roads are being worked in various sections along the Hudson, says the Bureau of Tours of the Automobile Club of America, and at present the road north of Tarrytown to Peekskill is under construction. The better way to Peekskill is by way of Briarcliff, Croton Lake, Yorktown Heights, and Yorktown to Peekskill. A part of this road from Yorktown to Peekskill was lately resurfaced.

From Peekskill to Poughkeepsie the direct State road through Fishkill Village is in fine condition excepting a short stretch through the village of Wappingers Falls. From Peekskill macadam is found to Garrison, followed by fair dirt road through Cold Spring to Beacon, then State road to Wappingers Falls.

The approaches to Poughkeepsie, both from the south and the north, are being laid with brick pavement. The detours are well marked over good roads. North of Poughkeepsie two detours are necessary before reaching Hudson. The first commences about one mile above Clay Hill, just north of Staatsburg, from which point the road is closed to the village line of Rhinebeck. This road is being resurfaced in places, and should not be closed, as the roadbed is hard and fairly good. The greater part of the detour is good, but the first part would require careful driving in wet weather, as the road is quite narrow, with several sharp reverse curves.

The other detour, just above Rhinebeck, is where the Astor State Road is closed for nearly its entire length. The detour should be used here, as the road under construction is not fit to drive over. The detour which follows the old Post Road is in very good condition, and is well posted. From Hudson the road is in good condition to Albany.

From Briarcliff good State road is found by way of Amawalk, Lincoln, Somers, Brewster, Hoansburg, and Haviland Hollow to Pawling. This road is better than the Lake Mahopac-Carmel road to Pawling because of the stretch of dirt road near Lake Mahopac and a bridge that is down near Carmel.

North of Pawling, from Dover Plains to Wassaic, the road is closed. The detour is very poor, being only a narrow, winding road, with a poor surface and steep hills. In places two cars cannot pass, and part of the road runs across fields. From Pawling there are two roads to Poughkeepsie, both of which are in fair condition. One of these is over dirt roads through Stone House and Poughkeepsie to Green Haven, where State road begins and runs by way of Stormville, East Fishkill, Wicopee, Briarcliff, Fishkill, Village, and Wappingers Falls to Poughkeepsie. The other route is more direct, turning off at Stormville on fair dirt road, which is followed through Fishkill Plains, New Hackensack, and Red Oak Mills to Poughkeepsie.

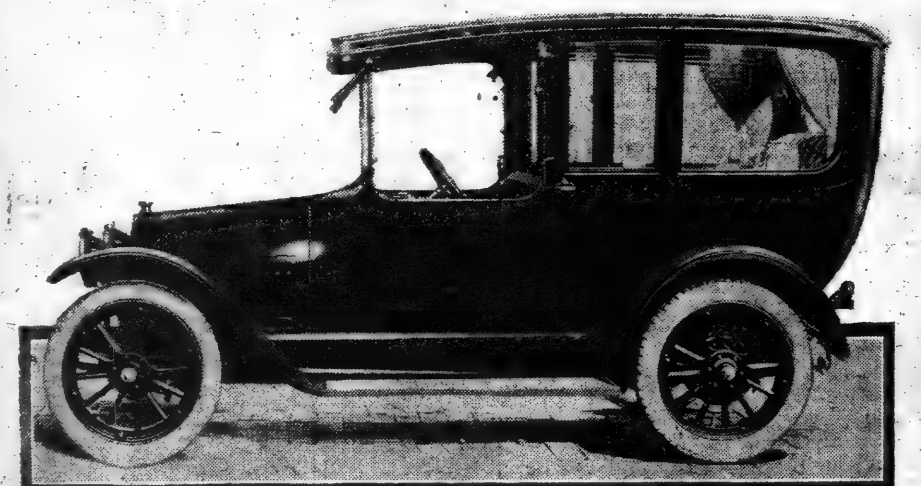
The Berkshire Section. Leaving Poughkeepsie, there is State road by way of Millbrook to Lithgow, part of this having been opened on Oct. 1. From Lithgow it is necessary to make a detour on account of the construction in progress over Delcavage Hill, west of Amenia. This detour, well marked with signboards, is over fair-surfaced narrow country road, with sharp grades, leading from Lithgow to Wassaic, where a connection is made with State road going north through Amenia to Millerton.

A good connection for the Berkshires from points north of Poughkeepsie on the Hudson River is made by following the State road through Red Hook, Upper Red Hook, Clermont, and Blue Store to Bell Pond. Here turn right and follow a good dirt road to Hollowville, where the State road from Hudson will be met and followed through Hilldale to the Massachusetts State line. From this point there is a good State road extending from Hudson N. Y., eastward through Claverack, Hollowville, Crayville, and Hilldale to the Massachusetts State line. The road to South Egremont the road has not been good.

Chief Engineer Dean of the Massachusetts Highway Commission reports that an appropriation has been made for the improvement of this road from the New York State line to South Egremont, and that the contract will probably be let about Nov. 1. He also says that it is quite probable that no detour will be necessary until next Spring, as a great deal of this work will be outside the limits of the present highway.

The road which was under construction south of Adams, on the main trunk route from Pittsfield to the north through Berkshire and Adams to North Adams, is completed and open to travel. This makes a good connection at North Adams for Williamstown and Manchester, also for the Mohawk Trail over the Hoosac Mountain to Greenfield.

RAN 7,500 MILES IN THIRTY DAYS WITH SEALED BONNET.



A 1915 Mitchell light four touring car on a chassis like this recently completed a grueling test by making more than 250 miles a day for thirty consecutive days over all sorts of roads while the bonnet was under A. A. A. official seal.

FOR BICYCLE REAR LIGHTS.

Secretary of State Says They Protect the Rider as Well as Motorists.

"Every motorist," says Mitchell May, Secretary of State, "is painfully aware that the bicyclist is one of the chief trials of driving by night because of the difficulty of distinguishing him.

"It was only recently that a law was passed compelling him to carry a rear lamp," said Mr. May last week, "or even a device for revealing his presence by reflecting the rays of lamps from the overtaking car. His front lamp is often so feeble that the patch of light it throws on the ground is not visible except at close range.

"Inasmuch as rear lamps on bicycles are enormous help to other drivers and valuable safeguards to the bicyclist himself, it is an interesting speculation why they are not more frequently adopted, especially since there is a legal obligation to carry them. Sometimes this reason would appear to be a lack of imagination—the same reason which leads some motorists to take risks that are a constant source of anxiety to the drivers of other vehicles, as the making of erratic movements in crowded thoroughfares or darting immediately in front of a heavy truck, which it is a physical impossibility to stop quickly.

"Sometimes the reason, it is to be feared, is a sort of defiant self-assuredness; the bicyclist, riding the weakest vehicle upon the highway, feels that he is liable to be imposed upon, and accordingly thinks to assert his rights by adopting the attitude that he is free to use the road as he chooses; and that it is the business of other vehicles to keep clear of him whatever he may do. This attitude, of course, is entirely incompatible with what may be called the economy of road use."

concerns, according to the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce. The demand for horses and mules for export to Europe gives an unexpected chance for large users of horses to sell them at good prices and use the money to buy power equipment.

Representatives of the English, French and Russian Governments, who are reported to have received orders during the last week in October for the purchase of 20,000 additional horses and mules, are reported to be paying a uniform price of \$270 a head in East St. Louis. At Fort Worth, Texas, prices have advanced \$17 over last year as a result of the demand. The first shipment on an order for 3,000 started for Montreal last week. Trainloads of horses and mules are going from the West and Southwest daily to Canada and Atlantic ports. Germany is said to be offering from \$500 to \$800 for good horses.

Europe has already begun to drain the United States and Canada of their surplus grain crop, and prices of corn, oats and hay are certain to rise. Exports of oats from July 1 to Oct. 24 were 22,000,000 bushels—just double the exports for the corresponding period last year. So it is going to cost more than ever before to maintain horses, the Chamber thinks.

Motor trucks and delivery wagons, on the other hand, are better and cheaper than ever before, with list prices already fixed for the next twelve months. Gasoline is lower than at any time since the motor vehicle became a factor in transportation. Rubber and rubber tires are also cheaper than heretofore, and with plantation rubber coming into market in ever-increasing quantities, continued reductions are anticipated.

BIG ENTRY FOR AUTO SHOW.

Four Floors of the Palace to be Used for Complete Cars.

So great has the demand of motor car makers been this season for space at the fifteenth annual National Automobile Show, to be held in Grand Central Palace, that for the first time four floors of the big building will be utilized for the display of complete cars. The show is scheduled to open Saturday, Jan. 1, and will continue until Jan. 11. It will have four floors available, Manager S. A. Mize and the

Show Committee find that they are unable to accommodate all of the applicants for exhibition space. Heretofore the fourth story of the Palace has been used exclusively for accessory exhibitors, but some of these will be obliged to get along with smaller space than in former years in order to make room for the complete cars.

Already 548 exhibitors are on the list for the New York and Chicago shows. Ninety-two complete car makers are on the list for the New York show and ninety-one for Chicago. Thirteen motorcycle makers will be represented at these shows.

AUTOMOBILE TRADE NOTES.

In the army of Ford employees the Triple Alliance is represented by 600 Germans, 288 Hungarians, 120 Romanians, 88 Austrians, and 300 Syrians. There are also 51 Turks and 600 Italians and Slovaks. The Triple Alliance, on the other hand, has among the Ford workers 330 English, 183 Scotch, 148 Irish, 226 Canadians, 3 Australians, 206 Russians, 477 Poles, 10 Lithuanians, 32 Croatians, 15 Czechs, 21 Danes, 6 Belgians, 10 Hollanders, 9 Spaniards, and 210 Serbians.

The assets of the Marion Motor Car Company of this city have been sold to James I. Handley, President of the company, for \$10,000. The company has had a varied experience within the last few years, but it is now understood that J. I. Handley is arranging to surround himself with a strong organization and will soon have something interesting to offer the motor public.

At a meeting held by the members of the various departments of the Federal Rubber Manufacturing Company the other day a list was submitted, to be known as the Federal Rubber Goodwillship Club, for the purpose of accumulating a fund to bring good cheer into the homes of the needy at Christmas time.

Blakely, who has had charge of the publicity of the company since June 1, has been appointed newspaper advertising manager.

The total sales for the last business year of the Stevens-Duggan Company have been \$5,067,500.44, as shown by its financial statement. Since its incorporation in 1904, the company has manufactured and sold 14,000 motor cars. On a capital stock of \$1,000,000, it has a surplus of \$2,067,500.44.

Announcement is made by the purchase of important interest in the Vauxhall Oil Company by Harry W. Nickolls, formerly President of the Columbia Motor Car Company of Hartford, Conn., and now with the Packard Motor Car Company of New York.

At the last meeting of the Directors of the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce, the Allen Motor Company of Victoria, Ohio, was admitted to membership.

Owing to the general interest in factory safety movements, it may be interesting to note that the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce has a special committee, with the president of the motor industry as chairman, and a membership of six men from various parts of the plant, who have opportunities for getting into the factory and observing the dangerous conditions.

Committee has been set up to investigate the conditions of the factory and to see that only four out of the six men on the committee have been visiting of the factory or otherwise.

TRUCKS FOR PAINTERS.

Motors Make Possible Moving of Men and Supplies Together.

One of the interesting truck developments is the motorizing of the painting and decorating trade. Contractors have found that with motor trucks they can move their men, ladders, and paraphernalia all at once and from one end of the city to another with the loss of a half-hour or an hour at the most. With the old way of horse transfer nothing but the equipment could be carried; the workers had to go by a street car, and a loss of a half-day and often a day resulted.

One of the most notable instances of the motorizing of a business, however, is that of the packing houses. One of the large concerns now is operating a fleet of over thirty trucks of one make, having purchased a number for its branches as well as its main plant.



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GEORGE M. CURTIS, Treasurer.

FINANCIAL MARKETS

Bank Figures Reflect Week's Improvement—The Influence of the New Reserve Banks

A further decrease of \$28,500,000 in the circulation of the national banks attested to the rapidity with which money market conditions at this center are returning to normal. Before another bank statement is issued the reserve requirements will have changed, and, other things being equal, the surplus reserve of the banks largely increased by the reduction of the reserve requirements. That being so, less money market significance than otherwise would be the case attaches to the decrease of \$28,500,000 in surplus reported yesterday.

The decline in interest rates during the week furnished outward evidence of the increasing comfort of the banks in their position. This, in part, but not solely by any means, has been due to the prospective establishment of the reserve banks as an incident of which member banks will hereafter have to carry a smaller proportion of reserves than has been required of national banks in the past. But beside this change in reserve, another and of more central factor in easing the money market has been the fact that heretofore rediscunt facilities will be available which have never been available in the past. Trade of desirable kind will not in future be confronted with the handicap that at times has been imposed in the past simply for the reason that the country's banking machinery was not adapted to meeting the full requirements of the new banking system by no means automatically does away with all chance of money market difficulties in the future, but it does reduce the number of causes likely to lead to such difficulties.

It is no longer being assumed in the financial district that all action toward reopening the Stock Exchange must be put over until after the end of the year. It is being found that such steps as have already been taken in the matter of lifting price restrictions instead of doing harm have actually done good. It is natural that his apprehended moment of action, which has been apparent in Stock Exchange circles over the possible consequences of resuming public trading in securities. Plans are now being discussed, not vaguely, with reference to some indefinite future period but practically with reference to the possibility of early action, and there is much reason to hope that the problem will be worked out without any too long waiting. There are difficulties which have to be overcome, but overcoming difficulties is a routine element in successful endeavor. Moreover, the difficulties which have lain in the way of Stock Exchange resumption are each day becoming smaller.

CLEARING HOUSE STATEMENT

Exchanges, \$223,244,000; balances, \$16,328,000; Sub-Treasury, debit balance, \$1,063,276.

BAR SILVER

In London, 22 1/2d, unchanged; in New York, 47 1/2c, unchanged.

STOCK EXCHANGE NEWS

New Addresses—Dwight Braman, 15 William Street; J. P. Morgan & Co., 23 Wall Street.

Branch Office—Sternberger, Sinn & Co., Asbury Park, N. J., discontinued.

Charles F. Pritchard, Brokers & Co., Frank M. Clark, retired; Dick Brothers & Co., Marshall Grey, retired; Springing & Co., William D. Martin, retired.

FINANCIAL NOTES

The Irving National Bank has issued a pauper's debt certificate, which is defined by the Federal Reserve Board, in relation to the Federal Reserve Bank in regard to paper that is considered eligible for rediscunt.

The Fifth National Bank for 1914 has been prepared by the Fifth Publishing Company. It contains descriptions of the funded issues of the leading railroad and industrial companies of the country.

RAILWAY EQUIPMENT BONDS

The following are quoted on a percentage basis:

Name	Maturity	Rate	Bid	Ask
At. Coast Line	1914-21	4 1/2%	5.25	5.30
Balt. & Ohio	1914-21	4 1/2%	5.25	5.30
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CLAFLIN FIRM CHANGES.

Removal of a Number of Department Heads by Receivers.

The first direct steps in the reorganization of the H. B. Claflin Company have resulted in the removal of several of the prominent department heads. Among the men who have been let go are Henry S. Dale of the dress goods department, B. F. Larabee of the knit goods department, E. Church and E. B. Brewster of the curtain and upholstery departments, W. P. Rea of the advertising department, and Edward Schofield, a general salesman. Rumor had it that other department heads were also to go, but the reports could not be confirmed yesterday. There were also reports regarding the successors of the departed heads, but nothing was given out concerning this point by those in authority. It was stated, also, that none of the assistants of the departed heads would be elevated to chiefs of departments, but that the new department heads would be men hitherto unconnected with the Claflin establishment.

It was also heard in the North Street dry goods district yesterday concerning the changes. There was a rumor that the changes had been made as a result of unwillingness by certain commission houses, and that the new heads would be selected from among the men who had been in the Claflin establishment. It was also stated that the new heads would be men who had been in the Claflin establishment. It was also stated that the new heads would be men who had been in the Claflin establishment.

Joseph B. Martindale, head of the Chemical Bank, and one of the receivers of the Claflin Company, would not comment on the changes beyond saying that they were made as a result of a study of the conditions in the Claflin Company. He said that the changes were made to increase the efficiency of the organization, to decrease expenses, and to bring the Claflin Company in line with the modern ways of doing business.

No comment was made by the departed department executives talked with yesterday. They were all in the Claflin building, and it was stated that there had been an utter lack of the personal touch in the reorganization. It was also stated that at no time had the receivers discussed department problems with the men who had been in the Claflin establishment. It was also stated that the new heads would be men who had been in the Claflin establishment.

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How the Retailer Got the Story. A leading costume house in the city recently had an experience that showed the lengths to which retailers will go to obtain exclusive models. This concern received a letter from a large customer in Chicago to whom they had confined their sales to the city, complaining that a certain specimen of a dress played in its show windows that was identical with the one they were supposed to be restricted. It looks for a time as if the concern would be unjustly since the manufacturer was positive that the garments had not been obtained from the city. It was claimed, however, that the retailer in the city, finally, the solution to the mystery was arrived at when a special order was given the specialty shop necessitating an order for a costume in a certain color of the country. The specialty shop came through to the manufacturer from a house in Ohio. In the hem of the skirt was written the name of the retailer and the retailer in Ohio, who had the costume made, was cut off from the list of the manufacturer's accounts.

Champagne Is Saved.
Consul General A. M. Thacker, Paris, reports that it has been possible to save the vintage in Champagne, thanks to the presence in that region of many refugees from the north. The question of transportation of champagne has presented difficulties. In order to move the champagne, the refugees have been asked to transport the champagne to the coast. The refugees have agreed to do this, and the champagne has been saved.

LATEST CUSTOMS RULINGS.

Duties Fixed by the Appraisers on Different Importations.

The Judkins & McCormick Co. was overruled yesterday by the Board of General Appraisers in protests relating to the duties on champagne. The Board of General Appraisers has ruled that the duties on champagne should be 10 per cent. ad valorem. The Judkins & McCormick Co. had protested against this ruling, claiming that the duties should be 5 per cent. ad valorem. The Board of General Appraisers has ruled that the duties on champagne should be 10 per cent. ad valorem.

WHERE IT PAYS TO BE CAREFUL

Too Much Duty Is Often Paid by Importers Who Fail to Attend to Details.

Decisions by the Board of General Appraisers furnish evidence that importers are losing thousands of dollars in duties paid to the Government on foreign merchandise through carelessness or negligence in the filing of protests. Complaints from the importing fraternity are common enough that the Government's exactions are onerous and frequently disproportionate to the value of the merchandise so assessed. This may or may not be so, according to the point of view.

At the same time there is no question that merchants in the import business have only themselves to thank for being obliged to pay duties that could have been avoided had due care been exercised at the time alleged excessive duties were collected on a given entry. Observers are of the opinion that at the present time, when close figuring is so essential to trade success, importers should be more careful in their dealings with the Customs House. Scarcely a day passes that importers' protests are not either overruled or dismissed by the Board of General Appraisers for no other reason than that protests are faulty in one respect or another.

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PARIS LEADS IN STYLES.

Reasons Given by Retailer Why This Is Apt to Continue.

A review of all that has been said since the war started regarding the possibility of New York superseding Paris as a style center leads those interested in the movement to the inevitable conclusion that, while American designers are good imitators, they do not possess, or at least have not shown, creative ability. There is no dissenting opinion offered to deny that in very many cases the fashions originating in Paris are improved and rendered more suitable to the taste of American women by our designers, but the fact remains that conditions of situation and temperament prevent the success of the propaganda to make the manufacturers of women's apparel on this side independent of Paris.

A representative retailer, in commenting on the question of style leadership, said that no matter where the American women get their styles while the war is in progress, one it is over they will again demand Parisian fashions. He does not occupy a position where he might be set down as prejudiced, since it would be much to his benefit if this market actually became the style center. As it is now, he must retain an expensive buying staff to make frequent visits to Paris. He must purchase a number of models and go to a large amount of trouble to get ideas for reproduction here by the manufacturers who supply him. If he could feel assured that American styles were what the women here demanded, he would be under much less stress.

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DYESTUFFS SHIP COMES INTO PORT

Matanzas Arrived Yesterday with Large Cargo of Different German Colors.

With 8,200 tons of German-made dyestuffs aboard, the steamer Matanzas yesterday steamed up the bay and docked at Pier B, Jersey City, adjoining the old Pennsylvania Railroad terminal. The ship left Rotterdam Oct. 30, and, according to Capt. A. C. Davis, her skipper, encountered rough weather most of the way across the Atlantic. This forced the vessel to slow down and accounts for the delay in her arrival, which was scheduled for last Monday.

The Matanzas's cargo, which is practically a capacity one for this ship, represents the first large direct consignment of German dyestuffs to this country from Germany since the outbreak of the European war, and was arranged for by special contract with dyestuff importers, headed by Herman Hoehne Company of this city. The committee had the co-operation of the Department of State and the German Legation in Berlin. The cargo consists of the goods of Germany, which they were to be shipped to this country. The cargo consists of the goods of Germany, which they were to be shipped to this country.

An inspection of the Matanzas's manifest shows that she brought good-sized quantities of almost all the colors and ingredients so urgently needed by manufacturers in this country. While the Matanzas's cargo is not as large as had been hoped for by some of the color handlers, a sufficient quantity was received to hold out until the arrival here next week of the steamer "Hochstetler," which is carrying a cargo of the same kind. The Matanzas's cargo consists of the goods of Germany, which they were to be shipped to this country.

Other consignments were as follows: Gelsenheim, 2,000 cases of dyestuffs; Hoechst, 1,000 cases of dyestuffs; and others. The Matanzas's cargo consists of the goods of Germany, which they were to be shipped to this country. The cargo consists of the goods of Germany, which they were to be shipped to this country.

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AT FALL RIVER MILLS.

Fair Amount of Sales the Past Week, Mainly on Wide Goods.

FALL RIVER, Nov. 14.—After several weeks of good business, trading in the print cloth market fell off quite a little and conditions are relatively quiet. Inquiry for both wide and medium wide goods has been rather brisk all week, but manufacturers have held firmly for higher prices and have succeeded in securing better prices for some of the goods. The total sales for the week will exceed 175,000 pieces, and while this amount is much lower than the total of the week of Oct. 27, it is still considerably above some of the totals some few weeks ago. The market is still in a state of uncertainty, but it is expected that the market will be more active in the near future.

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Printcloths Fairly Active.
The absence of some important market persons, who went to Princeton, lessened trading in the gray goods market somewhat yesterday, though there was a fairly large business done. A new lot of 250 cases of 36-inch wide goods, made for 1915 delivery at 3 1/2 cents, was some of the current year's shipments. The market is still in a state of uncertainty, but it is expected that the market will be more active in the near future.

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